

Area Obituaries

MARRS INFANT

Michael Daniel Marrs, 3-month-old son of Michael Eugene and Miranda Burke Marrs of Route 8, died at his home early Sunday morning.

The funeral was Wednesday at 11 a.m. at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel conducted by the Rev. Fred Carlton. Burial was in Rose Cemetery in Mocksville.

The Marrs' son was born in Forsyth County Sept. 23, 1981.

Survivors include his parents; one sister, Heather Marrs of the home; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Marrs of Route 7; and maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady White of Winston-Salem.

MARCIA BEAUCHAMP

Marcia Hendrix Beauchamp, 34, of Route 4, was dead on arrival at Forsyth Memorial Hospital Saturday night as a result of an accident near her home.

A spokesman at the Davie Sheriff's Department said Mrs. Beauchamp was helping to gather firewood when a tractor fell on her.

The funeral was Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Redland Pentecostal Holiness Church in Davie County conducted by the Rev. Paul Ledbetter and the Rev. Rex Hobbs. Burial was in the church cemetery.

She was born July 14, 1947, in Davie County to Edgar and Florence Bean Hendrix and was a member of the Cornatzer United Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Lester Beauchamp of the home; one daughter, Audra Beauchamp, and one son, Scott Beauchamp, both of the home; her parents of Mocksville; and one brother, Delano Hendrix, also of Mocksville.

LOIS EVELYN SINK

Lois Evelyn Sink, 70, of Route 2, died at Forsyth Hospital in Winston-Salem Saturday.

The funeral was Tuesday at 3:30 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel conducted by the Rev. Dr. Wayne Hill. Burial was in Eaton's Baptist Church cemetery.

Miss Sink was born April 6, 1911,

in Davie County to the late Joseph Thomas and Ida Eaton Sink and was a retired employee of Erwin Mills of Cooleemee.

She was a member of Eaton's Baptist Church.

Survivors include an uncle, Avery Sink of Route 4, and a number of cousins.



MRS. VALLIE S. DAVIDSON

Mrs. Vallie Scott Davidson, of Rt. 2, Mocksville, died Friday morning in Davie County Hospital after a short illness.

She was the daughter of the late William and Maggie Dulin Scott.

She was educated in the Davie County Public schools and the J.C. Price High School in Salisbury. She was a graduate of Winston-Salem Teacher's College, Atlanta University and received her masters degree from N. C. Central in Durham.

She taught in the Davie County school system for 35 years. In 1943, she was added to Rock Hill Church of Christ.

Surviving are her husband, Frank Davidson of the home; one foster daughter, Miss Alice Marie Davidson; one foster sister, Mrs. Doretha Wilson; one brother, Abraham Scott, all of Mocksville.

The funeral was conducted at 2 p.m. Monday at Redland Church of Christ in Davie County. Brother J. D. Kennedy and Brother Robert Lyons officiated. Burial was in Mainville A.M.E. Zion Church Cemetery in Davie County.

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MRS. VALLIE CAMPBELL

Funeral services for Mrs. Vallie Brown Campbell, 52, of Statesville, North Carolina, were held Monday, January 4, at 2 p.m. at Wesley Memorial United Methodist Church. Burial followed in Crestwood Memorial Gardens in Elkin, N.C.

Mrs. Campbell died Saturday morning at Autumn Care Nursing Home in Mocksville, where she had been a patient for a year. She had been in declining health for several years.

Surviving are her husband, Major Retired James T. Campbell; two sons, Jimmy and Michael Campbell; one daughter, Anne Campbell, all of the home; her mother, Mrs. Pearl S. Brown; two brothers, Lonnie and Fred Brown; and one sister, Mrs. John Ledbetter, all of Elkin.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society or to Wesley United Methodist Church in Statesville.

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✓ **CLAUDE F. WILLIAMS**
Claude Franklin Williams, 81, of Mocksville, Rt. 3, died Sunday afternoon at Forsyth Memorial Hospital after a 30-day serious illness.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Fork Baptist Church by the Rev. Gordon Joyner, and the Rev. Roy Young. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

Mr. Williams was born in Davie County April 9, 1900, to the late Leroy and Nora Foster Williams. He was retired from the maintenance department of the N.C. Highway Department.

Surviving are his wife, Betty Jane Koontz Williams; one daughter, Mrs. Nora Williams Smith of Rt. 3, Mocksville; one son, Cecil D. Williams of Rt. 3, Mocksville; four grandchildren; two great-grandchildren.

Other survivors: one adopted brother, Frank Williams of Walkertown, N. C.

✓ **MRS. EDNA O. PRYOR**
Mrs. Edna Oakley Pryor, native of Davie County, died January 6th in Gary, Ind., after several years of declining health.

Funeral arrangements were conducted by the Andrew Smith Funeral Home, 934 E. 21st Ave., Gary Ind.

Born May 5, 1931, she was the daughter of the late Lomax and Blanche Oakley. She was educated in the Davie County schools and was a member of Liberty A.M.E. Zion Church.

Survivors include one sister, Jettie Oakley Chunn of Mocksville, and her husband, Andrew Pryor, two daughters, four sons, and another sister, Thelma Oakley Dalton, all of Gary, Ind.

✓ **GRADY E. McBRIDE**
Grady E. McBride, 74, of Route 2, was dead on arrival at Davie County Hospital January 5th.

The funeral was held Thursday in Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel conducted by the Rev. Leon Wood. Burial was in Smith Grove United Methodist Church cemetery.

Born May 2, 1907, in Davie County, he was a son of the late Charlie and Emma West McBride. He was a retired farmer.

Survivors include his wife, Lucy Smith McBride; four daughters, Mrs. Jane Knott of Winston-Salem, Mrs. Betty Foster of Route 4, Mocksville, Mrs. Dorothy Compton of Clemmons and Mrs. Stella McCarn of Advance; two sons, Charlie McBride of Route 2, Mocksville and Glenn McBride of La Porte, Texas;

One sister, Mrs. Leona Richey of Mocksville; three half-brothers, Henry McBride of Advance, Johnson McBride of Route 2, Mocksville and C. Vernon McBride of Clemmons; three grandchildren; and two great grandchildren.

