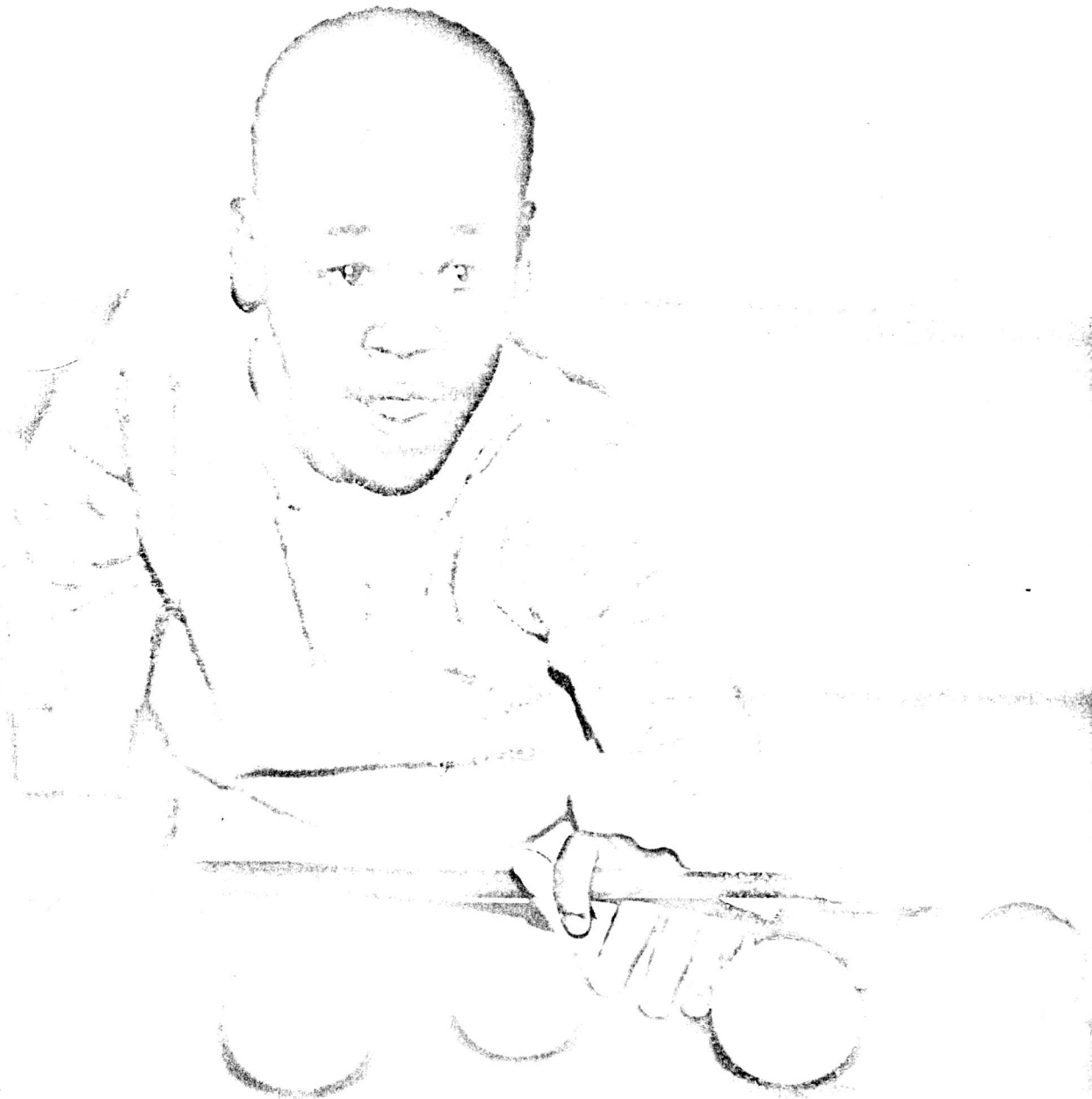


BEECHVILLE GAZETTE

6th EDITION



April 11-15

The Community Awareness Program would like to express our gratitude to those of you who have been supportive of our programs, such as Fitness Classes, Tuesday night bowling, Family Movies, Senior and Adult bowling on Wednesdays and also the youth activities during the week. C.A.P. is also pleased with the interest and cooperation that our people have expressed towards our Beechville Gazette which is greatly needed.

We would like to encourage you to participate in all of our programs, which is set up for all the ages in our community. Our program is designed to meet the needs of our community. To fill the gap in your days or nights that would be otherwise impassive. Many of our people believe there is a great need for our program, to stimulate community growth, unity, and spirit throughout Beechville. And to maintain a wide range of activities for all ages.

