



**RIBBON CUTTING** - The Rev. W.K. Mitchell cuts the ribbon at the dedication services for the new classroom building at Silver Grove Baptist Church last Sunday. Participating in the ceremony were (from left to right) trustees Will Pope, Harrison Peterkin, James Cobington, the Rev. C.J. Cooper, pastor of Solid Rock Baptist Church in Laurinburg; the Rev. Mr. Mitchell, John Worley, Berice McLaughlin, Carnell McColl and Lawrence Butler.

## Silver Grove Baptist Church Dedicates New Classrooms

By The Rev. W.K. Mitchell  
To the Pastor, officers, Trustees, auxiliaries, and to the members of Silver Grove Missionary Baptist Church, glory has been made. Sunday April 4, 1971, our hearts were filled with joy as Dedication Services of the added classrooms began at 3 p.m. with a call to worship by our Pastor, Rev. W.K. Mitchell.

The opening song was rendered by Bethlehem Baptist Church Choir of Laurinburg, N.C. The 23rd Psalm was selected for responsive reading. Two songs were sung by the Junior Choir of Bethlehem Baptist Church.

At 3:35 p.m. the Solid Rock Choir entered the choir section singing "Jesus Keo Me Near the Cross." Scripture was then read from 2nd Cor. 1, 7th

chapter, by Pastor Mitchell. Prayer by Deacon Peterkin.

The Dedicatory Message was delivered by the Rev. Dr. C.J. Cooper, Pastor of Solid Rock Baptist Church Laurinburg, N.C. and Moderator of the St. John Association. Dr. Cooper chose for his theme: "The Battle of Calvary." He stated that there had been many great battles in history, but none of these battles were as great as the "Battle of Calvary." Dr. Cooper also emphasized that we today have battles to fight. Some mentioned were the battle of love, the battle of education, the battle of unfinished business with our sisters and brothers, and with ourselves. It was a very beautiful and worthwhile message, and we feel sure it was enjoyed by all.

The ribbon cutting was by Rev. W.K. Mitchell, Dr. C.J.

Cooper and other Church officials.

Expressions of thanks were extended to all by Mrs. Sally McNeill, president of the Silver Grove Church and the Women's Dept. of the St. John Association.

Benediction by Rev. W.G. McDuffie, pastor of the Jones Chapel Baptist Church Red Springs, N.C.

Our financial goal for this service was \$2000.00. We exceeded this goal with receipts totaling \$2164.95! Thanks! To our members who pledged and paid so beautifully, to the visitors and friends who were present at this service, and to friends and business establishments who were not present but out of the bigness of their hearts made tangible contributions to help God's Program to higher heights.

## Hoke Ladies Learn Role Of Citizen

Editors note: Mrs. Robert Posey and Mrs. James Attaway attended a three-day North Carolina Extension Homemakers State Citizenship Seminar in Raleigh on March 22-25. Speakers from the Departments of Administration, Agriculture, Local Affairs and the offices of the Attorney General, Legislative Services, General Services of the Capitol, the Courts, the Correctional Center for Women, NC State University and the members of the General Assembly addressed the group.

The seminar was planned to increase knowledge of state government, identify roles and responsibilities as citizens and develop greater understanding and appreciation of the North Carolina heritage.

By Mrs. James Attaway  
It was a privilege to represent Hoke County Extension Homemakers at the Citizenship Seminar. In the past year we have been at ease as our representatives make and correct our laws. This task in this modern age has become the responsibility of each citizen. We should be aware of the changes and needs of the

world. If ever the need for alert wide awake citizen then the time is now. The speakers from each department from Agriculture, Legislative Services, Attorney General, Administrative Office of the Courts, North Carolina State University and members of the General Assembly each department gave their cooperation and assistance in the program.

It is our responsibility to support, suggest and assist our representatives in making and carrying out the laws of this county, state and nation. It all begins in our family and the future of this country is depending on you. As parents we are responsible for making this a secure, well balanced world for our children to live in. The values are instilled in children in the home each day. What are your values as parents? Golf, Bowling, T.V. or Bridge? All are good games but are they taking first place in your home?

A good citizen is well balanced in economic, political, and social life. Be a good example for your family study your children, community, state and nation. Realize the needs and help to change and make this a better nation for all. Watch the news and read your papers thoroughly. Be aware of the laws being made, check the system of government that is changing through new laws made by your voted representatives. Remember the values you live by today will make the citizens of tomorrow. Vote and then follow the results realizing our forefathers paid a big price. Everything has a price and our boys are still dying for this same freedom. Wake up citizens check your values are they deserving of that young life. Yes, Women too, your responsibility is great remember women were the last at the Cross and the first to the tomb. We all can be better Citizens, let us begin today.