✓ **MRS. META H. MILLER**
Mrs. Metta Diona Hinshaw Miller, 69, of Rt. 6, Mocksville, died Saturday night at Baptist Hospital. Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Richmond Hill Baptist Church by the Rev. Claude Harrelson and the Rev. Paul Wyatt. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Miller was born in Yadkin County, the daughter of Henry and Lou Jester Hinshaw. She was a member of Sandy Springs Baptist Church and was formerly employed at the Davie Florist.

Surviving are her husband, Powell E. Miller; one daughter, Mrs. James (Lou Ray) Shoffner of

Rt. 6, Mocksville; four sons, Bill Miller of East Bend, Pelzo Miller of Rt. 7, Mocksville, Randy Miller of Rt. 6, Mocksville, and Michael Miller of Mocksville; two sisters, Mrs. Vallie Davis of East Bend and Mrs. Zetta Childress of Winston-Salem; three brothers, Ed and Roma Hinshaw, both of East Bend, and Leak Hinshaw of Yadkinville; 19 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren.

✓ **MRS. RUBY G. CHAPPEL**
Mrs. Ruby Gordon Chappel Comer, 69, of Rt. 4, Yadkinville, died at 8:30 p.m. Saturday at Medical Park Hospital in Winston-Salem.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at South Oakridge Baptist Church by the Rev. Phillip Beavers, the Rev. Craig Edwards and the Rev. Jimmy Bartley.

Mrs. Comer was born in Yadkin County, the daughter of Homer and Etta Chappell Chappell. She was a member of South Oakridge Baptist Church. Her husband William Allen Comer, Sr. preceded her in death.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Fannie Allen of Rt. 4, Yadkinville, Mrs. Nancy Mayfield of Harrisburg, and Mrs. Ollie Myers of Tobaccoville; one son, William Allen Comer, Jr. of Rt. 4, Yadkinville; one half-brother, Hugh Chappel of Hamptonville; eight grandchildren; five great-grandchildren.

✓ **PEARLIE MILLS**
Pearlie Mills, 85, of Rt. 7, died at Davie County Hospital in Mocksville late Saturday night. Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Tuesday at Blue Ridge Funeral Home in Prosperity, W. Va. Burial followed in the Blue Ridge Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Mills was born in Egerie,

Raleigh County, W. Va. to the late Benjamin D. and Narcissus Walker Mills. He was a retired coal miner. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Mrs. Virginia Mills Cole in 1979.

Surviving are his wife, the former Beulah Foley of Gladstone Road, Cooleemee; two daughters, Mrs. Paul (Bonnie) Cole of Coal City, W. Va., and Mrs. J. O'dell (Leola) Edwards of Cooleemee; two sons, James Mills of Shady Springs, W. Va., and David Mills of Blackshear, Ga.; 1 sister, Mrs. Notie Laxton of Beckley, W. Va.; 1 half sister, Mrs. Delores Whitt of Shady Springs, W. Va.; 1 half-brother, Raymond Farley of Beckley, W. Va.; 12 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

✓ **MS. NANCY SMITH**
Ms. Nancy Smith of Route 5, Mocksville, N.C. died Monday, June 11, at her home. The cause of death was an apparant heart attack.

She was born June 9, 1889 in Iredell County to the late Monroe and Romelda Smith. She graduated from Iredell County public schools.

Ms. Smith was a retired domestic worker.

Survivors include one cousin, Tom Carter of Winston-Salem, N.C. The family will receive friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Parks, Rt. 5, Mocksville, N.C.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, January 14, at 2 p.m. at Chinquapin Baptist Church with the Reverend F.S. Harrison officiating. Bruial will follow in the church cemetery.

Wearing Hats
Wearing a hat is a good idea in cold weather; 90 percent of body heat is lost through the head.

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W.M. "PETE" IJAMES

William Marion "Pete" Ijames, 69, of Route 4, was dead on arrival at Davie County Hospital January 13th.

The funeral was held Friday at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel conducted by the Rev. L. Lee Whitlock, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Cooleemee. Burial was in Center United Methodist Church Cemetery.

Born Sept. 7, 1912 in Davie County, he was a son of the late John C. and Eulah Blaylock Ijames. He was a retired employee of Thompson Wholesale Grocery and was a member of the First Baptist Church of Cooleemee.

Survivors include his wife, Colleen Correll Ijames; four daughters, Mrs. Donald Trexler of Cooleemee, Mrs. Cecil McDaniel and Mrs. Bud Austin, both of Kissimmee, Fla. and Mrs. Daniel Waller of Route 7, Mocksville; two sons, Thomas Ijames of Route 4, Mocksville and Billy Ijames of Tampa, Fla.;

Four sisters, Mrs. Thelma Gregory and Mrs. Bertie Wood, both of Cooleemee, Mrs. Marie Vogler of Salisbury and Miss Frances Ijames of Route 4, Mocksville; one brother, James Ijames of Alexandria, Va.; 15 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

MS. NANCY SMITH

Ms. Nancy Smith, 93, of Rt. 5, Mocksville, died Monday, Jan. 11, 1982 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey H. Parks, where she had lived for the past 17 years.

The funeral was held Thursday at 2 p.m. at Chinquapin Baptist Church by the Rev. F.S. Hairston. Burial was in the church cemetery. Surviving are one cousin, Tom Carter of Winston-Salem, and her adopted family, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey H. Parks and family.

KELLI LEIGH DRYE

Kelli Leigh Drye, infant daughter of William Lawrence (Lanny) Drye, Jr. and Linda Kaye Allen Drye, of Route 6, Mocksville, died at birth at 6:30 a.m. Saturday in Iredell Memorial Hospital, Statesville.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Monday in the New Union United Methodist Church near Mocksville conducted by the Rev. Kermit Shoaf and the Rev. Melvin Beeker.

In addition to the parents, survivors include a brother, Noah Drye.

Mrs. Drye is a Cooleemee school systems teacher.

