

## West Side News



By Hattie C. Dyson

Mr. A. A. ALEXANDER, Assistant Supervisor of Negro Education, DELIVERS COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS AT McLAURIN HIGH SCHOOL, FLORENCE, MISS.

Mr. A. A. Alexander, delivered the commencement address at McLaurin High School in Rankin county, Wednesday night. He spoke on the subject, "The Life I Build." Under this topic he listed seven guides for the graduates to follow in build-

ing this life for themselves. They were: 1) hard work, 2) ambition, 3) character, 4) determination and perseverance, 5) enjoyment, 6) trustworthiness, and 7) a genuine liking for people. Mr. J. C. McLaurin, principal of the school, presented Mr. A. A. Alexander.

MISS ELOISE ALEXANDER AND MISS DOROTHY JEAN HICKS, TOP HONOR STUDENTS AT McLAURIN HIGH. Miss Eloise Alexander, valedictorian of the class, gave an eloquent address. This outstanding young lady received the Rankin county scholarship and the P.T.A. scholarship. Congratulations, Miss Alexander! Miss Dorothy Jean Hicks, received the next highest honor as salutatorian of the class, and delivered a fine speech. Hat's off to you too, Miss Hicks, for receiving the scholarship from her church, New Hope Missionary Baptist Church, in Florence.

MRS. MILDRED WILL-

IAMS AND SON TO VISIT DENVER, COLORADO, THIS SUMMER.

Mrs. Mildred Williams, first grade teacher at West Side School, Along with her son, Lyvone, will spend their summer in the beautiful state of Colorado, with her husband Mr. Daniel Williams, who is currently working there. Mrs. Williams and her son left for this splendid vacation, Thursday night.

MRS. JETHER BROWN LEAVES FOR SUMMER SESSION AT INDIANA UNIVERSITY

Mrs. Jether Brown, left Saturday night for Indiana University where she will continue study for her master's degree. She is presently a sixth grade teacher at the W. H. Walton School.

CARTER HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

The commencement exercises of the Carter High School, took place on June 1, 1961 at 7:30 p.m. The very

good commencement address was delivered by Mr. A. J. Finch, principal of Wilkinson County Training School, in Woodville, Mississippi.

SHARON ANN BURNETTE, VALEDICTORIAN, spoke around the theme, "Ye are the Salt of the Earth." The Salutatorian's address, given by SYLVIA MCDONALD, WAS CENTERED AROUND the theme "Being prepared for the future." Music for the occasion was given by the Carter High School Female Ensemble, The Glee Club, and The Carter High Female Sextet. Special music was rendered by tenor soloists, Robert Gilbert & T. G. Simon.

## Utica News

Regular Services were held at the Green Hill Church of Christ Holiness, Sunday, May 28, 1961 with the Rev. J. L. Rial's bringing the message, from Hosea the 5th chapter, and the 8th verse. He spoke on the subject, "Then Shall

We Know If We Follow On To Know The Lord."

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Mrs. Helen E. Smith McGill and Master Edward McGill are visiting in the home of her parent, Mr. and Mrs. Ivory Smith. She plans to attend summer school at Jackson State College during her stay.

Mr. Charles Eugene Hicks left Saturday with his brother, William James Hicks, for Wayne Michigan, where he will attend summer school.

Many guests were present in the home of Mr. & Mrs. Talmage Ross, Sunday evening, AM 4:30 P.M. and enjoyed the tasty refreshments served them at their tea.

The Sick and Shut Ins this

week are Mr. Samuel Earl Montgomery and Mrs. Clementine Smith.

## Hazlehurst News

By Roosevelt Strong, Agent AN ORDINARY MEMBER

Just an ordinary member of the Church, I heard one say, but you'd always find him present when, even on a rainy day. He had a hearty hand clasp for the stranger in the aisle, and a friend who was in trouble, found sunshine in his smile. When the sermon helped him, he told the preacher so. And when he needed comfort, he let the pastor know. His talents were not many, but his love for God is true. His prayers were not in public, but he prayed for you and me. And ordinary member? I think that I would say. He was an extraordinary member, in an humble sort of way. — copied —

A Men's Day Rally will be held at the Temple Church, Sunday, June 18, 1961 at 2:30 p.m. Each and every one of you is invited to come and worship with them on this day. The pastor is the Rev. J. O. Rail's, and Sister Mary Farley is the Secretary.

