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Locklear Named Chief Inspector

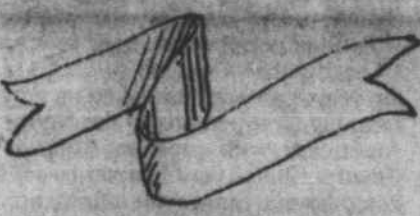
Mr. Dallas Locklear, Jr. of Los Angeles was recently appointed to the position of Chief Inspector for the California Department of Corrections new Medium Security prison facility at Chowchilla. Mr. Locklear is the son of Mrs. Carlee Hunt of Pembroke, North Carolina, and is a "Registered Professional Engineer" assigned to the "Division of The State Architect". In this new position he is responsible for directing the inspection, and testing, and for the certification of the new \$147 million dollar, 2000 inmate facility. This is the fifth new prison construction project that Mr. Locklear has been assigned to in California.



Patrick O. Bullard, an 11th grader at Purnell Swett High School, has been nominated to *Who's Who Among American High School Students*. Patrick is receiving this honor, which is given to the top five percent of our nation's high school students. Patrick is the son of Patricia S. Bullard, and the grandson of Jessie S. Bullard and the late Vonnie Ellen Bullard.

Revival To be Held

Island Grove Church HWY 710, Rev. Larry Locklear Nov. 7-12, 7:00 PM Nightly Speakers: Rev. Charles Locklear, Rev. James Mitchell Locklear, special singing each night including: God's Children, The Liberty Trio, The New Beginning, Friends in Christ. EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO ATTEND.



LREMC Annual Meeting Results in One New comer and Three Incumbents Elected



Robert Strickland



Conrad Oxendine



James A. Hunt



Herbert Clark

Three incumbents and one new comer, were elected to the Board of Directors of Lumbee River Electric Membership Corporation.

James A. Hunt from Hoke County over came incumbent H.E. Edwards, 501 to 268 to represent District 7.

Robert Strickland maintained his seat in District 3, 412 to 358 overcoming a challenge by newcomer Katherine Oxendine.

Conrad Oxendine received 487 votes to 282 over Elias Rogers to retain his at-large position.

Scotland County's representative Herbert Clark received 523 votes to 246 for Charles McLeod to continue representing District 9.

The annual meeting of the rural cooperative is held every October and four seats on the board of directors of directors are decided on.

Bazaar Planned

West Robeson United Methodist women will sponsor a Crafts and Collectibles Bazaar from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 20, 1993. There will be entertainment, refreshments and a bake sale along with other activities planned for the day. The church is located on HWY 74 east of Maxton, in the White Hill area. For more information or to rent a space for the day contact, Elizabeth D. Marshall at 844-5192.



J.P. and Geraldine Strickland, natives of Robeson County, were honored as the number one distributors of Townecraft cookware in North Carolina. The Stricklands have earned this recognition in less than one year's affiliation with Townecraft.



Scholarship Deadline

High School students with a grade point average of "B" or better and who are U.S. citizens interested in applying for \$1,000 college scholarships should request applications by December 15, 1993 from Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation, 721 N. McKinley Road, P.O. Box 5012, Lake Forest, IL 60045-5012. To receive an application, students should send a note stating their name, address, city, state, zip code, approximate grade point average and year of graduation. All requests for applications will be fulfilled on or about January 14, 1994. One hundred twenty five winners will be selected on the basis of academic performance, involvement in extracurricular activities and some consideration for financial need. A total of \$125,000 will be awarded.



Lumbee Jr. Miss Pageant Held



LUMBEE JR. MISS PAGEANT HELD IN OCTOBER

Rebekah Revels was crowned Junior Miss Lumbee 1993-94 on Saturday, October 9, 1993 at Givens Performing Arts Center in Pembroke, N.C.

She was among nine contestants vying for the title of Jr. Miss Lumbee. The theme was Doll Patch, USA.

Rebekah is the fifteen year old daughter of J.D. and Deena Revels of St. Pauls, NC. As a tenth grade honor roll student at St. Pauls High School, she is a member of the Student Government Association, Native American Student Organization, and Spanish Club. Rebekah is in the Academically Gifted Program. She has never missed a day of school from kindergarten through tenth grade. She is a member of the Broadway Babies Performing Group of Robeson County. She has been a Summer Stage II Drama student at the Carolina Civic Center for the past four years.