In addition to the parents and the brother, the infant is survived by paternal and maternal grandparents and great-grandparents. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Lawrence Drye Sr. of Rt. 4, Statesville and the maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Allen of Rt. 6, Mocksville.

Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lee Campbell, Rt. 4, Statesville, and Mrs. W.F. Drye, Rt. 4, Statesville. The maternal great-grandparent is J.G. Allen of Rt. 3, Mocksville.

RALPH HILLARD

Ralph Bailey Hillard, 67, of Yadkin Street, was dead on arrival Saturday at Davie County Hospital, Mocksville.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Monday at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel, Mocksville. Officiating at the service were the Rev. Randy Rogers and the Rev. John E. Edwards. Burial will be in Legion Memorial Park.

Born in Davie County August 4, 1914, he was a son of Mrs. Elizabeth Sheeks Hillard of Salisbury and the late Claude Bailev Hillard. He was a

member of the Rowan Christian Assembly Church, Salisbury, and was retired from civil service in 1974. He was a veteran of 20 years service with the U.S. Navy during World War II.

In addition to his mother, survivors include his wife, Mrs. Frances Tiller Hillard; two sons, Ronald Hillard of White Plains, Md. and Mark C. Hillard of San Anselmo, Calif.; three sisters, Mrs. Wade Booe of Cooleemee, Mrs. Hazel Vail of Salisbury and Mrs. Nolvice Ceal of Greensboro; four brothers, Howard R., Clyde E. and Bill C. Hillard, all of Salisbury, and Elmer Hillard of Hamlet; and four grandchildren.

MRS. FANNIE B. BAITY

Mrs. Fannie Blanche Burgess Baity, 72, of Route 5, died at Davie County Hospital on January 13th following an extended illness.

The funeral was held Friday at the Courtney Baptist Church conducted by the Rev. Kermit Pittman and the Rev. Teague Groce. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Born Jan. 31, 1909 in Yadkin County, she was a daughter of the late Charlie and Martha Brandon Burgess. She was a member of Courtney Baptist Church. Her husband, Flake Baity, preceded her in death.

Survivors include five daughters, Mrs. Jack (Frances) Warner, Mrs. Raymond (Lydia) Shore, Mrs. Betty York and Mrs. Clay (Gay) Lawrence, all of Route 5, Mocksville and Mrs. D.M. (Fannie) Bailey of Route 2, Advance.

Three sons, James Wesley Baity and Bill Baity, both of Route 5, and David E. Baity, Route 2, all of Mocksville; 18 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

ALFRED BRUCE HILTON

Alfred Bruce Hilton, 60, of Route 4, died at N.C. Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem on January 12th following a short illness.

The funeral was held Friday at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel in Mocksville conducted by the Rev. Donald Funderburke, the Rev. Marion Fulk and the Rev. Paul Ledbetter. Burial was in Bethlehem United Methodist Church Cemetery.

Born March 14, 1921, in Davie County, he was a son of the late Phillip Edward and Ella Tucker Hilton. He was a self-employed tile setter and was a member of Mocks United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Kathleen Story Hilton; two sons, Jedly Hilton of the home and Bremon Hilton of Mocksville; two daughters, Mrs. Wanda Brown of Route 1, Advance and Mrs. Sandra Gilliespie of Route 2, Mocksville; two brothers, Lester Hilton of Route 1, Advance and William Hilton of Colonial Heights, Va.; Three half-brothers, Lawrence Hilton of Route 8, Lexington and Harrison and Eddie Hilton, both of Winston-Salem; four half-sisters, Mrs. Jesse Mullis and Mrs. Patsy Cardwell, both of Route 2, Clemmons, Mrs. Mary Myers of Route 3 and Mrs. Doris Mock of Route 2, both of Advance; six grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

SONNY CRANFILL

Sonnie Cranfill, 79, of 189 Oak Street, Mocksville died at Davie County Hospital in Mocksville Thursday morning.

The funeral was held Saturday at 11 a.m. at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel in Mocksville by the Rev. Rex Gibbs.

Mr. Cranfill was born in Yadkin County to the late Levi and Katie Garner Cranfill, and was a retired

employee of Hanes Chair Co.

Surviving are his wife, the former Katie Jones; one daughter, Mrs. Lois Kelly of Mocksville; three grandchildren and four great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Vada Gough and Miss Versie Cranfill of Yadkinville.

MRS. ZETRA MILHOLEN

Mrs. Zetra Allen Milholen, 88, of 11 Davie St., died January 11th at her home in Cooleemee.

The funeral was held January 13th in the Cooleemee United Methodist Church conducted by the Rev. Alton Fitzgerald. Burial was in Rowan Memorial Park.

Born Sept. 9, 1893, in Davie County, she was a daughter of the late William A. and Rachel White Allen. She was a member of Cooleemee United Methodist Church and was retired from Erwin Mills of Cooleemee. Her husband, Charles E. Milholen, died in 1963.

Survivors include one son, Charles E. Milholen, Jr. of Cooleemee; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Mary Catherine Hughes of Denver, Colo.; one brother, James Allen of Route 3, Mocksville; one half-sister, Mrs. Bertha White of Route 2, Mocksville; two grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Sonnie Cranfill, 79, of Mocksville

MOCKSVILLE — Sonnie Cranfill, 79, of 189 Oak St., died at Davie County Hospital early Thursday morning.

The funeral will be 11 a.m. Saturday in Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel conducted by the Rev. Rex Gibbs.

The family will be at the funeral home tonight from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Born Aug. 7, 1902, in Yadkin County, he was a son of the late Levi and Katie Garner Cranfill and was a retired employee of the Hanes Chair Company.

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McGUIRE FURCHES

✓ Mr. McGuire (Crockett) Furches, 70, of Rt. 2, Mocksville, died at N.C. Baptist Hospital January 20th after a short illness.

The funeral was held Saturday at 2 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel in Mocksville with burial in Smith Grove United Methodist Church Cemetery. He was born in Davie County to the late Daniel Kimbrough and Lazora Kimbrough Furches. He was a farmer and a member of Farmington Baptist Church.

