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# Rosman Community News

NEWS OF ROSMAN AND  
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## Rosman Personals

Sgt. and Mrs. Robert Bullock announce the birth of a son, Robert Lynn, April 3, in Transylvania Community hospital. Mrs. Bullock is the former Miss Josephine Moore, of Rosman. Sgt. Bullock is serving with the U. S. army in Germany.

The Rev. M. E. Summey, who was injured in an automobile accident Friday night, is recuperating at the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Brandon Summey.

Sgt. and Mrs. Robert Rogers are spending this week in Dallas, Tex., with the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Harmon, of Knoxville, Tenn., spent the week end at their home here.

Ted Tolley, who has been employed in Newfoundland for the past nine months, is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Tolley.

W. L. Carmichael, of Portsmouth, Va., who has been spending the past seven weeks with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Davis, is spending two weeks in Miami, Fla.

Pfc. Ray Owen and Pfc. Bernard Orr have returned to Camp Lejeune after spending a seven-day leave with their respective parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Owen, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Orr. The boys have just returned from Vieques, Porto Rico, where they took special training for two and one-half months.

J. B. Moore and Tracy Rice have returned to Tampa, Fla., where they are attending a school of television, after spending several days with their respective parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rice. They were accompanied back to Tampa by Mr. and Mrs. Rice, who will spend a week there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. White, Jr., and son, A. M. III, have returned to Spartanburg, S. C., after a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. White, Sr.

Pfc. Charles Whitmire, of Camp Lejeune, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Coy Whitmire and family.

A2C Edward Ashe, who has been in Tokyo, Japan, for approximate-

ly two and one-half years, is spending a 40 day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ashe. Upon the expiration of his furlough, he will report to Marietta, Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther T. Owen have returned to their home in Hampton, Va., after spending several days with Mrs. Owen's mother, Mrs. Ida Chastain and her daughter, Miss Janice Lawter.

Out-of-town relatives who were called here on account of the death of Manning Moore and have returned to their respective homes are: Mrs. Anne Gravely, of Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. William McGinnis, of Arlington, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Trakas and sons, and Mrs. Gertie Moore and daughters, of Gastonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCarthy and daughter, Joy, have returned to their home in Lexington, S. C., after spending several days with Mrs. McCarthy's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Gillespie and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clennon Mason and son, Jerome, spent Sunday in Wall-halla, S. C., with Mrs. Mason's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Littleton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Staton and daughter, Brenda, attended the funeral services for E. P. Hightower, Sunday near Seneca, S. C. Mr. Hightower was a great uncle of Mr. Staton's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hall and daughter, Patty, and Mr. and Mrs. Braxton White and son, Mike, have returned to their respective homes in Statesville and Asheville after spending a few days with J. E. White and daughter, Elizabeth, and Mr. and Mrs. Dock Lusk. The Halls also visited Mr. Hall's father, N. A. Hall, who is critically ill at his home in Sylva.

Carson Galloway, who is employed in Maryville, Tenn., spent the week end with his aunt, Mrs. Sarah Galloway.

Mrs. Hoyce McCall and daughter, Mrs. Marie Moore and son, Preston, of Pendleton, S. C., were week end guests of Mrs. Calloway McCall.

Pvt. Kenneth Banther, of Ft. Jackson, S. C., is spending a 14 day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Dock Banther.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duncan, of Aiken, S. C., spent the week end as guests of Mrs. Duncan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Searey.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsker Whitmire and son, Harold, of Greenville, S. C., spent Sunday with Mrs. Whitmire's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mitchell.

Pvt. Eugene Staton has reported to Camp Kilmer, S. J., after spending a 12-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Staton. Pvt. Staton expects to be sent to Germany at an early date.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Winchester spent Sunday with the former's

## Rosman Seniors To Leave For Washington, Teachers' Groups To Hold Joint Meet Thursday

### "Personal Visitation" Theme Of Program At Associational Meeting

On April 14 the dream of 28 seniors of Rosman high school will come true. From the very first day of the present school year, the seniors and their sponsor, Mrs. R. E. Lawrence, have been working hard to raise funds to finance a trip to Washington, D. C. They have planned their trip to take advantage of the Easter holidays. They expect to return on Monday, April 19.

