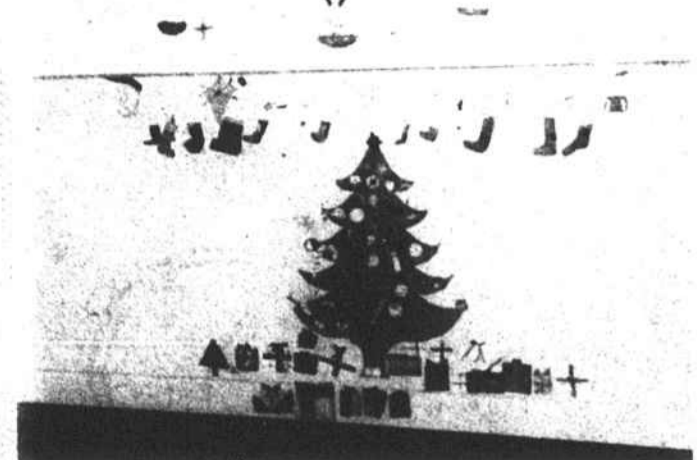


Staff photos by Bill Lindau  
The second floor of J. W. Turlington School is decorated for Christmas with these wall and door pictures fixed up, by students with the help of their teachers and art teacher Donna Bullock. Even Ziggy and his dog came out of their daily cartoon to add to the Christmas spirit.



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## ALL HOKE COUNTY RESIDENTS PROPERTY TAX LISTING

N.C. STATE LAW REQUIRES THAT YOU  
LIST PROPERTY FOR TAX PURPOSES AS SHOWN BELOW:

### WHEN TO LIST:

Beginning at 8:00 A.M. January 4, 1982 through 12:00 Noon Jan. 30, 1982 at the locations noted below.  
(Extensions of time to list may be granted upon written request and for valid reason.)

### WHO MUST LIST—All Residents: Military and Civilian

All persons owning Real or Personal Property in Hoke County must appear before the tax listers for their township during the period of Jan. 4, through Jan. 30, 1982 to list their property for tax purposes.

- FAILURE TO LIST will subject taxpayer to a fine of \$500.00 or imprisonment not to exceed six months.

- All mobile home owners must list and obtain a registration decal.

- All mobile home park and aircraft storage facility operators, must furnish to the tax Supervisor the name of the owner of each aircraft or mobile home and a description of each by Jan. 15, 1982.

- NOTE: Military personnel may be exempt from personal property tax if they submit proof that their "Home of Record" is other than North Carolina.

### WHAT TO LIST — All Real and Personal Property.

- All property owned as of Jan. 1, 1982 must be listed.

- All real property including buildings and improvements, and machinery permanently affixed.

- Household furniture, appliances, T.V.'s, air conditioners, fans, diamonds, and jewelry, typewriters, boats and motors, trailer, etc.

- Farm equipment, livestock, poultry, supplies and products in storage, etc.

- Motor vehicles: all automobiles, trucks, airplanes, motorcycles, campers, etc.

- Business Personal Property: merchandise, finished goods, equipment, furniture and fixtures, goods in process, raw materials, samples, etc.

- Inventories are reported as of the latest completed fiscal year if the business years ends on a date other than Dec. 31.

- ALL OTHER TANGIBLE PROPERTY NOT SPECIFIED

### WHERE TO LIST — By Township

**Allendale** - At the home of Miss Willa McLaughlin Monday through Friday, Jan. 4-30, 1982, 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

**Raeford** - Courthouse Annex - Monday through Friday, 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. and Saturdays - 8:00 A.M. to 12:00 Noon, Jan. 4-30, 1982.

**Antioch, Blue Springs, McLaughlin, Stonewall and Quewhiffle** - in the Hoke County Library, Main St., Raeford, N.C. Monday through Friday, 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. and Saturdays 8:00 A.M. to 12:00 Noon, Jan. 4-30, 1982.

For further information call: 875-8751

L.G. Simpson  
Tax Supervisor



Paul wrote, "I am not ashamed of the Gospel. It is the saving power of God for everyone who has faith."

—Tomans 1:16 (NEB)

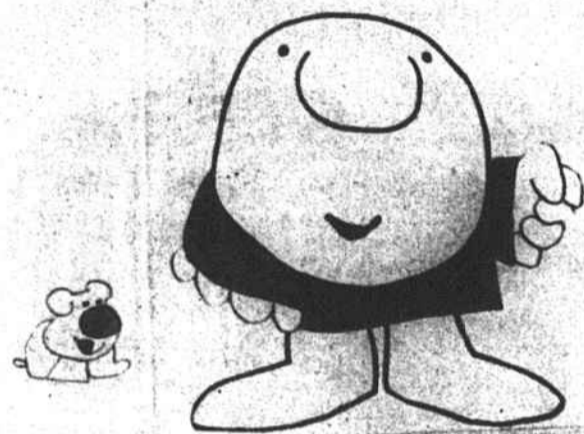
On a trip to the Holy Land, I bought a nativity set for my Sunday school. Carved out of olive wood in Bethlehem itself, the creche had all the traditional figures -- sheep and oxen, wise men and shepherds, Mary and Joseph, and, of course, the baby Jesus.

For the return trip, security at Tel Aviv airport was very strict. I remember thinking they would not trouble to examine my nativity set; it was obviously innocent. But they did. Each figure was carefully scrutinized and even taken away for X-ray examination. "You see," said the security officer, "we must make sure there is nothing explosive in them."

I was permitted to keep my Christmas tableau because it did not contain anything explosive. Yet, in a way the Christmas scene is the most explosive event in history. Jesus' birth sparked a radical change. He came to earth to make God's love visible, transforming the lives of all those who believed His explosive message. Two thousand years later, the power of God's action in Bethlehem still has not diminished.

**PRAYER:** Give us the desire and the courage, O God, to let Jesus transform us. Amen.

**THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:** Christ is still transforming lives.  
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