Surviving are two sisters, Miss Norma Furches and Mrs. Frank Woods, both of Rt. 2, Mocksville; one brother, Duke Furches of Rt. 2, Mocksville.

MRS. ZALIA M. BAILEY

✓ Mrs. Zalia Mills Bailey, 75, of 203 Eastwood Drive, Lexington, died Monday at N. C. Baptist Hospital.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Fork Baptist Church by the Rev. Gordon Joyner and the Rev. Yates Wilkinson. Burial followed in the church cemetery. Mrs. Bailey was a member of Fork Baptist Church, and was the widow of James Alex Bailey.

Surviving are three sisters, Mrs. Jennie Presley of Winston-Salem, Mrs. Lois Tadlock of Pageland, S.C. and Mrs. Ophelia Price of Monroe; one brother, Blair Mills of Lexington.

MRS. FLETCHER BECK

✓ Mrs. Lula Jane Crofts Beck, 85, of Rt. 7, Mocksville, widow of the late Fletcher Beck, died at Davie County Hospital January 20.

The funeral was held Thursday at Dutchman Creek Baptist Church by the Rev. Tommy Tuggle and the

Rev. James Sechrest.

She was born in Davie County to the late Robert and Sophie Shuler Crofts and was a retired employee of Erwin Mills. Her husband preceded her in death in June 1977.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Garland Myers of Rt. 7, Mocksville, Mrs. Van Poplin of Rt. 4, Mocksville and Mrs. Bill Trivette of Rt. 6, Mocksville; one adopted daughter, Mrs. Gordon Wolf of Rochester, N.Y.; one son, Robert Wesley Beck of Rt. 7, Mocksville; 13 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

JIMMY R. HOWARD

✓ Jimmy R. Howard, 45, of S. Elm Eugene St., Greensboro, died at L. Richardson Pryor Hospital January 20th.

Mr. Howard was born in Davie County to E. Samuel and Geneva Myers Howard. His early life was in Davie County, and he had lived in Greensboro for the past 16 years. He was employed by Gate City Roofing Co.

Surviving are his mother of Advance; seven sisters, Mrs. Pearl Markland of Clemmons, Mrs. Marvin (Thelma) Taylor of Advance, Mrs. Harold (Maudie) Miller of Fayetteville, Mrs. June (Addie) Fine and Mrs. William (Rosie) Stillman, both of Lewisville, Mrs. James (Pansy) Myers of Winston-Salem, and Mrs. Marc (Sue) Hacker of Raleigh; two brothers, Delmer Howard of Advance, and Samuel Howard of Mocksville.

P. D. PEBBLES

✓ Paul Drewey Peebles, 85, of Rt. 3, Mocksville, died at Forsyth Memorial Hospital early Thursday morning.

The funeral was held Saturday at 11 a.m. at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel in Mocksville by the Rev.

Marion Fulk. Burial followed in Advance United Methodist Church Cemetery. Mr. Peebles was born in Davie County to the late Will and Alberta Harris Peebles, and was a retired employee of Erlanger Mills in Lexington.

Surviving are three nieces, Mrs. Lucy Hubbard and Mrs. Edrie Brunt, both of Winston-Salem, and Mrs. Carmen Price of Orlando, Fla.; five nephews, Gene H. Greene and Bobby Peebles, both of Winston-Salem, Bob Greene of High Point, Millard Jones of Whiteville, and Donald H. Jones of Raleigh.

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RUFUS W. BECK

Rufus William Beck, 78, of Mocksville, Rt. 8, was dead on arrival at Davie County Hospital at 2:30 p.m. Saturday.

The funeral was conducted at 11 a.m. Monday at Eaton's Funeral Chapel by the Rev. John Fowler. Burial was in Union Chapel United Methodist Church Cemetery.

Mr. Beck was born in Davie County September 16, 1903, to the late William Asbury and Lula Bowles Beck. He was a retired farmer and was a member of Union Chapel United Methodist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Belva Rollins Beck; one daughter, Mrs. William M. (Pearline) Seaford of Rt. 1, Mocksville; two sons, Lewis and Bruce Bennett Beck, both of Rt. 6, Mocksville; three grandsons; four great-granddaughters; two sisters, Mrs. Floyd Michell of Rt. 4, Mocksville and Mrs. Ruth Pennington of Lewisville, three brothers, Alford Beck of Lexington, Walter Beck of Mocksville and Earl Beck of Rt. 6, Mocksville.

PHILLIP H. FORREST

Phillip Hosey Forrest, 85, of Lexington, Rt. 15, died Saturday at Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem.

The funeral was conducted at 2 p.m. Monday at No Creek Baptist Church by Elder Eugene Bennett and Elder Bill Barnhardt. Burial was in the church cemetery.

He was a retired employee of Dixie Furniture Company and is survived by his wife, Mrs. Evelyn Williams Forrest; two daughters, Mrs. Paul Koontz of Lexington and Mrs. Robert Yarbrough of Waynesville; four sons, Hosey and Billy Forrest, both of Rt. 15, Lexington, Phillip Forrest, Jr. of Rt. 2, Advance, and Frank Forrest of Rt. 1, Wax Haw; 12 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

MRS. DAISY B. MORRIS

Mrs. Daisy Brown Morris of New York City, N. Y. died Sunday, January 31 at Columbia Presbyterian Hospital. Mrs. Morris was a native of Saluda, S. C. and a long time resident of Advance, N. C. before moving to New York in 1934. Surviving are her husband, Mr. Casey Morris of the home, three brothers, Mr. Elijah Brown of Advance, Walter Brown of Winston-Salem and William Brown of Philadelphia, Pa. Two sisters, Mrs. Ida Mae Brown of Winston-Salem and Mrs. Irlene Davis of Bronx, N. Y.

The family received friends at Forsyth Funeral Home Friday night from 7-7:30 p.m. The remainder of the time, the family was at the home of Walter Brown, brother, at 1222 Pleasant St. Winston-Salem, N. C.

Graveside rites were held Saturday at 2 p.m. at Smith Grove A.M.E. Zion Church Cemetery in Smith Grove.

