"Serving Pink Hill, Deep Run, Albertson, Beulaville, And Their Surrounding Areas"

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RECORD-BOOK WINNER - Sonya Cranford, a 15-year-old Lenoir County 4-H'er, is this year's state record book winner in the personal appearance project. She was presented a Bible and a \$75 savings bond by Talbott Capps at the statewide 4-H Donor

Recognition banquet in Raleigh on July 22. Capps, a Kinston resident, provides this award on an annual basis. Sonya is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Aldridge and is a member of the earlybirds



BIG LEAGUER WITH LITTLE LEAGUERS - Michael Jordan. basketball star at UNC-CH, hits it off opening of the Dixie Youth State Baseball Tournament in Kenansville Saturday. Jordan was attending the opening ceremonies and pitched the first ball to open the games. Pictured above with Jordan (center) are Bron and Kenn Thompson of Warsaw.

Croom Family Reunion

The Croom family will assemble for its 52nd annual reunion this year at the Croom Meeting House on Sunday, Aug. 15. Since 1930 the Crooms have been meeting to honor the memory of their descendants, have fellowship and enjoy a picnic lunch together. The morning program will begin at 11 a.m. The oldest and youngest attending and those traveling the greatest distance will be recognized. A brief business session concludes the pro-

This year's program consists of character impersonations of personalities from bygone years. Also, the 52 years of the family reunions

will be reviewed. The Croom Meeting House was built by Lott Croom in 1823. It is owned by the Croom family and contains its original furnishings. It is

located on Highway 55, about eight miles west of Kinston at Sandy Bottom.

Those attending are asked to bring a picnic or covered dish dinner. The picnic will be spread at 12:30 p.m.

Many through the years have worked vigorously to unveil their family history. The Croom family has been traced back to Ireland as outlined in the book, "The Croom Family" by Mrs. Doris C. Outlaw, who plans to attend this year's reunion. Copies will be available.

Thre are many branches of the Croom family and many families have intermarried over the years making most any name familiar at the gathering. Norris Croom, publicity chairman, states the reunion this year is expected to be a good one and encourages all descendants and friends to attend.

CLOTH SALE Saturday

Aug. 7 and Aug. 14

Location: 2nd trailer behind Har Scott Co. Pink Hill, N.C. 8:30 a.m. til 1 p.m.

Remnants -50 yd. Bolt Goods - \$1.00 and \$1.50 per yd. Lining for Quilts - \$1.00 yd. Asst. Jr. Sizes vests \$2.00, dresses \$10.00 and knickers - \$5.00 No Exchanges

JSTC Plans Hike In Fees

Student activity fees will be increased this fall at James Sprunt Technical College in Kenansville to meet student demand for additional activities.

The increases, unanimously approved by the board of trustees last Thursday night, are expected to bring in \$2,000 and increase activities funds to \$13,000 a year, according to Cynthia Dail activities director.

Starting in the fall quarter, the fee for full-time students will be \$27 for the full academic year, an increase of \$7. Part-time students taking up to 6 quarter hours of credit will pay \$4, an in-crease of \$1 or \$2 per quarter.

Students taking seven to 11 quarter hours will pay \$6 per quarter, up \$1. Part-time students taking 12 or more quarter hours will pay \$8 per quarter, up \$2. Sum-



R.L. "Bob" Hood

Hood Receives Plaque dents, at no pay increase. Alfred

R.L. "Bob" Hood recently received a plaque from Lenoir Community College in appreciation for dedicated volunteer service in

pharmacy technology.
Hood initiated the pharmacy technician program in Pink Hill in 1975. Since that time it has developed into a state program with courses being held now at LCC.

Cumberland Community

College and Durham Tech. Since becoming disabled about a year ago, Hood has performed volunteer services with the pharmacy technology program at LCC. He has served on the advisory committee for the last five years and has served as chairman several of those years.

photo by Lynda Stroud



Don't throw out overripe bananas. Mash or sieve them, sprinkle on a little lemon nuice and freeze. Use later in cake or bread batter.



Open For Business

August 6 and 7

Across from Deep Run First Baptist Church

LARGE PARKING AREA

To reserve space, contact Mankie or Aubrey Thompson Phone 568-4369 or 568-4197

\$4.00 tent space \$3.00 yard space



COURT REPORTING

An Associate in Applied Science Degree Program Fall Classes Begin Sept. 8

> Tuition and Fees - \$48.00 Per Quarter Day and Evening Classes

Contact Director of Admissions LENOIR COMMUNITY COLLEGE P.O. Box 188, Kinston, NC 28502-0188 Telephone: 527-6223

Dail

Reunion

The annual Dail reunion

will be held Sunday. August

8, beginning at noon at the

Oakridge Community

food with tea, said Mrs.

Cyrus Rhodes, treasurer.

Bring a picnic basket of

Building

Lenoir Community College

mer quarter students will pay

In other business, the board let a \$49,000 contract to Jackson Builders of Goldsboro for a metal prefabricated storage building. The bid was the lowest among five received by the

Jimmy Strickland was reelected chairman of the board and Willard Hoffler vice chairman for the next year. Both have held their offices since 1965. Strickland owns Farmers Hardware Co. in Warsaw and Hoffler is a retired heavy equipment firm

Perry Alonzo Sharpe, 20. was sworn in as Student Government president. As student president, he is a member of the board without voting autho-Sharpe is enrolled in the

advanced auto mechanics course at JSTC and has completed the heavy duty diesel motor course. He was born in New

Hanover County and grew up in Riegelwood. He is one of seven children.

The board designated several department heads' staff members as vice presi-Wells, student affairs; Dr. Gene Ballard, academic affairs; and Robert A. Lee, fiscal affairs.

Donna Thigpen was designated vice president in charge of administrative affairs. She was assigned additional duties and received a pay increase of \$1,100 as a result. She will take over the media duties formerly carried out by Bill Warren, who resigned because of ill

Nelson Best will receive a pay increase of \$1,000 a year for taking over the photographic duties formerly per-



AUBREY THOMPSON AND MANKIE THOMPSON are opening a new business in Deep Run - The Deep Run Flea Market. The sale will get underway this Friday and operate every Friday and Saturday from 7 a.m. until. The Thompsons have two large 20x50 tents — enough room to accommodate some 25 people to set up. Shelter space and yard space is available. For more information contact the Thompsons at 568-4369 or 568-4197.

Price Summer Clearance Sale

Women-Juniors-Mens Apparel

- SHORTS TOPS
- SKIRTS
 PANTS
- SHOES HANDBAGS
 - SHORTS TIES
 - KNIT SHIRTS SLACKS

Sale Starts Thursday, Aug. 5 at 5 p.m. Open 'Til 9 p.m. We will be closed Thurs. A.M. All Sales Final.

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