

NEWS & VIEWS

BY J. B. HARRIS

SAY "IT AIN'T SO," GOVERNOR

ROCKY MOUNT - Can it be that we are hearing and seeing things in Tarheel these days; or, are the daily news and radio men misquoting our Governor and the revered Secretary of State Thad Eure when they equate the NAACP with the Ku Klux Klan, an organization which spreads hate and terror throughout the land? The NAACP strives to spread the spirit of brotherhood, love and mutual respect for all men and obedience to law and order, and attempt to get unjust laws changed or nullified through public opinion and the courts. When the Governor, too is credited with having said he 'wished the NAACP did not exist' he must have deliberately meant it, because he had had time to reflect on what was said about Thad Eure's having said the same several days ago. Both whites and colored rebuked it. It was a double surprise when Gov. Dan Killian Moore, the "Mountain Man" said the same. Having been partly reared on the south side of Mt. Pisgah Mtn. in Transylvania and Henderson Counties (Brevard to Hendersonville and Saluda) the writer knows for a fact that black Negroes were not popular in Mr. Moore's Canton home area up to as late as 1910 to 1915. As a boy, we knew that only a light-skinned colored person was really accepted in the Canton area. However, there is a Negro high school there today, or was until recently, at least, due to increased Negro population.

Perhaps we need to furnish these State leaders with some NAACP material so that they will learn that the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has - for fifty years--enjoyed the endorsement of every, repeat, every U. S. President since and including President Theodore Roosevelt, who was, at one time connected with NAACP. It has been the practice of most Presidents to send an annual message to our national conventions. Certainly, the government has taken the Negroes trained in Americanism by NAACP and appointed them to the highest positions attained by Negroes. Yet, Messrs Dan Moore and Thad Eure don't want NAACP around, and feel it is as much an undesirable as the KKK. Tonight, we heard Vice-President Hubert Horatio Humphrey say, on "Meet The Press" that rank segregationist have been elected in some area because Negroes only voted about forty per cent of their strength. This is a warning to all of us that we must talk more about registration and voting, and then not be too lazy to go and vote. It is the cheapest way to get our full freedom. Get your minister to get where the action is. "If your preacher doesn't cooperate in rights fight--don't fight him, just don't feed him," W. C. Patton, regional NAACP vote leader said recently.

Mt. Pleasant News

CHURCH COMMUNITY NEWS BY LIZZIE A. JUSTICE

The ministers and deacons union was held at the Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church, on Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 29 and 30. The Saturday's session began with the devotion by members from various churches. The theme was "Church Officers At Work." Following devotion, the business proceeded. The morning speaker was the Rev. Frederick Mangum, from the Riley Hill Baptist Church. Rev. Mangum delivered a very pertinent sermon. Dinner was served at the close of service.

On Sunday morning, Sunday School began at 10 a. m. with the Supt., Mr. Ralph Justice presiding. The morning lesson was "God Calls and Empowers." It was beautifully discussed. After the close of Sunday School, there was a 10 minute intermission.

The morning worship service began with the Juniper Level choir rendering music. The morning speaker was the Rev. G. A. Jones from Juniper Level Baptist Church. Rev. Jones delivered a very spiritual sermon. Everyone enjoyed it. At the close of the service dinner was served.

WACAUNTOKA CAMPOREE The Wacauntoka Camporee was held at Camp Durant Oct. 21, 22, and 23. The troops present were troop 44, 128, 159, 170, and 198. District Executive of camping is Mr. Lawrence E. Allen. The camping chairman is Mr. Clarence Saulters. Each troop won awards. They were as follows: Troop 44 won two ribbons. They were for their camping ability, and attendance. Troop 159 won one ribbon. It was for their camping ability. Troop 128 won two, one for their contest ability, and formality. Troop 170 won two, one for camping and contest. Troop 198 won one for camping. They also received Camporee Patches. Troop 44 has participated in many community and church projects this year. They have also enjoyed many exciting and educational trips. Mr. Eddie Boone is the Scout Master for that troop.