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✓ **FRANK S. BOWLES**

Frank Simmons Bowles, 79, of Route 2 Mocksville, died at his home February 3rd.

The funeral was held Friday at Eaton's Funeral Home chapel conducted by the Rev. Robert Prentice. Burial was in Oak Grove United Methodist Church cemetery. Born Feb. 8, 1902, in Davie County, he was a son of the late John and Lydia James Bowles. He was a retired employee of Cannon Mills in Kannapolis and a member of Oak Grove United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Lenora Whitaker Bowles; one daughter, Mrs. Lester "Nellie" Sain of Route 2, Mocksville; three sons, Marvin and John Lee Bowles, both of Route 6, Mocksville, and Lawrence Bowles of Route 2, Mocksville.

Two sisters, Mrs. Eva Smith and Mrs. Dick Pierce, both of Mooresville; three brothers, Charles Bowles of Kannapolis, Boyce Bowles of Concord and Eldridge Bowles of St. Louis, Mo.; eight grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

✓ **EVERETTE H. BROWN**

Everette Hugh Brown, 68, of Route 7, died at Davie County Hospital early Tuesday morning.

The funeral will be 4 p.m. Thursday at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel conducted by the Rev. Alton Fitzgerald and Dr. Wilson Nesbitt. Burial will be in Hardison United Methodist Church cemetery in Davie County.

The family will be at the funeral home on Wednesday night from 7 to 9 o'clock. Memorial contributions may be made to the Hardison United Methodist Church Building Fund.

Born February 15, 1913, in Davie County, he was a son of the late

Daniel Hugh and Pantha Allen Brown. He was retired from the N.C. Highway Commission with 27 years of service, and was a member of Hardison United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Vetra Wilson Brown; one daughter, Mrs. Howard "Nancy" Norville of Charlotte; three sons, Bill Brown of Salisbury and Dale Brown, Route 7, and Steve Brown, Route 1, both of Mocksville.

Two sisters, Mrs. Marvin Hellard and Miss Beulah Grey Brown, both of Route 7, Mocksville; two brothers, Willie V. Brown of Route 7, Mocksville and Thomas S. Brown, of Danville, Va.; 11 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

✓ **MRS. MAGGIE HUDSON FARLEY**

Mrs. Maggie Ruth Hudson Farley, 77, of 2624 Dacian Street, widow of Robert Joines Farley, died at 4:30 p.m. Sunday at her home. She had been in declining health for several months and seriously ill since January.

She was born on the Cooleemee plantation in Davie County June 24, 1904, the daughter of Holland S. and Delia McDaniel Hudson. Her early life was spent in the Fulton and Fork communities in Davie County. She moved to Winston-Salem in 1920, and for a time was employed by R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company. She had lived in the Southside Community for over 50 years and at her present address for 45 years. In 1949, became a charter member of South Park Baptist Church and also a charter member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Veteran of Foreign Wars Post 6367.

She is survived by one son, Robert Odell Farley of the home; four generations of nieces and nephews. Funeral services were conducted

at 2 p.m. Wednesday at South Park Baptist Church, 2925 S. Main Street, conducted by the Rev. Larry Wilkes, pastor of South Park Baptist Church, the Rev. Harold P. Tuttle, founder of the South Park Baptist Church, the Rev. David D. Case, of the Churches for Life and Liberty in Raleigh. Pallbearers were members of South Park Baptist Church.

✓ **MRS. GOLDEN CRANFIELD**

Mrs. Golden Jones Cranfield, 72, of Route 8, Mocksville was dead on arrival at Davie County Hospital February 3.

The funeral was held Friday at Eaton's Funeral Home chapel conducted by the Rev. John Fowler and the Rev. Grady Tuterow. Burial was in Chestnut Grove United Methodist Church cemetery.

Born Jan. 2, 1910, in Davie County, she was a daughter of the late John Cash and Bettie Beck Jones. Her husband, Dallas Cranfield, died in 1974.

Survivors include three sisters, Mrs. Katie Cranfield of Mocksville and Mrs. Annie J. Mock and Mrs. Florence J. Booe, both of Route 6, Mocksville; one half-brother, Thomas Jones of Mocksville; one grandson; and two great-grandchildren.

✓ **JOHN T. WISEMAN**

John Thomas Wiseman, formerly of Davie County, died this week at Meulenbunrg Hospital in Plainfield, New Jersey.

He was born in Davie County September 27, 1925, to the late Thomas M. and Nannie G. Wiseman. He was married to Mrs. Mary C. Carter Wiseman of New Jersey.

He has been a member of Bethany AME Zion Church since early childhood. He was a machanic by trade.

Survivors include two sisters,

Miss Sarah Wiseman and Mrs. Nellie Freeman, both of Mocksville; 1 brother, Calvin Wiseman of New Jersey; an aunt, Mrs. Wade Smoot, also of Mocksville, and a host of other relatives.

Following funeral services in New Jersey, his remains will be sent to Winston-Salem for burial.

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Donald E. Cousino



The following article concerning Don Cousino's fight with cancer and his love for the annual Mocksville Masonic Picnic appeared in the August 13, 1981 issue of the Enterprise-Record.

Cousino, 42, of Rt. 3, Mocksville, lost his battle for life Saturday, February 20. Funeral services were held Wednesday at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in Rose Cemetery.

It's Masonic Picnic Week, carnival week, the event of the year in Davie County, but to the Donald E. Cousino family of Rt. 3, Mocksville, it's more than that. It's reliving a dream to work in the carnival, maybe for the last time for Donald.

"This was one of the first jobs he had early in our marriage," Mrs. Cousino said. "Picnic week gives us a chance to relive those days he traveled with the carnival. This is a special way of life. Some people look down on carnival people, but they are good hard working people. They won't take anything off anybody,

but they are close and take care of each other."

"I have always loved a carnival and came to the Masonic Picnic every year when I was young. I always wanted to work in one. In fact, I ran away from home when I was 14 and joined a circus. My biggest dream was to be a trapeze flier. I got to ride the elephants, but never got to be a flier. The circus job didn't last long and I came back home," she said.