Our program will run for another seven months, throughout the summer, until the fall of October. With the help of your participation in our programs, we will be eligible to apply for further funding, therefore creating more jobs and a continuous organization by C.A.P., maintaining our Gazette and various activities for everyone on a yearly basis.

In conclusion we would like to express our gratitude and encourage you to come out and participate.

Any ideas or information to help make our C.A.P. program a success will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely

Paul Dorrington 876-2568
Terry DeLeon
Ivan Wright

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COMMUNITY NEWS NEW BEECHVILLE SCHOOL IS OFFICIALLY OPENED:

March 26, 1949

Entirely completed and furnished the newly erected one-room school house. Located in Beechville on the St. Margaret's Bay Road, was officially opened last night by H.P. Moffat, Assistant Supervisor of Education for Nova Scotia.

The New Beechville School has central heating, electrical lights, and new modern up-to-date fire proofing. The wooden building also contains a spacious furnace room. 58 children of Beechville will file in through the freshly painted portals Monday for the first time.

During the course of Mr. Moffat's address, he referred to the wonderful spirit and co-operation and determination shown by the citizens of Beechville in erecting the new building. He also spoke on the improved program for rural school. In the near future, it was hoped to complete plans for "shop mobile" a manual training shop on wheels to visit the rural districts.

Those attending the opening were: Warden W.J. Dowell, Councillor W.A. Gates, George E. Zinck, contractor, Miss Elizabeth Orchard-Supervisor of schools, Miss Ruth Binnie, Director of household science, Councillor A.W. Evans of Preston, J.J. Keeley, R.S. Symonds, President of the N.S. Association for Advancement of Colored People, C.W. Oliver, foreman of construction, Rev.C.F. Oliver chairman of Building Committee, Charles Allan, Principal of Blind School, C.H. Johnston, B.C. Silver, Inspector of Schools.

After the opening ceremonies were included, a letter from W.P. Clayton of Acadia University was read, extending congratulations to the community for its progressive move.

This was a clip out of the Mail Star on March 26, 1949. The building is now our church centre.

Last week at the annual general meeting of the Veith House in Halifax, a tribute was made to a past member of our community. Mrs. Marie Hamilton. She has worked at the Veith House for the last 16 years. Besides this, she also taught for 15 years in the Halifax County area. Keep up the good work Mrs. Hamilton!

C.A.F.

On Sunday April, 10, the C.A.F. will be appearing on the Dartmouth Cable Channel 10, talking about the project and other things with Haamid Rasheed, Director of the Black United Front of Nova Scotia. For those who have seen it, this is your chance to see it again.

John Hemlow	Jim Miller	
Bob Johnson	Chris Johnson	
Frank Loppie	John Cooper	
Mrs Joe Thomas	Mrs Cooper	Charlie Grosse
Mrs Stewart	Emma Grosse	
Dance Hall		John Munroe
George Carmichael	George Brown	
Sr. Bill Hill	Frank Clyde	Joe Hamilton
Walter Loppie	Sr. Bill Hill	
	Mrs. Wheeler	Louis Murce
Liz Munroe	Joe Darrington	Dave Nelson
Issac Wright	Dave Linnis	
Catherine Harris	Bill Warden	Richard Hamilton
Howard Wright	John Thomas	Joseph Darrington
Bill G	John Munroe	Walter Hill + Marice Hill
Norman Jordan		Gilbert Hamilton

Robert Hamilton
Gilbert Hamilton

Beatrice Tallet

Church

Dutch House
Jane Moore

Lovett's
Lake

School House

Bill Mills

Ella Weatherbee

Sara Grosse
Charlotte Grosse

Albert DeLeon

Martha Curry

Emily Green

Garret Munroe

Tom + George Munroe

Henry Grosse

Harry Munroe

Evert Henry

Bishops

Peter Munroe Sr.

Zacharia Henry

Map in early 1900's
of Beechville. Some of the
houses might not be in
the correct spot but, the
people are correct according
to C.A.P sources.

OPEN HOUSE

Open house to be held at Timberlea Jr. High School, Friday April 18, from 7-9. The Community Awareness Program will have a booth set up. we urge you to attend and support our program.

PROVINCIAL HIGH SCHOOL CHAMPS

Queen Elizabeth High school advanced to the championship round by defeating Winsor Regional. In the championship round, Q.E.H. found it a bit difficult to get past the jaws of the Cobequid Education Cougars. There was no pressure when Thame Smith went to the line to hit 1 of 2 to put Q.E.H. ahead by 2. Cougars had a chance with 5 seconds left when Chris Ross missed with a ten footer.

C.A.P. would like to congratulate the men on a fine season, and the best of luck next year.

