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Felton

Mrs. Walter Moore

Felton United Methodist Church, holy communion, Jan. 3. The Rev. Charles M. Moyer's communion sermon was "Living With Leftovers." Layman Richard Adams assisted Rev. Moyer with the communion service. The old communion service was used to serve the communion for this new year communion. Wednesday, Jan. 13, first meeting of Bible study group for senior high youth and adults. The study book to be used is "Inquiry - A Search For Faith" in addition to the Bible. If you would like to be a part of this group please contact the pastor. This Sunday, Jan. 17, is reconciliation Sunday. A special offering for the fund for reconciliation will be taken.

Family life and youth coordinators. There will be a special meeting Saturday, January 30th, at Wesley Church, Dover, to present methods and materials which promote communications between parents and youth.

The first meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service in the new year will be held Monday, Jan. 11, at 2 p.m., in the fellowship hall. Mrs. Charles Harrison will be acting president for the meeting. Mrs. Marion McGinnis is in charge of the worship service and Mrs. James Raughley will have the program for the day. The hostesses for the afternoon will be Mrs. L. E. Cain Sr., Mrs. Charles Harrison, Mrs. Marion McGinnis and Mrs. James Raughley.

The Avon Club of Felton will meet in the Felton Fire Hall Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock for a meeting on "Home Life". Mrs. Nelson Hammond is chairman and Mrs. Hubert Dill is co-chairman. The committee assisting Mrs. Hammond and Mrs. Dill is Mrs. Earl McCall, Mrs. Erwin Richter, Mrs. Charles Bostick Sr., Mrs. Clifford Cabbage and Mrs. William M. Hammond. The guest speaker for the day will be Mrs. Jean H. Cranston, Kent County economist from Dover.

The usual prizes were given this year for Christmas decorations in town and surrounding community. The first prize went to Mr. and Mrs. William W. Griffin on Gay Street in Felton. The second prize in town went to William Myers Jr., Jefferson Street. Honorable mention in town was the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jacobs on Main St. Out of town the first prize went to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Starkey on Church Street. The second prize went to Mr. and Mrs. William Beddle in Felton Manor. For honorable mention out of town was the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGinley. The prize for the best decorated business place went to Mrs. Eva Fletcher's Nursing Home. Honorable mention went to the nursing home of

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Fletcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Hughes spent Christmas Day with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hughes and sons, Billy, Jeff and David in Kirkwood Gardens, Wilmington. They all visited Longwood Gardens, Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jester were Christmas Day dinner guests of their son-in-law and daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart and sons, Billy and David near Delmar.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Furlong and son, Scott of Island Park, New York have returned home after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Kates.

Christmas holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harrison were their daughter and family, Mrs. Imogene Stallings, children, Patty, Chris and Mark of Hanover, N. J., and Mrs. Harrison's sister, Miss Thalia Budd of Asbury Park, N. J.

Mrs. Archie Dill is still a patient in the Kent General Hospital, Dover.

William Moore returned home on Friday from Milford Memorial Hospital, where he has been a heart patient.

Wednesday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Torbert were Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Torbert and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Torbert.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wesley Moyer of Lansdale, Pa., spent the weekend at the parsonage with Rev. and Mrs. Charles M. Moyer and son, Michael.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Short and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Donavon of Seaford spent the holidays at Orlando and

Keywest, Fla., with Mr. and Mrs. William A. Short and son, Chris.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Torbert entertained a few friends at cards, New Year's eve at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Brittingham are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Brett Eric, Jan. 1st at the Kent General Hospital, Dover. Mrs. Brittingham is the former Miss Betty Yocum. The proud great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ola Brittingham Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Donaway returned home on

Saturday after spending the Christmas holidays in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Torbert and Mrs. Lynn Torbert were Saturday dinner guests of Mrs. Janet Smith in Ocean City, Md. Also present at the dinner was Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Thelma Becker of Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Courtland Dill entertained at dinner

and cards Saturday evening. The guests were, Mr. and Mrs. William D. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Reed Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Moore.

Mrs. William Zenzer has returned home to Trenton, N. J., after spending several weeks with Dr. and Mrs. Howard Henry.