After her marriage to Donald Cousino, they traveled with a carnival for a few years and lived in the back of a trailer that carried the ferris wheel ride. When their first son, Todd, came along he slept in a wooden crate where the ferris wheel seats were boxed while they ran the ride. He had his first ferris wheel ride when he was three months old. After more children came along they had to give up carnival life, settle down and made their home in Davie County.

Each year at picnic time, for the past 10 years, the Cousinos return to work in the carnival again. "This sort of lets us relive those times. We love to work with people, especially the young ones," Mrs. Cousino said.

"It's always been a family affair, but this year Todd, the oldest, is practicing football, but Eddie is still operating the children's swing ride and Donald and myself are operating the Tilt-A-Whirl ride and Lynn and Shane are just enjoying the carnival," she said.

Doctors have determined that Donald has cancer and this may be his last year at the carnival, but he has determined to come this year for the last ride.

February 11, 1982

W.A. 'Tony' Lowder, rites in Mocksville

MOCKSVILLE — William Anthony "Tony" Lowder, 64, of 1520 Chesborough Road, Winston-Salem, was dead on arrival at High Point Memorial Hospital Tuesday evening.

The funeral will be 4 p.m. Thursday at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel conducted by the Rev. W.F. Thompson. Burial will follow in Oak Grove United Methodist Church cemetery.

The family will be at the funeral home tonight.

Born in Forsyth County, April 20, 1917, he spent his entire life there. He was retired from R.J. Reynolds Industries as a machine mechanic with 41 years of service and was a Methodist.

Survivors include his wife, Ethel McClamrock Lowder, a native of Davie County; two daughters, Mrs. Janet McCorkle of Camden, S.C. and Mrs. Anne Kennedy of Surfside Beach, S.C.;

One stepdaughter, Mrs. Elaine Willis of Davidson County; one sister, Mrs. Virginia Smith of Columbia, S.C.; a number of half-brothers and half-sisters; and three grandchildren.

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MRS. NOTIE SMITH

Mrs. Notie Beauchamp Smith, 85, of 3225 S. Stratford Road, Winston-Salem, widow of W.G. Smith, died at Forsyth Memorial Hospital Sunday morning.

The funeral was conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at First Pentecostal Holiness Church by the Rev. Austin Robertson and the Rev. R.O. Smith. Burial was in Oaklawn Memorial Gardens.

She was born May 4, 1896, in Davie County the daughter of Charlie K. and Senie Orrell Beauchamp. She was a member of First Pentecostal Holiness Church and an active member of the Clemmons Senior Citizens Fellowship of First Pentecostal Holiness Church.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Hazel Miller of 3235 S. Stratford Road and Mrs. Charles E. (Geneva) Scott, Jr. of 349 Knollwood Street; two grandchildren, Farrell W. and Donald G. Scott; four great-grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Martha Davis of Clemmons, Mrs. Alice Myers of Advance, and Mrs. Lillian Sprinkle of Winston-Salem; two brothers, E.G. Beauchamp of Winston-Salem, and Roy C. Beauchamp of Advance.

MRS. JESSIE GRIBBLE

Mrs. Jessie McCleon Gribble, 73, of Mocksville 775 Yadkinville Road, Mocksville died Sunday at Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem.

The funeral was conducted Tuesday at 11 a.m. at Eaton's Funeral Chapel by the Rev. Charles Bullock. Burial was in Sharon Memorial Park in Charlotte.

Mrs. Gribble was born in Mecklenburg County to W.R. and Katherine Robertson McCleod. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Mocksville.

Surviving are her husband,

Charles Baron Gribble; one son, Charles Gribble of Pleasant Garden; three grandchildren; one great-grandchild. Any memorials may be made to First Baptist Church Building Fund of Mocksville.

Reuben D. York

The shooting death of a 42-year old Mocksville man has been ruled suicide by the Davie County Sheriff's Department.

Reuben Douglas York of Rt. 3, Mocksville was found dead Wednesday night. Death was caused by a .12 gauge shot gun blast to the chest.

Tom Foster, Chief Deputy with the Davie County Sheriff's Department, said the body was discovered around 12:30 a.m. by a friend of York's who became concerned when he wouldn't answer the door. The person peered through a window, seeing York's body on the floor.

Dr. Francis Slate, medical examiner, said the incident occurred at approximately 7:00 p.m. Wednesday night.

Foster said evidence confirmed the death as a suicide.

The funeral was held Saturday at 2 p.m. at Courtney Baptist Church by the Rev. Kenneth Pittman. Burial was in the church cemetery.

He was born in Iredell County to the late Reuben Franklin York and Alma Bernice Williams York. He was an employee of Baker Furniture Co. Surviving are his wife,

Mrs. Betty Baity York; one son, Edburn Douglas York, and one daughter, Kimberly Dawn York, both of the home; his mother, Alma Bernice Williams of Randleman; two sisters, Mrs. Johnny (Elaine) Pratt of Rt. 5, Mocksville and Mrs. Francis Williams of Randleman; one brother, Ronnie York of Statesville.

"Paw" - Everette Hugh Brown



Everette Hugh Brown
(Feb. 15, 1913-Feb. 9, 1982)

A lot of people knew and loved him. Those that knew him - almost all called him "Paw". He had a smile that could brighten the darkest day. His eyes were as blue as the sky. He was a good man; a loving, caring man.

After an early retirement (due to illness) on most sunny days one could drive by his house on Jericho

Road and find him sitting on the front porch wishing he were able to be working - but he never complained.

He loved to go for Sunday afternoon drives down all the country roads talking about the work he did when he worked for the Department of Transportation.

Paw was a God-fearing man. He attended church every Sunday until his illness forced him to stay home.

He spent the last five months of his life in the Davie County Hospital - each day a struggle for life. He never gave up - he just gave out. All he wanted was to come home again, but he never got to come to his earthly home. God wanted him in His Heavenly home. And that's where he is now and no longer in pain.

Wendy, his 5-year-old granddaughter (and my sister) said with a smile, "Sissy, we can still talk to Paw - he has just gone to live with God."