Also 4 players of the Q.E.H team are descendants from Beechville: Darryl Johnson, son of Doris (Wright) & Stanley Johnson, Eddie Johnson, son of Dorothy (Gray) & Cecil Johnson and Alonzo Wright, son of Maude (Wright) Lloyd Lordie, Charles Hart, son of Eullaa Mickey Hamilton, Ross Hart. Congratulations should go out to the parents of a fine job in raising these young men.

WHO'S WHO

Byron C. Hill

Adopted son of William and Lola Hill raised in Beechville, presently posted at Lahr, Germany's base for the past 5 years, Bombardere and members of RCH (Royal Canadian Horse Artillery), is making his career as a corporal. Has plans of marriage in the near future.

CHURCH NEWS

Laymen Rally- District #1 Laymen at St. Thomas Church April 23rd, 7p.m. with the Pastor speaking.

CBIT Rally- Saturday April 9-10:00 to 3:00p.m., St Andrew's Church (corner of Robie and Spring Garden Road, Halifax). Admission \$150 per girl.

Conference- April 16th at Joseph Howe School entitled "Challenge to Black Women... Hope For The Future". All women invited to attend and be challenged.

CULTURAL NEWS

Black history in Photograph: A photo exhibit of Black History. From the late 1800's to the mid 1930's. The exhibit will run from April 8th to May 8th at the Mount St. Vincent Art Gallery-10:00-6:00p.m. weekdays. Just drop in this weekend or arrange for tours by

contacting Henry Bishop of the Black Cultural Society 434-6223.

For those of you who are unemployed, the Black Social Workers Association has a program for the employment disadvantaged. Contact Maxine Shephard at 466-6223.

Cultural Awareness Project for Black Youth
"Quest For Identity"

Wednesday April 6
United Black Voices J.L. Isley vs.255
Ebony Cultural Awareness- C.F.Allen 300

Black Cultural Awareness-Q.E.H 375
Sack-Bed. Black Association 340

Quest For Identity is based on Reach For The Top, and the questions are on Black History. The series is taped on Wednesday and Thursday at the North End Library on Gottingen Street. There's lots of room for spectators, so come on down and see what you know about Black History. All Welcome!

A conference on a challenge to Black Women H.O.P.E. for the future. Saturday April 16, 1983 at 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.- Joseph Howe School-2557 Maynard Street, Halifax- Topics: Human Rights/Equality, Opportunities in Education, Political Awareness, Equality in Employment. Sponsored by: Association of Black Social Workers (ABSW).

SPORTS NEWS

Seniors and Housewives

The seniors and housewives are still going strong with their Wednesday afternoon bowling league. It would be greatly appreciated if we could get more of you out of the house to join in the fun. Come on out. See you next week at the centre.

Floor Hockey

The Beechville C.A.P. group took a number of guys, ages 7-14 out to Rockingstone Heights to participate in a floor hockey match. The goal scorers for Beechville were Glenn Higgins and Tony Crawford. Due to lack of practice, the Spryfield team demolished Beechville 11-2. Don't let it get you down fellows, we'll be back to return the beating.

B.A. Husbands

Lets get it together guys and get in touch with Ervin Shephard or Terry DeLeon, if you're gonna play. This is the last

weekend to decide before the application is submitted to the Tournament Director. Get on your horses.

Athlete of the Week

This week's recipient of the Beechville Gazette's Athlete of the week award goes to Barbara Ann Hamilton for her great defensive play in the Timberlea Jr. High Invitational Girls Basketball Tournament, which was played 2 weekends ago. Congratulations Barb in winning this and also the tournament. Most Valuable Player Award.