Grade 6: Sharon Thomas, Sheila McDonald, Rita Baker, Mary Hall, Patricia Spinks. Grade 7: Sandra Jones, Michael Howard, Herbert Colvin, Dennis Gunter, Louise Ryles, James Council and Harold Franks. Grade 8: Jacqueline Walden, Jo Ann Taylor, Carol Tabron, David Lynn, Gloria Canaday, Cheryl Council, Carolyn Jones, David Jones, Bernard Richardson, Elva Roland, Violet Farrar, Wanya Cotton, Sherrod Richardson, Alfred Seagraves.

Grade 9: Annie Gunter, Dorothy Franks, Peggy Horton, Patricia Judd, Glenda McMaster, Pamela Thomas. Grade 10: Carolyn Burnett, Irene Estes, Marilyn Jones, Ruth James. Grade 11: Ophraue Baker, Brenda Moore, Gayle Thorpe, Marie L. Harrington, Janice Burt, Belinda S. Smith, Judith Jeffreys. Grade 12: Dorothy Gilbert, Elaine Harris, Clara Jones, Patricia Smith, Mary Wilson, Christine Aiston, Mabel DeIores Baker, Deborah Harris, Thelma Hunter, Bobby Judd, Brenda J. Steele, and Ruby J. Utley.

Rhamkette News

BY MRS. LUCILLE ALSTON RHAMKATTE - Sunday School opened at Watts Chapel Baptist Church at 9:45, with the host church of the Johnston District Baptist Association in charge. Rev. Roger Brodie was the 11 a. m. speaker. He spoke from II Timothy. Rev. Leatha Debnam led the Holy Communion, with Rev. I. C. Lee, Rev. J. H. Branch, and Rev. Odell Williamson assisting. At 2 p. m., the junior choir of St. John AME Church accompanied Rev. Otto Kearney to Good Hope Church in Shotwell. The Rev. C. B. Walton was the 7:30 speaker. He spoke from Ephesians, 6:21 verse. His subject was, "Standing And Fighting." Watts Chapel Baptist celebrated its 28th anniversary. We all had a most high spiritual day.

ANNOUNCEMENTS On Monday, Nov. 7, achievement day will be held at the Occidental Building in Cameron Village. Prayer meeting will be held at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday at St. John AME Church. SICK AND SHUT-IN Mrs. Rosa Johnson, Deacon W. M. Ballentine, and Mr. William Tucker. A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY "Seek ye the Lord while he may be found. Call ye upon him while he is near." - Isaiah 55:6.

will render the musical portion of the closing of the conference. Sunday morning at Mt. Zion Disciple Church in Goldsboro.

Benson News

BY MRS. FLORENCE J. WYNN BENSON - Worship service was held at St. James Disciple Church Sunday evening. The pastor, Rev. Robert Williams, delivered a very inspiring message. Music was rendered by the choir. The offering which was turned in by the following captains, amounted to the sum of \$96.69. Mrs. Cornelia Thorn, Mrs. Lula Williams, Mrs. Leola Amerson, Mrs. Recedan Alford, Mrs. Nora Peacock.

AROUND TOWN Mrs. Francis Earfield is improving in the Betsy Johnson Memorial Hospital in Dunn. Lieutenant Henry Hanson and family left Sunday evening for California, where he will be for a period of 3 months before going to Viet Nam. The St. James Disciples choir



KALIDESCOPE OF SAINT AUG. - Reading clockwise and starting with "Miss Saint Augustine's" for 1966-67 Miss Juanita L. Sneed of Kittrell; Norman T. Mitchell, president of the Student Council and National President of Sigma Rho Sigma Honor Society from Orlando, Fla.; Miss Linda Bailey, Virginia Beach, Va.; Shelton Stewart, Raleigh; Miss Sarah Jenkins, Pittsboro; Richard Peterson, Newburgh, N. Y.; Robert Hoffman, Charlotte; James Sweatt, Roanoke Rapids; Miss Constance Clark, Scotland Neck; Miss Billie A. McRae, Lumberton; Miss Sandra Nesbitt, Miami, Fla.; Lewyn Hayes, Jr.,

Pleasant Grove Union School News

BY OLIVER GARNER AND BARBARA DAY Mrs. M. T. LeCompte is the teacher. HALLOWEEN FESTIVAL The parents, teachers, students and friends of the Pleasant Grove Community enjoyed a night of real fun. Thursday night, Oct. 27, a program entitled "Halloween Merrymakers," was presented.