I will always love him - he is my best friend and my buddy.

In Memory of Paw,
Frances D. Brown

Davie County man is ruled suicide

MOCKSVILLE — The shooting death of Ruben Douglas York, 42, of Route 3 has been ruled suicide by the Davie County Sheriff's Department.

Deputies said a friend of York's became alarmed when York was not seen on Wednesday. She went to the home, where York lived alone, and looked through a window to discover him on the floor with a bullet wound in the chest. Deputies were notified at 12:30 a.m. Thursday. The time of death was listed at 7 p.m. Wednesday.

Deputies said a double barrel .12 gauge shotgun was used.

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✓ William Alex Bailey Sr., 68, of Rt. 3, Advance, died at Autumn Care Convalescent Center in Mocksville Friday. Funeral services were Sunday, Feb. 28, at 2 p.m. at Advance United Methodist Church by the Rev. Marion Faulk. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

The family requests that any memorials be made to Advance United Methodist Church or the Cancer Fund. Mr. Bailey was born in Franklin County, Va. to the late Taylor F. and Clara Crouse Bailey, and was a retired dairy farmer. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mabel Hartman Bailey of the home; one daughter, Mrs. Callie Terry of Winston-Salem; one son, William A. Bailey Jr. of Rt. 3 Advance; one granddaughter, Dena Elizabeth Terry, and one grandson, David Terry, both of Winston-Salem; one sister, Mrs. Edith Seagle of Acworth, Ga.; one brother, Hubert L. Bailey of Rt. 3, Advance.

✓ MRS. VIVIAN HENDRIX JARVIS
Mrs. Vivian Hendrix Jarvis, 65, 1110 Ashland Drive, Lexington, N.C. died Saturday, February 27, at N.C. Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem. She had been in declining health for two years and seriously ill for four months.

Mrs. Jarvis was born June 5, 1916 in Davie County to the late Louis and Lelia Fry Hendrix. She was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church and was a retired clerk for Fites 50-50 Grocery.

Her husband, Foy C. Jarvis, died March 2, 1970.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Franklin (Susan) Clark of Lexington; one grandchild; one brother, Paul Hendrix of Mocksville; and one sister, Mrs.

Velma Craver of Advance.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at 2 p.m. at Trinity United Methodist Church. Officiating ministers were the Reverend Perry R. Barnhardt and the Reverend Robert L. Oakley. Internment followed in Forest Hill Memorial Park.

Memorials may be made to the North Carolina Kidney Foundation.

✓ MRS. HAGAR C. BARNEY
Mrs. Hagar Cornatzer Barney, 81, of Rt. 2, Advance, died Thursday, Feb. 25 at Medical Park Hospital in Winston-Salem. Funeral services were Saturday at 2 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Home in Mocksville by the Rev. Marion Fulk and the Rev. Alex Alvord. Burial followed in Advance United Methodist Church Cemetery.

Mrs. Barney was born in Davie County, the daughter of George H. and Maggie Charles Cornatzer. She was a member of Advance United Methodist Church.

Surviving are her husband, William Thomas Barney; one daughter, Miss Maggie Lou Barney of Rt. 2, Advance; one sister, Mrs. Annie Sue Markland of Winston-Salem; two brothers, A.C. Cornatzer of Winston-Salem, and Hosea Cornatzer of Jacksonville, Fla.; one granddaughter, Mrs. Wanda Gail Beauchamp of Clemmons; one great grandson, David Wayne Howard of Rt. 2, Advance. She was preceded in death by two sons, Robert Thomas Barney and William Hubert Barney.

✓ FRED A. MARSHALL
Fred Avery Marshall, 67, of 5028 Davis Road, Winston-Salem, died Thursday, Feb. 25 at Stokes-Reynolds Memorial Hospital in Danbury.

He was born Oct. 19, 1914 in Stokes County to Vick O. and Anna Boles

Marshall. He had lived in Forsyth County for the past 25 years and was a member of St. Mark's Methodist Church in Walnut Cove. He was a retired brick mason, and was a member of the Brick Layers Masons and Plasterers International Union Local No. 6.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Gladys White Marshall of the home; three daughters, Mrs. Linda Boyer of Youpon Beach, N.C., Mrs. Betsy Leihenseder and Mrs. Cheryl Stafford, both of Churchland; one son, Gray Marshall of Advance, seven grandchildren; seven sisters, Mrs. Blanche Clark of King, Mrs. Gladys Carroll and Mrs. Alma Morgan, both of Walnut Cove, Mrs. Loraine Bowman of Germantown, Mrs. Margaret Culpepper of Wilson, and Mrs. Clara Brown of Colfax.

Funeral services were Saturday at 2 p.m. at Vogler's Reynolds Road Chapel by the Rev. John F. Fry. Interment followed in Crestview Memorial Park.

✓ MRS. SEBIA H. FULTON
Mrs. Sebba Hutchins Fulton, 82, of 3410 Anderson Dr., Winston-Salem died at Center Clair Nursing Home in Lexington last Wednesday morning. She had been in declining health for some time, and seriously ill for four days. She was the widow of John Wade Fulton, who died in July 1967. She was born in Davie County to William Robin and Millie Stonestreet Hutchins. She spent her early life in Davie County and had lived in Winston-Salem since 1921. She was associated with Spaugh Real Estate and Insurance Co. for many years. Surviving is one son, James Wade Fulton of Winston-Salem. A graveside service was held Friday at 11 a.m. at Forsyth Memorial Park by the Rev. Truett Chadwick and the Rev. Bennie Bearden.

✓ C. W. WHITLEY

Clyde William Whitley, 74, of 19 Duke St., died at his home early Sunday morning.

The funeral was conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. J. D. Revis. Burial followed in Legion Memorial Park in Cooleemee.

Born July 24, 1907, in Davie County, he was the son of the late Rufus Brady and Martha James Whitley. He was a retired employe of Burlington Industries.