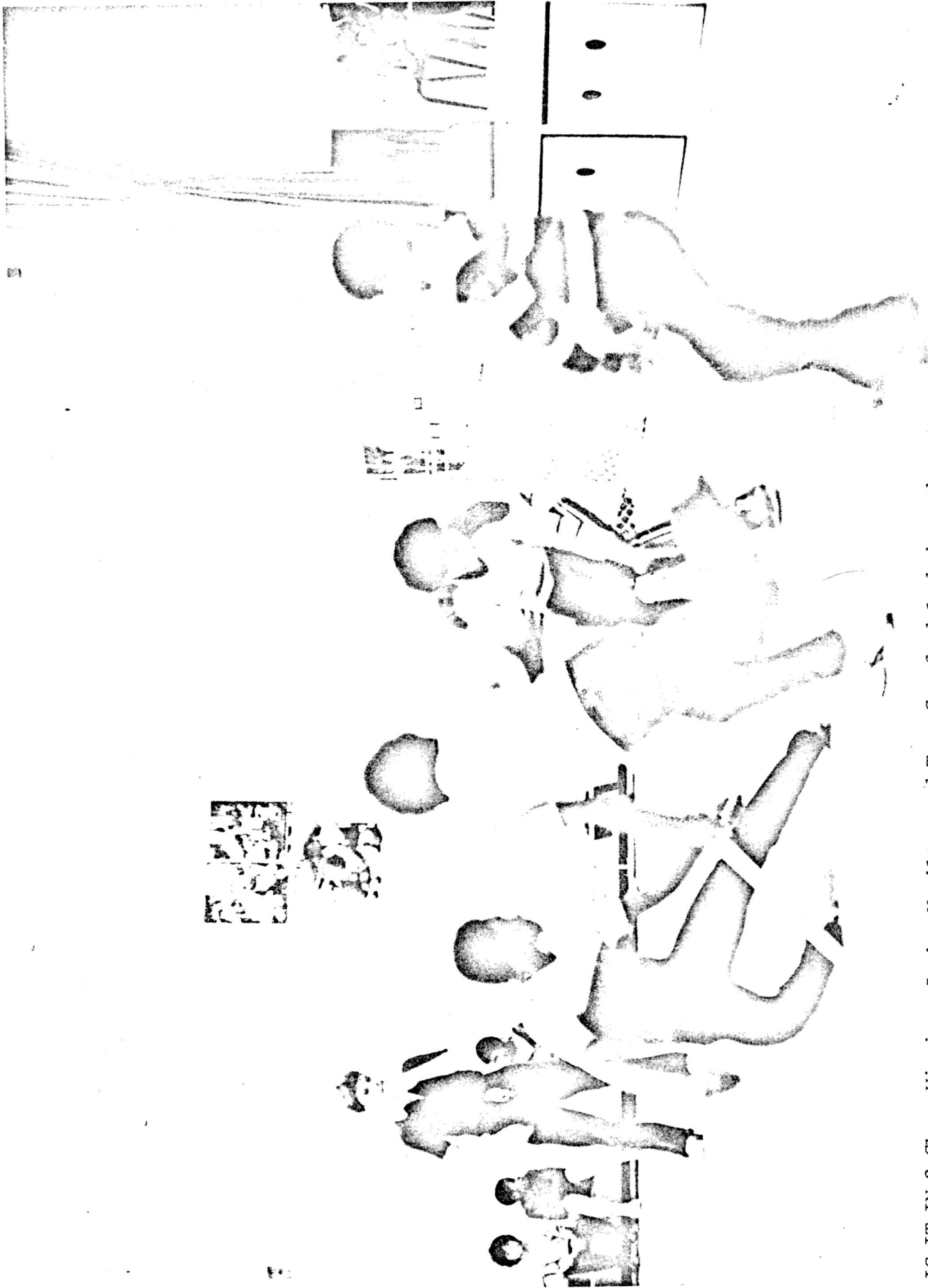
QUIZZ

Last week's answers

1. March 27, 1818.
2. Slavery was abolished in 1865.
3. Black Novels are Roots or any book written by a Black author.
4. Lincoln Alexander, member of Federal Cabinet and Minister of Labour under Joe Clark-1979-80.
5. First major group of settlers in N.S. are The Loyalists.
6. South Africa.
7. There were several who participated in the underground Railway expedition but the name we were looking for is Harriet Tubman.
8. First Black to win World Boxing Heavy Weight title is Jack Johnson.
9. Munroe Subdivision was started in 1967.
10. Dr. W.F. Oliver.

THIS WEEK'S QUESTIONS:

1. When was the New Beechville school, now the Centre, first opened?
2. Name any of the 5 Blacks who have been honoured with the Nobel Prize?
3. Name the Black doctor who performed the first successful open heart surgery in the history of the medical profession.
4. What do the following initials stand for B.U.F. (hint-black organization)?
5. Who was the founder of the Beechville Baptist Church?



IS IT IN ? Glenn Higgins, Junior Hamilton and Tony Crawford look into the net to see if the puck is there after one of the Spyfield players there had taken a shot on the net during action Tuesday night. Looking on are Dana Murphy David Wright Jr., and Willie Jarvis. Spyfield won the game 11-2. (Photographed by Ivan Wright)

SCHEDULE FOR APRIL 10TH TO APRIL 16TH

TUESDAY 12th

Bowling at

Atlantic Colonial

meet at centre

6:15

5 pin

WEDNESDAY 13TH

Senior & Adults

Bowling meet at

centre steps at 12:45

or see ya there

THURSDAY 14th

Badminton

at B.C. Silver

meet at centre

6:15

Fitness Class
Alderwood 7:00