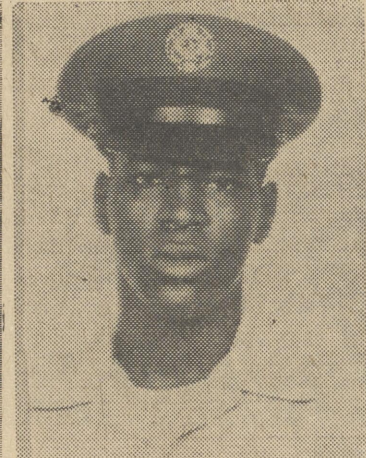
Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Torbert attended a dinner on

Sunday at the home of their nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alcorn of Thompson Estates, Elkton, Md.

Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Moore and sons, David and Mark, were Samuel Walters Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Moore.

Mrs. A. C. Dill has returned home after spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. William Parsons, Seaford since the death of Mr. Parsons on Dec. 22.

Armed Forces News



Airman Stanley Higgins Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Higgins Sr., of First Street, Greenwood, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to Sheppard AFB,

Tex., for training as a medical services specialist. Airman Higgins attended Woodbridge High School.

Navy Seaman William J. Dempsey, son of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Dempsey of Route 2, Milford, was graduated from recruit training at the Recruit Training Center, San Diego.

Dempsey, is a 1970 graduate of Milford High School.

Marine Cpl. Michael W. Deusa, son of Mrs. Helen S. Nickerson of 209 Weiner Ave., Harrington was promoted to his present rank while serving with Marine Fighter Attack Squadron 334 at the Marine Corps Air Station, Iwakuni, Japan.

Trinity United Methodist Church

10:00 a.m. - church school with classes for all ages, LeRoy Calhoun, supt.

11:00 a.m. - morning worship, the pastor's theme, "The Light of the Ages." Special music by the Junior and Senior Choir

The greeters and flowers are arranged by the Loyal Workers Class.

Tuesday, January 12th at 8:00 p.m. the O.U.R. will meet in the chapel for their regular meeting.

Thursday, January 14th, the Junior Choir will meet at 6:45 in the chapel and the Senior Choir will meet at 8:00 p.m.

Wendy Chambers

Wendy Chambers, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Chambers Jr., of Canterbury died at birth last Thursday in Kent General Hospital, Dover.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by a sister, Bonnie Chambers, and a brother, Jeff Chambers, both at home; her paternal grandmother, Mrs. Mabel Chambers of Viola; her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Layton Jr., of Harrington; and her maternal great-grandfather, Wilbur Layton Sr., also of Harrington.

Private services were held Sunday afternoon at the Berry Funeral Home, Felton. Interment was in Barratt's Chapel Cemetery, Frederica.

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I joined the Harrington Jaycees and at that time became interested in the affairs of the City of Harrington. I have participated in the following programs: In 1967 I chaired a program in Community development. We painted curbing, stop signs posts and street sign posts. I have

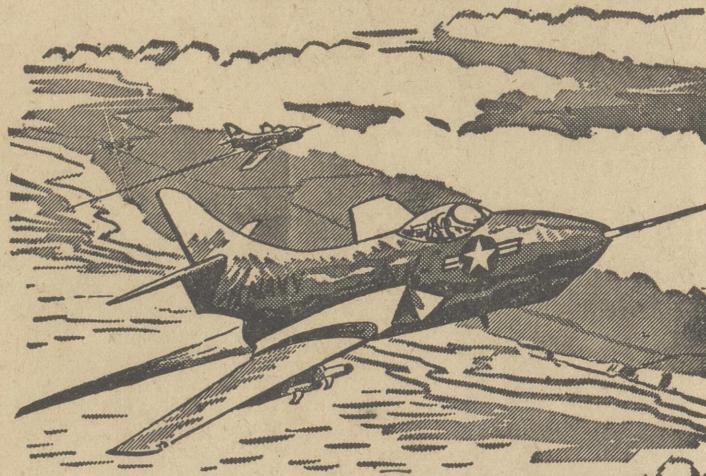
been chairman of the Christmas parade since 1967 and including the years of 1968, 1969 and 1970. I was also chairman of the Christmas lighting from 1967 to 1969. In 1967 I was the representative from the Junior Chamber of Commerce to the City Council meetings. I was President of the Harrington Jaycees in 1968 and Vice President in 1967.

I feel a concern and responsibility to the community and hope to serve the City of Harrington by being your Councilman.