Master Johnny Day and Miss Annie Thaxton were crowned King and Queen of the Festival. Members of their court were: Denny Nelson Miles, Willie Annette Dewar, Keith Parker, Alita Corbett, Leonard Robinson, Glenda Halth, Ferrell Snipes, Debbie Daye, Dale Lee Kimbers, Arlene Bracy, Willie Bryant, Carolyn Jeffries, Garry Anderson, Melinda Daye, Gene Snipes, Brenda Enoch.

A very lively program followed the crowning of the King and Queen. Grade 1 -- Action Song -- "Ha Ha, This Way." Grade 2 -- Songs -- "It's Halloween Tonight," "Emma Lou My Darling" and "Harvest." Grade 3 -- Choral Reading and Song, "Jack O Lantern" and "On Halloween." Grade 4 -- Dance -- "The Freeze." Grade 5 -- Action Song -- "Bones." Special Education -- Dance -- "Road Runners." Grade 6 -- Dance -- "Black Cat Polka." Grade 7 -- Dance -- "Tiny Michael Does the Shotgun." Grade 8 -- Mock Fashion Show.

The program was enjoyed by all. To add to the entertainment, a cake raffle and a social followed.

Grade 7A presented its annual class program Wednesday, Oct. 26. The play was entitled, "You Among The Stars." The play was a summary of the Science Unit studied by the class. The scene was a science classroom.

Oliver Garner who served as teacher of the class, attempted to show man's place in this universe. Students placed on a very large board, Venus, Mars, Saturn, Neptune, Mercury, Earth, Jupiter, Uranus and Pluto, the planets of the solar system and then gave descriptions of each. It was hoped by the class and teacher that the information presented would aid in answering some of the many questions asked by children about the sky.

The participants were Garry Anderson, Levi Brand, Jerry Currie, Linwood Dixon, Ronnie Enoch, Willie Grant, Charles Graves, Melvin Jeffries, Robert Kimber, Anthony Miles, Robert King, Hal White, Judy Bigelow, Doris Burnett, Barbara Daye, Oliver Garner, Rebecca King, Sharon Leath, Gwendolyn Robertson, Carrie Thaxton, Ike Dwight Smith, and Neal D. White.

The program was quite informative and enjoyed by all.

St. Monica's School News

SCIENCE FAIR The Seventh and Eighth grade students of St. Monica's School held a science fair Wed., Fri., Oct. 26-28, under the direction of Sister M. Callista S. H. M. First prize winners was Wilhemena Britt, whose project was a diagram of a fish. Second place winner was Gwendolyn Debnam, whose project was color paint and light. Third place winner was Jacqueline James who project was Eggs and chickens. First prize for group projects were Walter Whitten and Dwight Johnson whose project was a simple machine. Second place was given to Fonda Barrett and Kim Hewitt for their project on Star Constellations. Much was learned by the parents and school children who came to view the well done projects. Reporter: Maza Hicks,

Raleigh; Miss Carolyn Webb, Weldon; Miss Gwen Wright, Bridgeton, N. J.; Miss Jewell Jones, Ft. Pierce, Fla.; Miss Ma'inda Williams, Screven, Ga.; Enoch Dukes, Miami, Fla.; Miss Mary Yeargin, Owings, S. C.; Miss Carol Payton, Oxford; and Miss Cynthia L. Brown, Spartanburg, S. C. This goes to show that St. Augustine's and its students are really ready to usher in the next 100 years. Also shown at extreme right, top, is Douglas Wayne Pieper, a Caucasian student from New York.



