

# News Of The Negroes of Robeson County

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## P-TA To Note Founders Day

Founders day will be celebrated by the Parent-Teachers Association at two locations in the county; this is the first time the event has been so noted. All P-TA officers and members are being asked to help with the program which will be headed by the State president as speaker. Also being noted is the 22nd anniversary of the State Congress of Parents and Teachers. The first of the two programs will be held at Robeson County Training School on Sunday, April 24, at 3 p. m. and the second will be held at the same hour on Sunday, May 1, at the J. H. Hayswood School in Lumberton. Making arrangements for the events are Mrs. E. T. Hayswood, Jeanes Supervisor, and Mrs. Cora P. Taylor, president of the county P-TA.

## Rosenwald Wins Elementary Title

Rosenwald Baby Panthers (Elementary team) noted out the Peabody Training School from Wilmington to take tournament title and keep pace with the high school Panthers from Rosenwald school, Fairmont, who won the tournament just one week ago from Lumberton.

The Rosenwald elementary team defeated the strong Peabody elementary training school of Wilmington, 21-19 in a hard fought battle from start to finish. The Wilmington team jumped into an early lead which seemed definitely a sure victory but with Mitchell, McGilvery, Frison, and Page fighting with that never dying spirit soon overcame this short lived lead and went on to assure themselves that they had the better team by taking a 10 point lead at this point. At half-time the Panthers had a five point advantage.

The second half saw very little scoring with both teams concentrating on defensive tactics. In the waning minutes of play, the Peabody suddenly struck with all the power they had and came within two points of tying the game. With fifteen seconds left to play, a double foul was called with both teams missing the charity throws. The ball was jumped at center with Wilmington taking possession and with an opportunity to tie the game up and probably win. He missed the shot and Worley went high into the air to take the rebound and sew the game up by putting on an effective freeze until the final whistle. Outstanding for the Panthers were: Frison, Page, McGilvery and Mitchell, and for the visitors: Jones, Smith and McKay.

## Mt. Olive Methodist News

There will be a boys' day at Mt. Olive Methodist church on Sunday, April 10 at 3 o'clock p. m. All boys talent will render the program. The usher board of Mt. Olive Methodist church will hold an usher spring frolic on Friday April 8 at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Perkins on 11th street. A grand four leaf clover party was held at the home of Mrs. Ualina Brown given by Betina Vista Alford. It was largely attended. The lucky ones finding the four leaf clovers were Miss Helen McQueen and Miss Marion McNair. The home was beautifully decorated with gladiolus. The hostess served delicious chocolate sundaes, cookies, mints and punch.

LUMBERTON—Clarence McMillan of Raleigh was a visitor at the home of his father Sunday. He was en route to Wilmington.

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## News Left Out

Due to limited space, some late news was omitted from this week's paper. It will be carried in next week's paper.

## Sandy Grove News WORK DAY

Everyone who is interested in Sandy Grove please come to work Easter Monday at 8 o'clock a. m. to 5 p. m. Dinner on the church yard. The pastor will be there. Mrs. Lizzie Fason, sponsor.

## FASHION PARADE

Everyone is invited to attend an Easter Fashion Parade give at the Thompson school Sunday, April 10 at 4 o'clock p. m. The parade will include children from 1-12 years through 19 years of age. The program will also feature a "Jack and Jill" wedding, the wedding music to be played by the Thompson school Rhythm band. Admission is 15 cents for school children and 25 cents for adults.

## First Baptist News

LUMBERTON—The Ladies Aid will meet in the home of Mrs. Mary McNeill Sunday afternoon, April 10 at 4 o'clock. All members are asked to be present and on time and these members that have not paid their age rally, please bring it with you. Mrs. Ruth Inzar is president of the society and Mrs. Marie Blount is secretary.