Respectfully, JACK WYATT

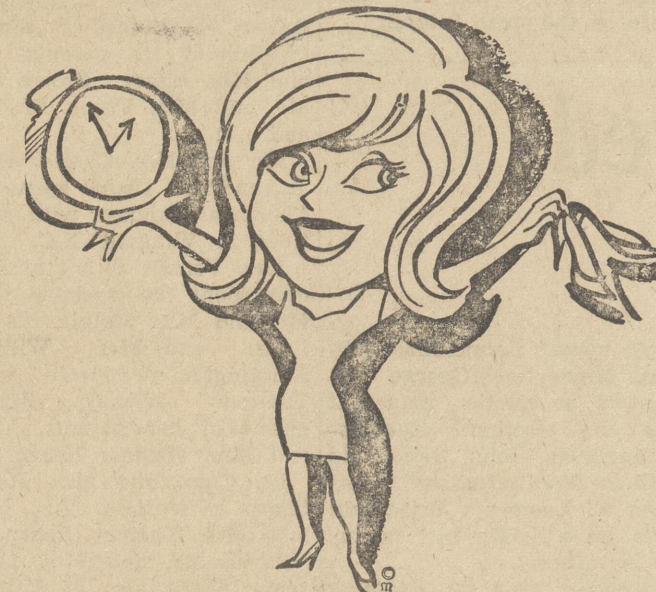
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**"A Little Bit of This!
 And a Whole Lot of That!"**
 By W. C. Burgess

"THE HALF-TRACK FROM ORAN, Algiers.

Do I appreciate the dead? Yes! Sir! And here goes the story: This guy's initials are A. G., and if you don't think he was tough, ask Kid Mitchell, and Goldie, and Trout Wyatt and perhaps Lieut.-Gen. Joe Scannell of the Delaware National Guard (ret.)

It seems like this cat had everything in mind for himself; but inasmuch as he grew up on the wrong side of the tracks (like W. C. did), he didn't achieve his goal.

This A. G. joined the regular army at Ft. DuPont 35 years ago (or there about) at \$9 a month. Oh! my! Back to the story:—"THE HALF-TRACK OF ORAN."—It seems like this cat was whooping it up, in Oran, one night. (No! I was never there!); and closing time came and so the poor guy had to hoof it home. And along came two drunken GI's in a half-track. They stopped the halfie and offered to give AG a ride, but of course, AG was delighted and accepted; they went down the road a little ways and ran into a land mine; AG got a broken leg out of that one; and two and a half years in the stockade—so he told me. It seems like if you have a bad record—no one will believe you!

The halfie, it seems like, was stolen from the MP station in Oran.

AG used to come in once in awhile on Saturdays and we would drown a few and talk about the war and then one day we took a ride out to Sandtown; AG got his wife and her son in the car; and took them on into Sandtown. The stepson was driving the Volkswagen at the time. When we left Sandtown the stepson froze at the wheel (or something) and we went right straight into a ditch. Along comes the Hartly ambulance, and the boys kinda knew who I was—but poor AG—"I thought he was dead."—They pulled him out by his broken arm; and took him to Kent General Hospital giving him artificial respiration all the way. Drunk on the highway—"my eye, we wuz out in the middle of a field. They keep poor old AG in the hospital for three or four hours; and then I guess they found he couldn't pay or something; so pretty soon here comes a familiar vice saying, "move over old buddy." It was A G broken arm and all; in the cooler with old W. C. Cooper found who I was in the hospital, it seems like they always give you a checkup after a "hullabaloo," so Cooper out of Troop No. 3. knew my face alright but not my name. He picks up a Harrington Journal, and he knew right away who I was. Oh! Well! No wonder; some of these days if things keep up; perhaps, I'll have my own police force."

Judge Knotts was very nice about the whole thing. "Now you boys brings, \$31.50 with you at the trial. At the arraignment, who do you think was Lt. Charles G. Lamb, out of Troop No. 3. He later became Col. Charles G. Lamb—AG knew him all the time, it seems like—otherwise, perhaps Cooper, out of Troop No. 3, would have taken us himself. The Lieut. peeped his head out the door and said that he would take us to the arraignment. "It seems like, once in a while, the cop is a man's best friend!"

Letter To Editor

A Tribute

Fulton J. Downing, twice Harrington's mayor, twice its president of Rotary, is gone. Liked by some, admired by many, but respected by all, he was Harrington's ambassador at large wherever he went. When his travels took him through Europe, South America, or during the many visits he made in the United States, the introduction was always the same - Fulton Downing, Mayor of Harrington, in state of Delaware, U.S.A. - or, when the occasion demanded during his visits to other Rotary Clubs both here and abroad, it was the same except that it included - president of Harrington Rotary.