PRESENTING 'MISS HOMECOMING' - Samuel Thomas, president of the North Carolina College Student Government Association, presents Miss Evelyn J. Middleton, the college's "Miss Homecoming," to homecoming fans during halftime ceremonies at O'Kelly Field Saturday, October 22. A native of Tabb, Va., and English major at NCC, Miss Middleton was chosen homecoming queen by members of the Eagles' football squad, who made Saturday a happy occasion by defeating the Maryland State College Hawks, 12-6.

Garner Community News

BY ROY L. COLLINS CHURCH NEWS SPRINGFIELD BAPTIST GARNER - Church School began at 10 a. m. with Mr. T. B. Jiles in charge. The school opened with the singing of "Count On Me." Prayer was offered by Deacon Longworth Whitaker. The lesson was, "Jeremiah, The Reluctant Prophet." The lesson was reviewed by Mr. Jiles. Miss Monica Hinton is secretary.

JUNIPER LEVEL BAPTIST - Rev. G. A. Jones, choir and congregation rendered services for the Ministers and Deacons Union in place of Sunday School at the Mount Pleasant Baptist Church. Everyone enjoyed. Rev. Jones, choir, and congregation also rendered services at the Grace AME Zion Church Raleigh for Rev. Perry's anniversary. They reported a swell time.

GOOD SAMARITAN BAPTIST - Sunday School began at 10 a. m. with the Supt., Mr. Johnnie Hinton, Jr., presiding. The Church School lesson was, "Jeremiah, The Reluctant Prophet." and it was reviewed by Mrs. Salome McClain. Miss Barbara Archibald is acting secretary.

SICK LIST Let us pray for and visit the sick; Mrs. Lula Leach, Mrs. Janie Penix, Mrs. Betty Whitaker, Mrs. Alma Turner, and Mr. Andrew Turner. ANNIVERSARY TO BE CELEBRATED The Springfield Baptist Church will observe its 100th anniversary, Sunday Nov. 6, beginning with morning worship, with the pastor, Rev. W. E. Edgerton, in charge. Afternoon service will be at 3 p. m. with the former pastor, Rev. O. H. Brodie, along with Rev. C. P. Briley and choir of Wake Baptist Grove in charge of music. Dinner will be served and the public is invited.

Lockhart School News

REV. ALEXANDER SPEAKS KNIGHTDALE - The Rev. James Alexander, Shaw University minister, delivered a challenging and inspirational message to the Lockhart Student body, on Oct. 19.

"There is a lesson to be learned from this small object," projected Rev. Alexander, as he displayed a straight pin to the audience. "Like this pin," continued Rev. Alexander, "we should have a point. What is your point? Why are you in school. Does your life have a point. Life opens before you with mighty possibilities and one of your major decisions is to decide what shall I do with myself."

The speaker reminded the group that it is easier to stay straight than to get straight once you become crooked. "You know what your weaknesses are, and the point at which you bend easily," cautioned Rev. Alexander. "It is wise not to toy with your weaknesses. Instead use your head and discipline your minds so that you can become a productive individual."

Closing remarks were given by the principal, R. H. Toole. The music for the occasion was furnished by the Girls Ensemble under the direction of Mrs. L. W. Highsmith. Mrs. G. P. McCall was in charge of the program.

OTHER ASSEMBLY PROGRAMS A group of orientation programs was launched at Lockhart in an effort to get the students off to a good start for this school year. The first of these was presented by the members of the Student Council under the direction of Mrs. E. H. Dempsey, Guidance Counselor, and Mr. M. M. Taylor. The president's message, delivered by Priscilla Manning, reminded the students of their responsibilities as good school citizens. Officers of the Student Council and other participants on the program were: Helen Canady, vice president; Doris Ann Dunn, secretary; Linwood Stagers, treasurer.

The next assembly program was given by the members of the Tenth Grade who presented a short playlet entitled "To Pass or Not to Pass." The skit emphasized the importance of being resourceful, showing initiative and working on your own. Mr. M. M. Taylor is advisor of the class.