## Brandon Notes

By Robert L. Williamson

On June 18, at 11:00 a.m. the Rock Star Sunday is sponsoring a county program in which various persons are asked to represent the counties of Mississippi. The public is cordially invited.

On June 11, 1961, at 2:00 p.m., Mrs. Johnnie White will speak at the Wesley M. E. Church in Brandon. The public is invited to come and hear this speech.

Miss Dorothy Melvin is proud to be entering this summer's classes at Jackson State College. Friends of Brandon wish her much success.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnett are proud grandparents of a baby boy, born to Mrs. Bearnice Barnett at the Baptist Hospital on June 5th. Mrs. Bearnice Barnett is resting nicely at this writing.

Mrs. Ethel Roby has been ill in her home for the past two weeks. At this writing, she is reported to be resting much better.

On last Tuesday evening, the Carter High School 10th grade class sponsored a going away party for Master Joe N. Thurman in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Wright.

Master Joe N. Thurman plans to go back with his mother, Mrs. Annie C. Thurman to Chicago, Illinois.

Friends and relatives in Brandon regret to hear of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie McIntyre's baby being in the Baptist Hospital. Little Paulett McIntyre has to undergo minor surgery.

# CONGRATULATIONS

To the 1961 Graduates of Parrish High School and  
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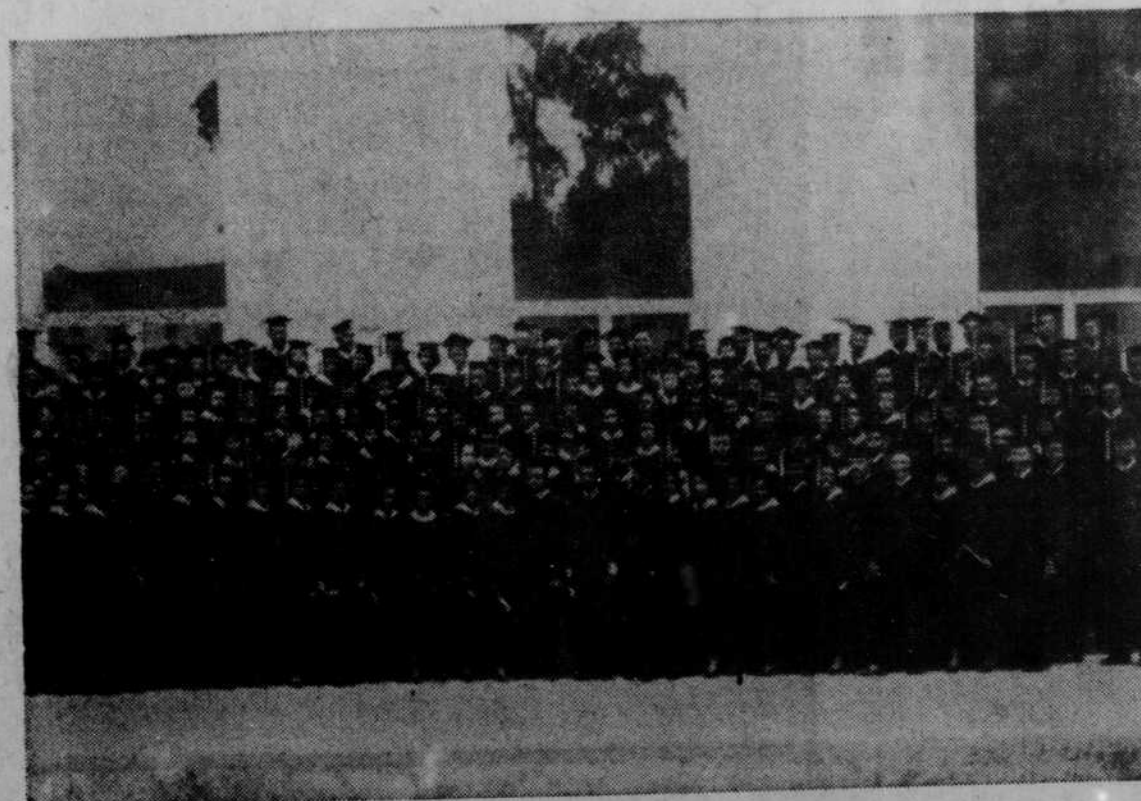
CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 1961 GRADUATES OF LANIER-HILL-BRINKLEY AND HOLY GHOST HIGH SCHOOLS

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