

Rockfish News

by Mrs. A. A. McInnis

The WMU Bible Study Group of Tabernacle Church did not meet Monday morning at the usual time. The Mission in Action Group met Monday night with Mrs. Mamie Adkins. Prayer meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Isabel Stephens Tuesday night.

Attendance was very good at Parker Church last Sunday.

The community extends sympathy to Mrs. Maggie Quick in the death of her brother, William Culbreth.

The baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E.T. Brock who was a patient at Cape Fear Valley Hospital for some time got home last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. E.T. Brock of Rockfish visited them Sunday afternoon and they also visited his brother, Walter Brock, who is seriously ill at his home. It is not necessary for him to be hospitalized because he can take the treatment he needs at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McInnis of Wagram visited his brother, Thomas, and his mother Sunday night.

Mrs. Floyd Monroe and Miss Mary Priest were among those from this area who attended funeral services for William Culbreth at the funeral home in Hope Mills and interment in the Culbreth Cemetery Sunday.

Mrs. George Monroe and Mrs. B.B. Bostic were among those who went on the trip to Nassau last week.

Mrs. Norman Essick of Lexington and Mrs. Joe Hinkle, of Welcome, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Koonce for several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Carol of Greensboro and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Everett of Augusta, Ga., visited Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Chason and son Larry during the past weekend.

Mrs. Frank Welch, who was a patient at Cape Fear Valley Hospital, came home last week, although she is still seriously ill.

The 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Stephens was celebrated at their home last Sunday afternoon.

Bobby McColl and son Brenden of Knoxville, Tenn., spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Terry and son Lee.

Miss Harriet Holmes of Pinehurst and her brother, Tony Holmes of Lumberton, were dinner and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Terry and son Lee last Sunday.

Mrs. Effie Forbis of Lumber Bridge visited the Terrys after attending the Open House at Open Arms Rest Home in Raeford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sayer and children, Scott, Susan and Shane, returned home Saturday after spending from Tuesday to Saturday at Salter Path Beach near Morehead City.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Monroe had most of their children and grandchildren with them last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Minor McGougan,

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Monroe and children Chuck and Lynn, Mrs. Thomas Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Monroe, Wayne and Sheila, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Andrews of Raeford were also their guests Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Overton had most of their children and grandchildren as supper guests Sunday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Reid Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Guy and sons Tony and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Overton and children Mark and Sherry.

Mr. and Mrs. K.P. Ritter took their son, Tom Garrison, to his home in Burlington Sunday and came back Monday bringing Tom and Catharine back with them.

Thomas McInnis thanks everyone for their visits, cards and every act of kindness shown him during his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Dougald Shaw of Raeford were guests of Thomas McInnis and his mother one day last week. They also visited Mrs. Mary Lockamy of Route 3, Fayetteville.

Excuse so much McInnis news this week. When you are writing news you just have to use what you can get.

Thomas McInnis and his mother were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Edwin McInnis Saturday night and dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Smith McInnis and Mrs. Jim Maxwell Sunday. If they had not been invited, it might seem as if they were saving on grocery bills.

Some of Thomas McInnis' friends who visited him since he got home from Cape Fear Valley Hospital on Tuesday of last week were Julian Barnes, Will Monroe, Herman Koonce, Oscar Wood, Malcolm Gillis, Keith Hawkes, and Lynn Dees. And all these visits were very much appreciated.

Keith Hawkes had a telephone call from his sister, Mrs. Fred Reich of California, last Saturday, wishing him a happy birthday. And his friends here hope he did have a happy birthday and will have many more.

Mr. and Mrs. M.L. Wood, Jena and Randy, have just returned from a trip to Virginia, Ohio, Kentucky and Tennessee. While in Ohio they visited Mrs. Pauline Leinster and found her doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Butch Posey and daughters, Cristi and Jennifer, Kim, John and Diane McColl spent last week at North Myrtle Beach.

Mrs. Joe Lovette of Puppy Creek spent last week with Dr. and Mrs. Vamick Bombatepe and sons Halis and John of Goldsboro.

Mrs. Marshal Newton and Mrs. Joe Lovette were among those who went to "open house" at the Arms Rest Home in Raeford Sunday. Mrs. Callie Pendergrass was one of the residents they saw and were pleased that she looked so pretty.

Thomas McInnis got home from Cape Fear Valley Hospital after being there for a week.

Alfred Berry spent the past

Saturday, Sunday and Monday fishing at Holden Beach. He must have had fisherman's luck for he said the fish had lockjaw.

Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. E.E. Emmons were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Britt of Lumberton. Mrs. Britt is Mrs. Emmons sister.