The final orientation program was offered by the members of the senior class, presented in the form of a panel discussion, centered around the theme "Tips for School." Panel members and topics discussed were: Bobbie Hinton, School Spirit; A Good School Citizen, Mary Primus; School Rules, Priscilla Manning; Suggestions for Studying, Ruby Bradsher; and Etiquette, Josephine Robertson and Carol Ferrel. Mr. E. D. Smith is advisor of the group.

Chapel Hill News BY MRS. SUSIE N. WEAVER CHAPEL HILL - The Steering Committee on Housing Authority, will meet Thursday, November 3, at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Weaver at 310 Brooks St. Members are asked to please be present.

The trip to Luray Caverns, Va., was enjoyed by all. It was a great spiritual lift. Mr. Richard D. Aldwell was the bus driver. Those who attended were: Mr. Freddie Edwards, Little Miss Atwater, Mrs. Argora Smith, Mrs. Grace Franklin, Mrs. Gladys Fikes, Little Miss Cleo Caldwell, Miss Merrell Atwater, Miss Wanda Weaver, Master Joseph Webb, Mrs. Emma T. Atwater, Mrs. Argora Smith, Mrs. Grace Franklin, Mrs. Gladys Fikes, Mrs. Lucharity Cattlak, Mrs. Annie Bell McCauley, Mrs. Susie H. Weaver, and Mrs. Margie Russell.

Mr. Charle Lassiter, of Lindsay St., just celebrated a happy birthday. World Community Day, sponsored by the United Church Women, will be Friday, Nov. 4, at 8 p. m. at the Presbyterian Church of Chapel Hill. The address will be given by Mrs. Elizabeth Cray Vining. Soloist will be Mrs. Bynum Weaver; organist, Mrs. Robert E. Seymour. Everyone is invited.

W. Cary High School News CARY - The Student Council of the West Cary High School, is off to a good start, under the supervision of Mrs. L. D. Jones.

On Friday Oct. 20, the installation service was held. The theme for this year is, "The Growth of Tomorrow Depends Upon the Seeds of Today." During the induction ceremonies by Mr. J. E. Byers, principal, the president, Roney Harris, accepted the gravel of leadership. Vice president Paul Pope accepted the scroll of leadership and liberty. Secretary Lynda Chavis accepted the quill of thought and recorded action, Helen Owens, recording secretary, accepted the organizational seal, Carol Wall, Treasurer, accepted the torch of honor and citizenship, Charlotte Wall, reporter, accepted the records of the profession. Robert Wall, Sergeant at Arms, accepted the torch of responsibilities, and Parliamentarian, Anthony Bunch accepted the torch of honor and citizenship.

Franklinton News FRANKLINTON - Mrs. Mattie Whitley Paul, of Boston, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Arrendelle of Washington, D. C., and Mr. Howard Perry of Mount Vernon, N. Y., are house guests of Mrs. Callie Wilder. They are former residents of this community.

Woman's Day was observed at the First Baptist Church, Rev. J. D. Lockley is pastor. Mrs. Emma L. Tabron was chairman of this activity. People attended from the various churches of the community.

Rev. A. L. Morgan of Youngsville, N. C. was speaker for the 11 a. m. service at the Allen Chapel Methodist Church. The Wake Chapel choir rendered music for this service. Mr. Jerome Anderson, a member of the Mt. Pleasant United Presbyterian Church, is now a patient in the Wake Forest Branch Hospital, Wake Forest.

WORLD SERIES DEAN LOS ANGELES - The "Team" of the 1966 World Series in which the Baltimore Orioles blanked the favored Los Angeles Dodgers, 4-0, was veteran third baseman Junior Gilliam. It was Gilliam's seventh series in 14 seasons, the most any National Leaguer has played with the same club.

homecoming. They reported a swell event. A THOUGHT FOR A WEEK: "Prayer changes things."

Taber City News TABOR CITY - Thining Day was observed at Hawes Chapel Missionary Baptist Church on Sunday, Oct. 20, at 11 a. m. The pastor and the Jr. Choir were in charge of morning worship, with Mrs. Inez Ferrell at the piano.

The sermon was by Rev. Singletary based on Malachi 3:9-10, and entitled, "The Question of Robbing God." Morning offering followed: \$142.