Some of their projects for raising funds included: Making Christmas decorations, sponsoring food sales and a movie, selling various types of cards, selling drinks at ball games, as well as cup cakes almost every day at school. Their last project will be to sponsor a chicken supper on Friday night, April 9, in the school cafeteria.

In Washington they will attend a concert by the U. S. Marine band, go to a theatre where Betty Hutton is appearing in person, take a moonlight cruise down the Potomac, have a sea food dinner at a well known water front place, attend church in the Washington Cathedral, and go to the zoo.

Among the other places of interest which they will visit are: Bureau of Engraving and Printing, White House, FBI building, Washington Monument, Smithsonian Institute, National Art Gallery, Capitol, Library of Congress, Supreme Court building, Arlington cemetery, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, Lincoln Memorial, Jefferson Memorial, and Mt. Vernon. The group will make the trip in a chartered bus.

Members of the senior class include: Austin Alexander, Pat Bruner, Clara Bert Callahan, Willa Beth Carter, Clara Bell Fisher, Perry Fisher, Edith Galloway, Shirley Galloway, W. O. Galloway, Jr., Lester Gillespie, Christine Jones, Mary Jane Jones, Olivene Jones, Jimmie Lee, Tom Mahoney, Dan McCall, Daniel McCall, Jerry McCall, Bill McKinney, Hazel O'Shield, Clara Dean Parker, Donald Lee Passmore, Edward Paxton, Betty Jean Powell, Odell Powell, Dora Mae Whitmire, Frantz Whitmire and Mae Whitmire.

Mrs. Lawrence and Coach Jack Richards will accompany the seniors on the trip.

**At Middle Fork**  
"Personal Visitation" was the title of the program presented Sunday afternoon at the meeting of Sunday School Group 4 of the Transylvania Baptist association at the Middle Fork Baptist church near Rosman.

Speakers included Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Glazener, of Mt. Moriah Calvert Baptist church and Richard Dodson of the Middle Fork Baptist church.

Music was furnished by the choir of Middle Fork Baptist church.

Churches in Sunday School Group 4 include: Cathey's Creek, Mt. Moriah Cherryfield, Mt. Moriah Calvert, Zion, Middle Fork and East Fork.

The Rev. James Meece is pastor of Middle Fork church.

The Rev. Fred Olin, pastor of the King Street Baptist church, Brevard, was a guest speaker at the services Sunday night.

**On 4-H Program**  
"Milk and Vegetables" was the brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Winchester, in Pickens, S. C.

### P-TA Will Elect New Officers At Meeting Next Tuesday Night

Installation of classroom teacher officers, "fun night," and a covered dish supper will be the principal features of the joint meeting of the Transylvania county units of the Classroom Teachers association and the North Carolina Education association Thursday night, April 8 at 6:30 p. m. at the Straus school in North Brevard.

Miss Julia Wood of the Rosman elementary school, retiring president of the CTA, will install the new officers for next year.

Dr. L. P. Hollis, superintendent emeritus of the Parker district schools, Greenville, S. C., will be in charge of the entertainment and fun.

A covered dish supper will be served prior to the meeting in the cafeteria of Straus school. The teacher having taught the longest period of time will be honored.

Invited guests in addition to members of the two groups include: the county board of education and all retired teachers in the county. Special guests will include: Miss Helen Wells, state president of the CTA and Mrs. Hazel Curtright, district president of the CTA.

Mrs. R. E. Lawrence, of Rosman high school, is the retiring president of the NCEA.

**Glee Club Sings**  
The election of officers of the Rosman Parent-Teacher association will be held Tuesday night, April 13, at 7:30 p. m. in the high school auditorium. The Rosman high

title of the program presented by Margaret Orr, vice president, at the meeting of the Rosman Senior 4-H club Thursday at the school. Students participating were: Jo Ann Hall, Hope Owen, Annette Cassell, Patsy Leopard, Barbara Chapman and Louise Passmore.

Miss Anne Benson Priest, county home agent, gave a lecture on "Milk" and she also showed slides on "What Shall We Have to Eat." Robert Love, assistant farm agent, showed slides to the boys on "Raising a Calf the 4-H Way." Joe Smith presided during the business session.

Members gave the pledge to the U. S. flag and the 4-H flag, after which they sang "America." Shirley Stewart presented the secretary's report.