## Stonewall Report

By MRS. HAROLD CHASON

The men of Sandy Grove United Methodist Church will meet at the Hut Thursday night for their regular monthly meeting and supper at 7:30 p.m. Special guests will be the ladies that are members of the Administrative Board.

An Easter Egg Hunt will be held at Sandy Grove Methodist Church Saturday at 2:30 p.m. for the children.

The Senior UMYF met at the Sandy Grove Hut Sunday night with counselors Mrs. Amos Grant and Mrs. Clellan McKenzie. Tim Sessoms gave the program. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Lee Adcox entered Moore Memorial Hospital Saturday.

Mrs. Hazel Black was honored with a surprise birthday dinner at her daughter and son-in-law's home. Mr. and Mrs. Randy Walker Sunday. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. James Gray of Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Black and son Mark and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Black, Mike, Cindy and Roger Black.

Mr. and Mrs. C.P. Chason of 71st Community were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Guy, Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Chason

and Mr. and Mrs. H.J. Chason. Paul and David Von-Cannon of Dunn spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Von-Cannon visited Sunday night.

Clayton McIntyre of Lumberton spent the weekend with Jimmy Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Glisson, Mrs. Myrtle Sappentfield and Mrs. Delia Raynor attended the Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. G.G. Faulkner at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Florence Macko Sunday afternoon.

Miss Frances Woodcox left Friday to spend three weeks with her sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dudash in Annandale, Va.

Mrs. Edgar McGougan, Miss Dell McMillan and Mrs. Bessie McMillan and daughter Mable visited Mrs. Minnie McMillan Sunday. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. James Gray of Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Black and son Mark and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Black, Mike, Cindy and Roger Black.

Mr. and Mrs. C.P. Chason of 71st Community were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Guy, Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Chason

Mrs. Fela Barlow and Mrs. Ada Bailey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Barnes in Florence.

Tommy Barnes along with his ninth grade science class visited the Atomic Power Plant in Hartselle, S.C. Friday.

Mrs. Dora Chason has been ill for several days. Guests on Sunday were Mrs. Myrtle Sappentfield, Mrs. Delia Raynor, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crawley and Mrs. I.J. Chason.

James Dutton Chason was honored with a birthday party Sunday afternoon given by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Chason on his fourth birthday. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Chason and children Carlin, Susame and Wanda, Mr. and Mrs. I.J. Chason, Mrs. Lois Padgett and Carl Padgett. Ice cream, birthday cake, potato chips and drinks were served.

Mrs. D.I. Boyles returned to her home in Pinnacle Saturday after spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. M.C. Boyles and other relatives. Mrs. M.C. Boyles is spending several days in Pinnacle.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Phillips and children of Washington, North Carolina spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. F.B. Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jones and Lee Jones of Chocoma Sunday guests.

Mrs. Jim Maxwell and daughter Sally Lynn and Mrs. Grace McIntyre of Lumberton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Maxwell in Greenville.

Mary Monroe Maxwell spent the weekend with her grandmother Mrs. Maggie Covington in Lumber Bridge.

Mrs. Irene Currie of Raeford, Mrs. Ida Currie, Mrs. Gladys Russell and Mrs. Katie Hip of Virginia Beach were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Doris Hendrix Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Hendrix were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thomas and children Sunday. They visited Lake Ulises in the afternoon.

Mrs. Bessie McMillan and daughter Mable are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McGougan.

Don't forget the Sunrise Worship Service at Sandy Grove United Methodist Church 1:30 p.m. on April 11.



**COMMENDED** - John Reid Davis (right) is presented a service award from Hoke County Rescue Squad Commander Bill Parker. Davis, who has been transferred to Clarksville, Va. by Burlington, has served as an advisor to the Hoke County Rescue Squad for the past three years and has been instrumental in raising funds for the new building.

## Hoke 4-Hers Exhibit At Cattle Show, Sale

Four Hoke County 4-H members exhibited at the cattle show and sale Tuesday sponsored by the Fayetteville Area Chamber of Commerce.

The event was held for 4-H members and members of Future Farmers of America.

Three of the animals exhibited received gradings of Choice in the morning show.

Gary Hendrix, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hendrix, placed fourth in the lightweight division for beef 936 pounds or under.