## Willing Workers Program

The willing workers presented a program Sunday night at First Baptist of outstanding local talent. Invocation was by Rev. E. B. Turner. Guests soloists were Mrs. Mable Drake and Mrs. Roberta Sinclair of the Mt. Olive M. E. church. Others taking part on the program were Miss Charity Thompson, Gus Bullock, R. A. Anderson, Mrs. Jessie E. Powell, Mrs. Madie Morrison, Miss Rosella Kirt, Prof. J. F. Lessane gave an interesting talk on "Work is Our Emphasis And This Is Our Work."

## Mrs. Alexander Is Buried Sunday

LUMBERTON—Funeral services for Mrs. Christine Alexander of Proctorville who died last Monday were conducted Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from St. Stephens Missionary Baptist church, with the Rev. W. D. Mitchell in charge. Interment was in Proctorville graveyard.

Mrs. Alexander is survived by her husband, Isiah Alexander; one son, her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Jones of Marietta; three sisters, Mrs. Mollie Rolland of Marietta, Mrs. Lizzie Price of Proctorville and Mrs. Ella Singletary of Virginia; and six brothers—George and Max Jones of Lumberton, Roy of Ken-ny, James of Proctorville, Vander of Marietta and Lee of Virginia.

## FLOWERS GIVEN

The flowers in the Presbyterian church last Sunday were given as a memorial to Mrs. Catherine McLeod and Elder Robert Freeman. Mr. and Mrs. William D. Smith and his daughter, Barbara Ann of St. Pauls spent Sunday in Lumberton visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith of Lumberton, Rt. 5.

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## County Agent Sets Talk Dates

S. T. Brooks, Negro County Agent, will discuss the following topics at his club meetings during the month of April: "Increase Corn Yield, More Hay Production, Better Pastures, Increase Production of Meat and Better Gardens." The schedule of the meetings for the month is as follows:  
April 7th, Rex, 1:00 p. m.; April 8th, Beauty Spot, 8:00 p. m.; April 11th, Lilly Branch, 8:00 p. m.; April 14th, Panthersford, 8:00 p. m.; April 15th, Pleasant View, 1:00 p. m.; April 18th, Cedar Grove, 1:00 p. m.; April 19th, Greenville, 8:00 p. m.; April 20th, Marietta, 1:00 p. m.; April 21st, Holy Swamp, 1:00 p. m.; April 22nd, John Lewis, 8:00 p. m.; April 25th, Oak Ridge, 1:00 p. m.; April 26th, Protoville, 8:00 p. m.

## Personal News Of Interest

Miss Julia Reid, who has been teaching missionary work here in Lumberton and surrounding counties, has completed her work here and left for Carthage and Moore county where she will resume work. The communion services were held at the Presbyterian church, with the baptizing of the children of Mr. and Mrs. William Cain. Mrs. C. B. Leak spent the weekend with her family in Hamlet. Cpl. Johnnie Moore spent the weekend with his wife Mrs. Mary F. Moor on 11th street. The kitchen shower held at the Presbyterian church was very successful. Many useful gifts were given.

## LUMBERTON VISITOR

Willie Kee of Wilmington spent the week in Lumberton as the guest of his brothers and sisters. Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall spent Sunday in Lilesville visiting his father and his sister. Mrs. Loola Graha was the guest of her sister in Wilmington. She also visited the Azalea gardens. Mrs. Ada Robeson spent Sunday in Laurinburg with her sister, Mrs. Dorothy Tunage. Mrs. Retha Kemp is confined to her bed at home on Larkins street. John Inzar is sick in Fairmont, Rt. 3 at the home of his son. Mrs. Jim McMillan has returned home after spending several weeks in Harrisburg, Pa.

## Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gale

Florence S. C. was the guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. George Watts, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barnhill and daughter, Madelyn and Miss Rosada Whitfield visited the Azalea Gardens in Wilmington Sunday.

## HOME FROM MAXTON

Miss Eunice Kee was home this weekend from Maxton where she is a teacher in Maxton high school. Carl Lennon is home for several days from New York, N. Y., where she has been engaged in radio and television work with the RCA Radio Co. Walter Patrick spent the weekend in Lorton as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Freeman.