Rebekah is a member of Ten Mile Center Baptist Church where she has a lifetime perfect attendance record. She's also a member of the Dixie Darling 4-H Club. This summer Rebekah enjoyed having a Japanese exchange student stay with her in her home.

Rebekah sang a Gospel Interpretation of "Unshakable Kingdom" by Sandi Patty for her talent competition.

"Becoming Jr. Miss Lumbee will

give me a chance to be a positive role model to my peers. I will represent my title with dignity and pride, and I will do my best to make my people proud of me."

During her reign, Rebekah will travel throughout the county and state promoting the Lumbee Tribe and its culture. In November, she will attend the Miss Indian USA Pageant held in Washington, DC as a special guest.

Other participants in the Jr. Miss Lumbee Pageant included: Wendy Ann Lowery selected as first runner up; Jessica Locklear, second runner up; Miss Photogenic, Best Dress and Best Dance Opening Number Awards; Jasmine Moore, third runner up; Miss Photogenic and Best Dress Opening Number Awards; and Bess Locklear, fourth runner up.

Other awards included: Tressa Locklear, Miss Congeniality and Best Talent Awards; LaTeisha Rogers, Non-Finalist Talent, and First Runner Up-Best Dress Opening Number Awards; Ragen Jones, third runner up Talent Winner; and Crystal Locklear, Non-Finalist Gown, Non-Finalist Talent, second runner up-talent and non-Finalist modeling awards.

Kenda K. Bird of Pembroke, NC, outgoing Junior Miss Lumbee, crowned Rebekah. James M. Chavis is director of the pageant and Gladys Freeman and Shelby Dial are co-chairs of the pageant. Lumbee Regional Development Association is the official sponsors of the Junior Miss Lumbee Pageant.

On The Pow Wow Circuit



The following list of upcoming powwows is not intended to be a complete list. Anyone having information about upcoming powwows not listed is encouraged to send them to: Wild Turkey, P.O. Box 1075, Pembroke, NC 28372 or fax to (919) 521-1975.

*October 8-9, American Indian Cultural Festival (Fayetteville, NC) Indian dance competition, Indian Traders Cumberland County Memorial Auditorium. Call (919) 483-8442.

*October 15-16, Waccamaw-Siouan Powwow, Bolton, NC (Buckhead). Call (919) 452-3778.

*October 15-17, Hagerstown, MD Powwow. Call (410) 788-0254.

*October 15-17, NAIA Powwow and Fall Festival, Dupont/Tyler Middle School, Hermitage, TN.

*October 22-23, Meherrin Indian Tribe Powwow, Winton, NC. Call (919) 438-2166.

*November 11-14, The Great American Indian Exposition, Richmond, VA. Call (410) 788-0254.

*November 22-28, Sixth Annual National Native American Cultural Arts Festival. Call (410) 675-3535.

*November 26-28, Pee Dee Indian Association & Chicora-Waccamaw Indian People, Loris, SC. Contact (803) 523-6790.

*March 25-26, 1994 Annual Festival of the Four Holes Indian Organization (The Natchez Kusso Tribe). Call (803) 871-2126.

Homecoming at Purnell Swett

Purnell Swett held its homecoming week October 18-22 as students engaged in various activities to highlight school spirit. Student council members organized, the week to involve students and faculty to participate freely and openly and just have good clean fun.

Monday was a day of hats and shades. Tuesday, copy cat day as students dressed alike as couples or imitated the dress of a character. Wednesday, bender gender, females dressed as guys and the guys disguised themselves as females. Thursday, students came dressed with their pajamas on, and Friday, everyone was asked to wear school colors, gray, white and navy.

Friday afternoon during Purnell Swett's seventh period, the school was released to involve, students faculty, and staff in a pep rally to heighten spirit for the homecoming game against Anson County.

Purnell Swett's cheerleaders performed various cheers and dance routines that enticed students to show their homecoming spirit.