Visitors in the home of Miss Sarah Patterson over the weekend were: Mrs. Daniel Patterson and her grandson Steve of Fayetteville, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Patterson and family of Fayetteville, Mrs. Oscar Hobby of Fayetteville, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Corpening of Asheville, N.C. and Mr. and Mrs. Art Baiden and family of Columbia, S.C. Miss Sarah was celebrating her 88th birthday Sunday.

The Jim Maddens were visitors in the community Sunday afternoon and attended church at Pittman Grove Sunday night.

Mrs. W.H. Schell visited her sister, Mrs. Ethel D. Gibson, Saturday morning.

Mrs. H.D. Patterson of Wallace and Mrs. Roy Lenoir of Fayetteville and Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Gibson of Stedman and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Sumner of Lumber Bridge visited in the home of Mrs. Ethel D. Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. M.S. Gibson Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. M.S. Gibson and family and Mrs. Ethel Gibson visited Mr. and Mrs. Randal Gibson of Stedman. Randal Gibson had broken his left ankle on Friday.

Mrs. M.S. Gibson and Joy Gibson were dinner guests of her aunt, Mrs. Betty Sessoms of Eastover.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Gaddis and sons were Rev. and Mrs. Ben Jenkins, supply pastor of Lake Rim Baptist Mission, and Rev. and Mrs. John Hodge and sons of Orbosonia, Pa. Rev. Hodge has led in a tent revival for ten days on Bragg Blvd.

Comment

If the weather keeps on getting cool like it was Tuesday morning, we'll soon be wanting it hot.

City Man Is Lee Chairman

Jimmy Morrissey of Raeford has been named Hoke County campaign manager for the Howard Lee campaign for Lt. Governor, it was announced this week.

Morrissey is president of the county chapter of the NAACP and is vice-chairman of the Hoke County Civic League. He is a member of the Cardinal Health Agency board and also a member of the advisory board on the Region N Council of Governments. He is a member of Silver Grove Baptist Church.

Morrissey will coordinate all local affairs including fund raising, voter registration and special events. He can be contacted at 875-3364. Mailing address is P.O. Box 501, Raeford.

Council Goes Through Brief Agenda

City council members went through a very brief agenda Monday night and heard an encouraging report from engineers working on the 201 plan during their regular monthly meeting Monday night.

Livingston Jones and Ray Topping, engineers with Moore Gardner & Associates, briefed the council on the status of the first phase of the 201 project, which is about to be completed, and termed the city's sewer lines to be in "good shape, overall," according to city manager Robert Drumwright.

The 201 plan, a federally ordered study which is concerned with industrial sewage disposal, is a four phase project which is expected to be completed next January.

Drumwright said that the engineers' report indicated very little

ground infiltration, however, they did find some sewer lines which may be too small and may need additional lines at some future date.

Localities may be eligible to receive federal aid through the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) with 75 per cent funding to correct sewage disposal problems which are detected by the 201 study. A report on each phase of the study is submitted for review before the next step is begun, Drumwright said.

In other business, council members changed the date of the bond referendum for the proposed new fire station from Aug. 17 to Sept. 28 because of a technicality in the number of times a public notice is required to be published in advance of the referendum election.

The council also authorized the purchase of a used pickup truck from Raeford Auto Co. at a cost of \$2,400 with a trade-in on a garden

tiller. The truck is to be used by the water and sewer department, which presently has only two trucks.

In rezoning matters, the council agreed with recommendations from the city zoning board and rezoned two places from residential to commercial.

Five acres on Teal Drive owned by builder Julian Wright were ordered rezoned to commercial for the planned new National Guard Armory. Property north of 401-business owned by Frank Crumpler within the mile radius of the city limits was ordered rezoned to commercial for a planned restaurant.

The council also extended the two per cent discount on early payment of city taxes through Aug. 31 because of a delay in mailing out tax notices.

The next regular monthly meeting of the city council will be Monday, Sept. 13, a week later due to the Labor Day holiday.

Housing Tips

By Willie Featherstone, Jr.
Asst. Agri. Agent

Installing Paneling

The first step in installing paneling is to prepare walls. If walls are free from loose plaster, paint and paper, paneling may be applied directly to wall surface without furring strips. Each panel should be carefully fitted and bitted to existing trim and wood work. Paneling may be 1/8" thick. Apply panels to wall with panel adhesive allowing 1/32" to 1/16" clearance between edges of adjacent panels.