## Cedar Grove News

ST. PAULS—The Cedar Grove Missionary circle held their regular meeting at the Cedar Grove Baptist church on April 1. The president read the scripture lesson from the 14th chapter of St. John and gave a wonderful discussion. The meeting will be continued every Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock and every Sunday afternoon.

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## Seventh Graders Make Trip To Raleigh

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From there we went to the Capitol and saw the General Assembly in session. It was good to learn how the senators from our different counties in North Carolina argued for a bill to be passed for the benefit of his or her county. From there we went to the S & W Cafeteria. We were delighted with such a good meal. Then we also had time to clean up in the lounge, a bit. From there, we went to Studio A of the radio station WETF, where we heard Miss Barfield play the organ. Then we went to the News and Observer office and saw the printing presses. After going through the plant, we had our names put in the paper. Then we went to the State School for Blind where we saw blind children doing jobs better than most of us do them. When we got to the State Prison we saw where people were put to death in the gas chamber. Our ride home was very enjoyable. I learned much that I did not know.

## Club Meets With The Fulmores

The Christian Co-Workers club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Fulmore with Mrs. Mamie McKellar presiding. The lesson was discussed by Rev. Max Pittman. Rev. David Fulmore, Joe Ballard and Arthur Spearman. A social course was served by the hostess. Present were Rev. Max Pittman, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ballard, Mrs. Nellie Wooten, Mrs. Zada Kee, Miss Esther Thompson, Miss Clara McDowell, Miss Blanche Fulmore, Callie Lindsay, Arthur Spearman, and one visitor, Mrs. Mayella Thompson.

## BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McDougald announce the birth of a baby boy, James Vernon, on March 31, at Thompson hospital.

## DINNER GUESTS

Rev. and Mrs. George Wooten and Mrs. Glossie McKinnon of Fayetteville, and Mrs. Katie Anderson of Lumberton were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. David Rollins.

## ST. PAULS—The Cedar Grove

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## St. Pauls News

Rex Church and Local News  
By MRS. NELLIE McMILLAN  
New Bethel Baptist church order of worship 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month:  
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School (every Sunday).  
10:50 a. m.—Ten minutes recess.  
11:00 a. m.—Praise service.  
11:15 a. m.—Hymn by Senior choir, scripture lesson, devotions, hymn, ushers lifting foreign mission, offering, Devotions by president of usher board, hymn, announcements and welcome to visitors.  
11:30 a. m.—Sermon.  
12:15 p. m.—Invitation to joiners.  
12:45 p. m.—Closing.  
Evening Worship  
5:00 p. m.—Missionary hour.  
6:00 p. m.—B.T.U.  
6:45 p. m.—Song service by the junior choir.  
7:00 p. m.—Sermon.  
7:45 p. m.—Final closing.  
Rev. Lacy Jones, pastor, Mr. H. C. Johnson, clerk.

The public is invited to attend Mt. Olive Presbyterian Church 10:30 a. m.—Sunday School (each Sunday).  
11:45 a. m.—Each third Sunday preaching services. The public is invited to attend these services at all times. Rev. A. M. Simpson, pastor, Mr. J. C. Brown, clerk.

Local News  
Bennie Haywood, Dortch son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith, Jr., has been suffering a broken leg, he is slowly improving.  
Mr. Prince McMillan has been very ill with pneumonia but he is steadily improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Colman Melvin of Fayetteville spent the week end with Mrs. Melvin's mother Mrs. Sarah McEachern who has been ill but she's up again.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Taylor of New York City are visiting in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Betha and Mrs. Donnie Taylor.  
Pfc. Raleigh McNeill is spending his furlough with his mother Mrs. Nellie McMillan. After his furlough he will return to Oklahoma. He has been in service over seas since 1946.

Mr. Don F. Taylor spent several days with her mother who has been ill for some time, Mrs. Frances Swindell of Lumberton.  
Rex Home demonstration club will meet April 7, with Mrs. Ethel Monroe at 2 p. m.  
Mrs. Rebecca McKinnon president.

Easter will be observed at 4 p. m. Easter Sunday, the program will be rendered by the Sunday School in the New Bethel Baptist church. Come and enjoy our program.

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