Harrington, Delaware, was never far from his mind. During his meetings and visits with Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, John Glenn, Joan Crawford, Ed Sullivan, foreign ambassadors and governors, as well as other dignitaries, he took the name of his adopted town with him and literally wore it on his lapel as proudly as he did his past-president's Rotary pin. His was an inquisitive mind. Never satisfied with knowing why something operated, he would persist, until he understood the details of how it did so. This was borne out while on his many visits outside this country. On one such occasion he spent time in the broiler rooms of a vessel that was

taking him to the Bahamas. He questioned the crew as well as its officers, and, incidentally, when at his destination, met with the governor of the islands at Kingston.

Fulton could have lived anywhere and brought the same recognition to whatever town he might have chosen to call home, but - he chose Harrington. He was a plodder, for despite criticisms and questionings, he would pursue his course until accomplishment.

He will be missed, to be sure, but those left behind, we can only be thankful that he chose us as his fellow townspeople for the many years he lived among us.

Mel Brobst
Rotarian

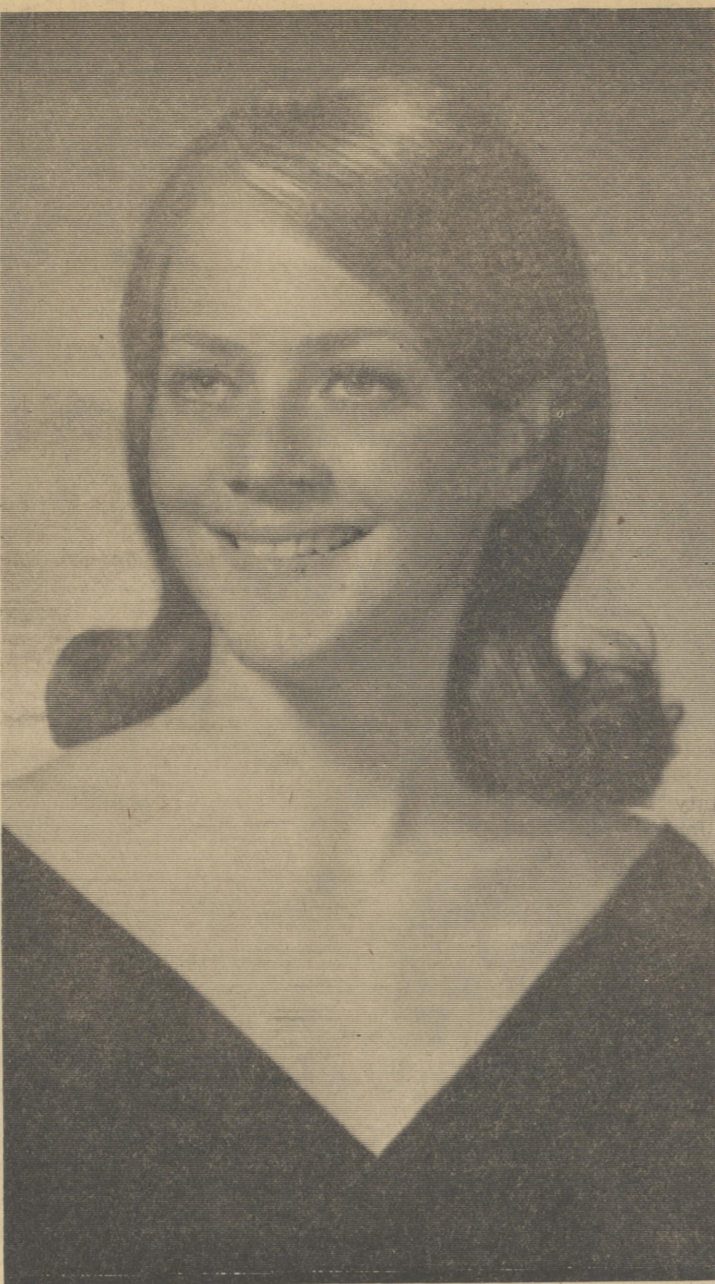
Letter To Editor

Complaint from Paradise people

To the Editor,
 You did a wonderful job on the passing of a great civic leader from our midst and I was hopeful of conveying something appropriate in a Paradise Pasture gesture which appeared along side your well worded column, where it would have been possible to clip them out together for mailing to our many friends throughout the railroad system.