**Pressley On Maneuvers**  
Billy E. Pressley, FN, USN, now aboard the USS Monrovia, is participating in amphibious maneuvers in the Caribbean area. The maneuvers will continue until the latter part of April, after which he will return to Norfolk, Va., where he will attend a metalsmith school.

Pressley, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Pressley, of Kannapolis, formerly of Rosman, entered the service on Nov. 23, 1952. After receiving his basic training at the naval training center at San Diego, Calif., he served in the Mediterranean area.

Pressley attended Rosman high school and prior to entering the service he was employed by Olin Industries at Pisgah Forest.

Mrs. Pressley is the former Miss Mary Lou Moore, of Rosman, and she is now with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Moore here. She expects to return to Norfolk the last of this month to reside with her husband.

## Rosman Soldier Is Now Home On Leave

Sfc. Harry D. Whitmire, of Rosman, has recently returned from overseas to the 2053rd ASU Reception Center at Fort George G. Meade, Md., where after a brief processing period he will be placed on rotation leave. During his leave the reception center will complete the processing of his records and reassign him at some post within the continental limits of the United States. After completion of his leave, he will return to Fort Meade for orders of reassignment.

He is the son of Mr. Thomas D. Whitmire of Rosman, and his wife is Nannie Bea Whitmire, also of Rosman. He is now spending his leave at home.

school glee club will present a musical program under the direction of Mrs. J. M. Winget.

Plans will also be made for holding open house in both the high school and elementary school at the May meeting.

Mrs. Roy Fisher, president, will preside during the business session and Principal E. F. Tilson will take the grade count of the parents present.

Jack Richards is program chairman.

**Boys Entertained**  
Boys of the intermediate class were entertained by the girls of the intermediate class of Mt. Moriah Calvert Baptist church Sunday school last Tuesday night at the church.

The boys won in a recent contest during the past quarter for having the best record of attendance and for the lesson preparation. Four of the boys, who had perfect attendance records and prepared their lessons each Sunday are: Jimmie Cassell, Benny Cassell, Jerry Whitmire and John Paxton.

Games were played under the direction of Miss Avarie Glazener. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. J. W. Glazener is teacher of the class.

**Revival Underway**  
Revival services are in progress at the Church of God in Rosman. Miss Margaret Jacobs, of Charleston, S. C., is the visiting speaker. She is being assisted in the services

## Rosman High News

### SENIORS WIN TOURNAMENT

Due to the lack of experience and skill, the 11th grade boys were completely outclassed in the finals of the boys' basketball tournament. The final score, when the smoke had cleared away, was 34 to 15.

The seniors led all the way and were never in trouble. The game started with the seniors scoring on the tip-off and from there on it was the juniors bringing the ball down to about the center line and being stopped by the guards and then a pass to one of the boys under the basket and "presto" a basket for the 12th grade.

The greater heights enabled the seniors to hold the ball over their heads and wear the juniors out jumping for it. The players were seen by the spectators like this: Frantz Whitmire and his snowbird, Tom Mahoney and his crazy rights, Lester Gillespie and his beautiful lay up, Ed Paxton and his wild shots, and Sonn G. hitting some unidentified juniors in the stomach, so you see, juniors you must respect your elders.

### A HUGE SUCCESS

The seniors presented "Are You Kidding" in the Rosman high school auditorium Thursday night. We were amazed at the large crowd attending the play.

Before the curtain was drawn, Olivene Jones, chief usher, presented Mrs. Hogsed a very beautiful corsage of yellow carnations.

Now that the junior and senior plays are over maybe we can do a little more work on our subjects. We want to wish the senior class next year a great success with their play.

### CHICKEN SUPPER

The senior class of Rosman high school will sponsor a chicken supper Friday night, April 9th, starting at 5:30 p. m. The menu consists of fried chicken, or chicken pie, mashed potatoes, gravy, tossed salad, green beans, pie or cake, lemonade, ice tea, coffee and hot rolls.

The extras for the children are hot dogs, cake, pie, cup-cakes and drinks. Admission for the plate dinner will be \$1.00 per plate. The extras will be sold separately. The tickets will be sold ahead of time so be sure to get your ticket. We will appreciate any food donated by anyone. The proceeds go on the senior trip to Washington, D. C.

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