

setting the buffet to delight the epicure: Wild Duck with rice stuffing, baked fresh ham, candied yams, green beans, carved vegetable tray and fruit salad. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Westbrook and daughters Jackie and Joyce of McComb; Mrs. Mayme Vaughn and Ardell Montgomery of Summit; Miss Beverly Zackery of Magnolia; Mrs. Alexine Perry of Emery, Wisconsin; and Miss Myrtle Crossley of Brookhaven.

#### COLEMAN RITES

Funeral services were held for Melvin Coleman Jr. Friday, Jan. 27 at 1 p.m. at New Hope Baptist Church, Brookhaven. The Rev. Samuel Brown, pastor, officiated. Interment was in the New Hope Cemetery.

The late Mr. Coleman was born in the home of the late Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Coleman Sr. on August 12, 1906, near Brookhaven. Both parents and a brother preceded him in death. He was a member of New Hope Baptist Church, and was a faithful member until his health began to fail. He served as a Deacon. He was a good friend of Rev. Willie D. Gray. He departed this life Jan. 22, 1978 in King's Daughters Hospital, Brookhaven. He had been ill for some time. He leaves to mourn his passing a devoted wife, three brothers, two sisters, two brothers-in-law, four sisters-in-law, several nephews and nieces, other relatives and friends. Tyler Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.