This, however was defeated by one little fault in the last verse of the poem; the word "Follow" was left out and "Falt" in its place, destroying the entire thought.

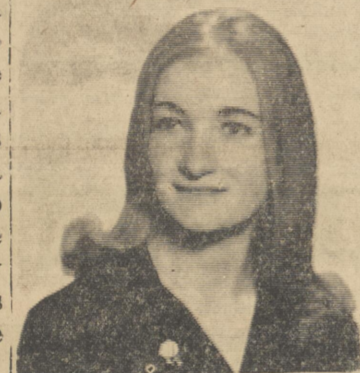
Sorry



Miss Joan Elaine Smith Engaged To Ellis Myer II

Dr. and Mrs. Robert H. Rodney School District. Miss Smith attended the University of Maryland where she was a member of Alpha Phi Sorority. She is a December graduate of the University of Delaware. A March 27 wedding is planned.

Letter to Editor



ing year, I send you all my love and best wishes.
 Anita Sapunar
 Casilla 2894
 La Paz - Bolivia
 S.A.
 P.S. Write to me, please

Letter to Editor

Dear Carrington,
 Here's check for Harrington Journal. Hope you and yours have a nice holiday. Stop in and see us up here in the mountains where it's just beautiful. 30 inches of snow. Two days 24 below zero but lot of things to do. Skiing and snow mobiles are the biggest.
 In the evenings I've walked up the mountains watching the moon rise over another mountain and the stars so big and bright and trees (white birch) glittering with snow and the spruce and fir ever so green and everything one seems to think of has a melody nature speaking, beautiful. Sorry to hear about Mr. Downing. Sorry I'm late with check. Will fill you in on more life in Maine later.

Sincerely
 Roland Melvin
 Stop in for Suana Bath. We have one at camp.

Dear Carrington,
 As I watch the Johnny Cash show next Wednesday evening and see guest star Connie Smith - and learning today of Fulton Downing's passing, I will be reminded of that night at the fair when Mr. Downing introduced me to Connie Smith as a good Christian man. What better introduction could one ever get? I see what Apostle James meant again, when he said "life is but a vapor." Fulton Downing was a good competitor, a man interested in others. Yes a good man. As I think of Mr. Downing I'm reminded:
 Good men must die,
 And some would question, why?
 But Jesus knows what's best,
 And called him home to rest.
 It's appointed unto men, once to die
 And there's no need to question, why?
 God has promised and it must stand
 But, what a view in the promised land.
 A friend and brother gone today
 To a better place, a better way,
 He can't come back to us no more, but
 We can meet him on Heavens shore.

Roland Melvin
 Day Mountain Road
 Temple, Maine

Days Of Our Years

Ten Years Ago

Fri. Jan. 6, 1961

William J. Paskey Jr., was re-elected president of the Felton Fire Company and took his office Wednesday night in the fire hall. Other officers installed were as follows: Vice president, J. Edward Moore; secretary, Roland Neeman; treasurer, Norman Jackson; fire recorder, William A. Robinson, and chief, Wilbur Sherwood Jr.

There appears to be three contests for Democratic committee posts in the Ninth Representative District, but the outlook may be changed since the deadline on filing is tomorrow. The elections for the committee posts will be held Sat., Jan. 21. In the First Election District of the Ninth Representative District, George S. Graham, city manager, who has been acting committeeman since the death in August of Charles Hopkins has filed. Also filing for the post is William A. Minter, Mrs. Kathryn Simpson, incumbent committeewoman, has filed and will be opposed by Mrs. Eva Raughley.

The final meeting of the outgoing City Council saw little action Monday evening in its January meeting. It was the final session for Councilmen Alan Rutledge and Clarence Collins whose terms expire. The term of Mayor Charles L. Peck Sr., also expires but he had indicated he will run for reelection in the municipal elections Tuesday.

Bruce Smith and Ronald Collison, 1959 graduates of Harrington High School, have joined the Air Force. They left Thursday for Ft. Holabird, Baltimore. From there they will take a commercial air flight from Friendship Airport to Lackland AFB, San Antonio, Tex., where they will take the first five weeks of their basic training.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. West and son, Bill, of Georgetown, visited Mrs. West's sister, Mrs. L. H. Rogers, New Year's Day.

Twenty Years Ago

Fri., Jan. 5, 1951

A meeting of the electors, or voters, of Harrington will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Firehouse to nominate candidates for mayor and two councilmen for the city elections.