Hendrix's cow received a Choice grading and was sold at the afternoon auction for 35 1/2 cents per pound to North Carolina National Bank. It weighed 936 pounds.

David Willis, son of Maj. and Mrs. W.E. Willis, sold his cow for 37 1/2 cents per pound to Farm Service of Duncarrach. The animal, also rated Choice, weighed 892 pounds.

Lawrence Willis sold his animal at auction to Sanford Milling Company for 37 cents per pound. The cow, rated Choice, weighed 982 pounds.

Charles Willis got the top price of group for his animal, rated Good. It weighed 886 pounds and sold to Carolina Stock Yards for 40 cents a pound.

The boys and their parents attended a banquet Tuesday night at the Empire Steak House.

## news notes from QUEWHIFFLE

By MRS. LEONARD McBRIDE

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Blake and son Jan visited Mrs. Kathleen Godwin in Laurinburg Sunday night.

Sunday afternoon and Sunday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Mays were Mrs. Floyd Chilton of Sanford, Mrs. Pauline McKinney of Ararat, Mrs. Ola Mosser of Mt. Airy and Mrs. J.W. White of Broadway.

Mrs. Estelle Moore of West End spent the weekend with Mrs. J.A. Almond.

Mrs. Edith McBryde visited Mr. and Mrs. Foster McBryde in Raeford Sunday.

The community wishes to express their sincere sympathy to the Otha O'Brian family in the death of Mr. O'Brian who passed away last week.

Floyde Deese and Laverne Mays went fishing at Santee Cooper in S.C. Monday and Tuesday.

George Vanhooy is in Moore Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane Almond of Raeford were Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. J.A. Almond.

Circle No. 1 of Shiloh Presbyterian Church met Monday night at Mrs. O.B. Israel's home. Mrs. Israel presented the lesson to the nine members present. Delicious cake, pineapple, jelly beans, and Russian tea was served to everyone.

Circle No. 2 met in the home of Mrs. J.M. Pendergrass Monday night.

Circle No. 3 met in the home of Mrs. H.C. Bevan Monday morning.

Revival services will begin Sunday night at Ashley Heights Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m. and will last thru Saturday night. The Rev. Fulton Thomas will be the visiting minister for the week. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mrs. Jean McBryde and children visited Mrs. Ollie Fish in Pinehurst Sunday.

Mrs. Virgie Hollingsworth of St. Pauls spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Calloway.

H.H. Thompson of Candor spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Thompson and Mrs. Maudell Lucas.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Almond and daughter Lynn of Raleigh visited Mr. and Mrs. Crowell Almond and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bowling Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wade of Raeford visited Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Pickler Sunday afternoon.

Our community was saddened on Tuesday afternoon to learn of the death of Mrs. J.B. Womble Sr. at Moore Memorial Hospital.

Michael Almond, and Danell Morgan. Both patrols won a blue ribbon for camp participation. The boys set up camp Friday night in the rain and had a wiener roast. All other meals over the weekend were planned and prepared by the boys themselves. Michael Almond was 3rd place winner in a fishing tournament. He caught a fish that weighed 2 1/2 pounds and the prize was a fiber glass casting rod. The scouts returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wilkerson, Mrs. Ralph Calloway of Raeford, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilkerson of South Boston, Virginia went to the Grand Ole Opry in Nashville, Tennessee over the weekend.

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**7:30 P.M.**  
at  
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**HEAR**  
ENJOY THE SINGING OF THE COMBINED SENIOR HIGH AND CHURCH CHOIR OF FIRST CHURCH  
**Dr. M. Ray McKay**  
Special City Wide Invitation Nights And Guest Testamonies  
MONDAY - (Law Enforcement And Business Owners' Night) Hear Mr. Charles Garrison, J. P. Stevens Accountant  
TUESDAY - (School Night Recognition of all students and teachers of Hoke County) Hear Mr. Joe Lennon, Assistant Hospital Administrator, McCain Hospital  
WEDNESDAY - (Hoke High Athletes and Youth Night) Hear Mr. James A. Brady, Student  
THURSDAY (Civic Club Night. Recognition of all Civic Clubs and Groups) Hear Mr. Chub Sewell, Attorney  
FRIDAY - (Musician's Night and Political and Civic Leaders Night). Hear Mrs. T. E. O'Neal, nurse  
WE INVITE EACH AND ALL TO THIS CITY-WIDE EFFORT FOR SPIRITUAL REVIVAL.