For walls that are in poor condition one should strip walls down to wall studs, tear out old wood work, if it is in bad condition. You may need to use 3/8" furring strips to compensate for thickness of the old wall, especially if you keep the old woodwork. Use 1/4" paneling over studs and furring strips. Adjust electrical switches and outlets, if furring strips are used.

ACCLIMATE PANELS: Forty eight hours before installation, place panels in the room where they will be installed. For good air circulation, separate them with 1" by 2" 's or stand them free. This will allow moisture-sensitive panels to be more accurately measured and installed.

MEASURE, FIT AND CUT: Use a 2' framing square and carpenter's tape for accurate measurement and marking. If you are using a portable electric or radial arm saw, cut panels face up.

NAIL IN PLACE: Use nails recommended by panel manufacturer. Nail over furring strips, starting in center of panel, and working toward edges.

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VOTE WILLIAM (BILL) ALTMAN FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS

VOTE AUG. 17th



Fully qualified and a proven leader, having served in combat in WW II, Korea and Vietnam. Climbed in rank from Private to Major in the U.S. Army before retiring and making Raeford my home.
Served as County Coordinator of Sandhills Community Action Program, during which time many worthwhile projects were achieved. Also served as a Magistrate of Hoke County.
Received college education over a span of eight years through attendance of night sessions on own time.
Served many years in important administrative positions.
Served four years as a writer and teacher at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma.
Classified military career by serving three years as Chief of Protocol for Fort Bragg, with duties of planning activities for visits by dignitaries from all over the world including the late President John F. Kennedy's visit to Fort Bragg when he dedicated the JFK Center.
I want to serve you, the people of Hoke County, with the same dedication as I have served my country.
I ask for your vote on Aug. 17th.

Paid For By Bill Altman

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NOTICE TO RESIDENT FREEHOLDERS OF HOKE COUNTY OF FIRE DISTRICT ELECTION August 17, 1976

If you are a resident freeholder of the below described fire district, take notice that an election will be held August 17, 1976 at the appropriate Polling places to decide the question of whether or not you as resident freeholders want a levying and collecting of a special tax, this tax not to exceed fifteen (\$15) per one hundred dollars valuation of property, the proceeds of such special tax to be used solely for the establishment and maintenance of fire protection within said district.

PETITION
FIRE DISTRICT ELECTION CRESTLINE FIRE DISTRICT
North Carolina
Hoke County

THE UNDERSIGNED, being RESIDENT FREEHOLDERS LIVING IN A DISTRICT lying outside the corporate limits of any city or town, which district is described below in this petition and shall hereafter be designated as the CRESTLINE FIRE DISTRICT (HOKE COUNTY), petition the BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR HOKE COUNTY to call an election in said district for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters therein the question of levying and collecting a special tax on all taxable property in said district, of an amount not exceeding fifteen cents (\$15) of the one hundred dollars (\$100.00) valuation of property, for the purpose of providing fire protection in said district. The undersigned further petitions that the aforementioned tax shall first be levied for, and fire protection begun in, the fiscal year ending June 30, 1978.

The district for which the fire district election is sought lies within the following boundaries:
Beginning at a point (1) on the Hoke-Moore County line and Fort Bragg Military Reservation; thence in a southeasterly direction along the Fort Bragg Military Reservation line to a point (2) at its dead end Road 1228; thence in a southeasterly direction to a point (3) 1.3 miles from Road 1228, located on the Fort Bragg Military Reservation line; thence in a southwesterly direction to a point (4) located on N.C. Highway 211, 1.3 miles from Road 1228; thence in a westerly direction to a point (5) on Road 1226, 0.3 mile from intersection with Road 1227; thence in a northerly direction to a point (6) at its intersection of Road 1227 and including all property located 500 feet on the left side of the center line of Road 1226; thence in a northwesterly direction to a point (7) located on Road 1228, 0.6 mile from intersection of Road 1226; thence in a northwesterly direction to a point (8) located on Road 1214, 0.9 mile from Road 2077 and 1232; thence in a northwesterly direction to a point (9) located at its dead end of Road 1232 and the Hoke-Moore County line; thence in a northeasterly direction on the Hoke - Moore County line and center line of Road 1232 to a point (10) at its intersection of Road 1214; thence northeasterly direction, 0.4 mile on the Hoke-Moore County line and center of Road 2077 to a point (11) thence in a northeasterly direction to a point (12) located on N.C. Highway 211 at the Hoke-Moore County line, 0.2 mile from Road 2077; thence in a northeasterly direction to a point (1) the beginning.

By order of the County Commissioners
This, the 6 April, 1976
T.B. Lester, Jr. County Auditor
Harold Brock Chmn. Board of Elections

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Shiloh Community House