Robert Burton Ellingsworth, 70, died Tuesday in Kent General Hospital, Dover after a long illness. He was a meat cutter and had worked in stores of Milford, Harrington and Felton.

Louis Boka, stationed at Chincoteague, Va., was a weekend guest of Miss Jeanette Lester.

Mrs. Geneva Hurd and Mrs. Norman Brown spent Tuesday in Washington.

The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Willard S. Jester, celebrated Monday at their home near Hollandsville, was indeed a very lovely affair.

Joseph Calloway, a bread salesman, who resides between Milford and Harrington, became so interested in watching the Mummer's Parade in Philadelphia on his television set Monday that he failed to notice his house was on fire.

Little Alice Hearn spent Sunday and New Year's Day with her grandparents at Lincoln.

Mrs. Regina Carpenter Brown left Saturday for El Paso, Tex., where she will join her husband, Sgt. Raymond Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sylvester entertained with a family dinner Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. G. Preston Ward Mrs. E. L. Brown, Miss Shirley Ward and Mr. and Mrs. William J. Ward all of Dover.

A deficit of approximately \$37,000 two years ago, was turned into a balance of \$7861.42 as of Tuesday by the retiring Kent County Levy Court. The court which left office after a two-year tenure was composed of Charles G. Moore, Hartly, president; State Senator Walter W. Handsberry, Leipsic, and Ralph Wine, Woodside. The first two are Democrats and the latter, a Republican.

Andrewville

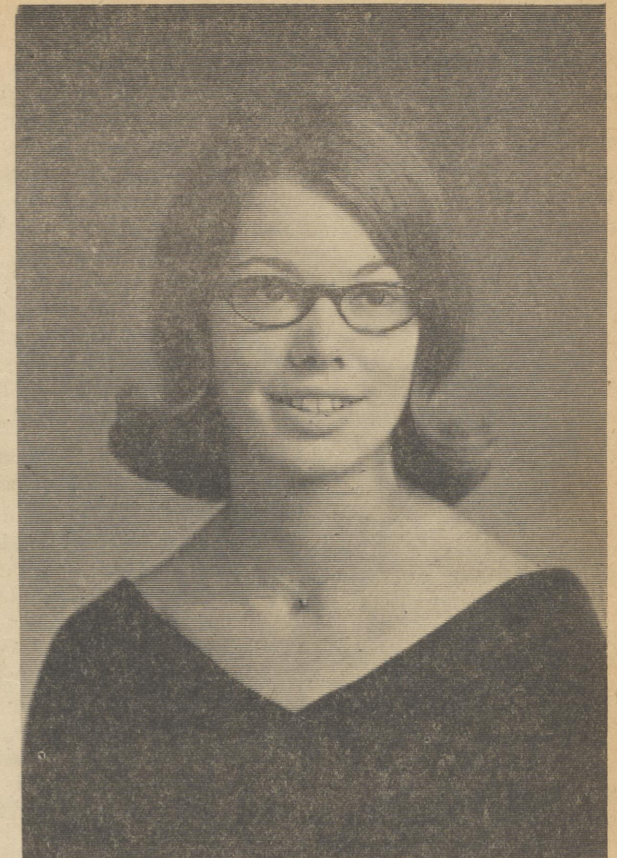
Mrs. Florence Walls

Preaching service at Bethel Church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. Robert Ross, pastor.

Sunday School at 10 o'clock Lester Larimore, supt.

Rev. Robert Ross spent the Christmas holiday with his parents in New York.

Herbert Lane spent several days of his Christmas vacation visiting his mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Booth in Orlando.



Miss Darlene Collison

Collison - Holloway Vows Planned

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Collison, Denton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Darlene, to Dale W. Holloway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Holloway, Harrington. The bride-to-be is a graduate of North Carolina High School and employed by Choptank Electric Cooperative, Denton. Her fiancée is a graduate of Lake Forest High School and employed by Joseph T. Richardson, Inc. No date has been set.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Breeding and Mrs. Florence Walls were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Walls, Mrs. Elver Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Arley Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baker and children, Mrs. Donald Jones, Miss Susan Papola, Jerry Hayman.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Cannon entertained relatives and friends over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Strange and family of Philadelphia visited their mother, Mrs. Amelia Vincent last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arley Bradley visited Mr. and Mrs. John Bradley Sr., last week.

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