Survivors include his wife, Josephine McBride Whitley; one son, C. W. Whitley, Jr. of Duke St., Cooleemee; three sisters, Mrs. Virginia Casey of Salisbury, Mrs. Mae Evans of Mocksville and Mrs. Lillian Drury of Morganton; three brothers, R. B. Whitley, Arthur Whitley and James E. Whitley, all of Cooleemee; and four grandchildren.

✓ WILLIAM A. (TONY) LOWDER

Mr. William Anthony (Tony) Lowder, 64, of 1520 Chesborough Rd., Winston-Salem, was dead on arrival at High Point Memorial Hospital Tuesday, Feb. 23. He had been in declining health, but death was unexpected. Funeral services were held Thursday at 4 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. W.F. Thompson and the Rev. Robert Prentice. Burial followed in Oak Grove United Methodist Church Cemetery. He was born in Forsyth County to Edward and Martha Lowder, having lived here his entire life. He was retired from Reynolds Industries as a machine mechanic with 41 years of service. He was of the Methodist Faith.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ethel McClamrock Lowder of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Janet McCorkle of Camden, S.C., and Mrs. Anne Kennedy of Surfside Beach,

S.C.; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Elaine Willis of Davidson County; one sister, Mrs. Virginia Smith of Columbia, S.C.; a number of half-brothers and half-sisters.

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Glenn O. Boose

"The development of Rich Park is a challenge to each and every citizen of Mocksville," said Glenn O. Boose on February 10, 1949 in a talk to the newly formed Mocksville Jaycee Club. Boose, a teacher and athletic coach at the Mocksville High School, was addressing the need of the Mocksville Community for a lighted athletic field for high school and community contests, and also the need for a recreation area for young boys and girls.



At that time Rich Park was in a run-down, delapidated state and in no way was a tribute to Thomas W. Rich who gave it to the town on October 16, 1940.

The Jaycees picked up the challenge issued that night by Boose and initiated the drive to develop the park. Out of this drive came the formation of the Davie Memorial Association that took over the responsibility of the park, and raised funds for the lighting and developing. Also that same year saw the citizens of the Town of Mocksville adopt a tax-supported recreation program that has meant so much to so many down through the years.

Boose, a native of Forsyth County, came to the Mocksville High School about 1934. He was a math teacher and coached boys basketball. The 1936-37 year saw his boys basketball team post one of the best records in the state winning 27 games and losing only 3.

In the early 1940s, during World War II, he moved to Boyden High School in Salisbury as teacher and coach. In 1947 he returned to Mocksville High to coach both football and basketball, as well as teach math. In 1957, because of health reasons he and his wife, the former Troy Sapp, moved to Florida where both taught until retiring about 10 years ago.

As a teacher and coach in this community, Glenn Boose had a great influence on the many with whom he came in contact. He practiced the belief that education should teach us how to think, rather than what to think. He sought to improve minds to enable us to think for ourselves, rather than just load our memories with the thoughts of other men.

Glenn Boose was a quiet and thoughtful man. He was considerate, unassuming, soft-spoken and kind. He was, in the words of Wordsworth: "A man whose life was filled with little, nameless, unremembered acts of kindness and love."

It was long ago that a great philosopher observed:

"The grandest operations, both in nature and grace, are the most silent and imperceptible.---The shallow brook babbles in its passage and is heard by every one; but the coming of the seasons is silent and unseen.---The storm rages and alarms, but its fury is soon exhausted, and its effects are but partial and soon remedied; but the dew, though gentle and unheard, is immense in quantity, and is the very life of large portions of the earth.---And these are pictures of the operations of grace in the church and in the soul.

The above is certainly attributable to the life of Glenn O. Boose. I feel certain that I am joined by many others when I say:---"My life was made better by the influence of this man during my high school days...he quietly gave so much in so many ways....."

---Gordon Tomlinson

Died March 5, 1982

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JOHN W. ABLY

John Wesley Alby, of Route 3, Advance, died at his home at an early hour Tuesday morning. He was a native of Davie County, and was retired from the City of Winston-Salem. He was a WW II Veteran and a member of Mt. Sinai AME Zion Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ida Crews Alby of the home; two step-sons, Harold E. Crews of Mocksville, and William S. Crews of Winston-Salem; five step-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Macon Davis of Winston-Salem; one aunt, Mrs. Perlie Ellis of Winston-Salem, and one uncle, Mr. James R. Fuller of Roanoke, Va.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, 4:00 p.m. at Mt. Sinai AME Zion Church in Advance, N.C. Dr. A.M. Spaulding will officiate; and burial will follow in the church cemetery. The body will lie in state at the church two hours prior to funeral time, and will not be viewed after the eulogy. The family will meet with friends in the chapel of Morrison-Studevent Funeral Home in Mocksville, Thursday evening from 7-8 p.m.

GLENN O. BOOSE

Glenn Oscar Boose, 76, formerly of Mocksville, N.C. died Friday morning at a Florida hospital, from complications of a fall he suffered at his apartment in Hollywood, Florida, two weeks ago.

Mr. Boose was born November 28, 1905, in Forsyth County to the late Newton and Ellen Boose.

He was a retired school teacher and coach, having taught 20 years in Mocksville; and several years at Hollywood, Florida. He retired ten years ago. He was a member of Hollywood United Methodist Church, where he served as an usher and was treasurer for several years. Mr. Boose was married to Troy Sapp Boose.

Memorial services were held Sunday afternoon at three o'clock at Hollywood United Methodist Church. Officiating minister was the Reverend Bob Temple.

Survivors other than his wife of the home include: four brothers, Roy, Harvey and Russell all of Winston-Salem, N.C. and Sam Boose of Elkin, N.C.; and one sister, Mrs. Grace Kelly of Winston-Salem.

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(Mrs. Roy David Peeler)

PEELER

Mrs. Frances Anderson Peeler, 82, of 642 Irving Street, died Sunday at Forsyth Memorial Hospital. Graveside services will be conducted at 3 p.m. Tuesday at Shiloh United Church of Christ in Faith, N.C. by the Rev. Boyce Huffstetler. She was born in Davie County and was married to Roy David Peeler who died in 1970. Most of her life was in Forsyth County where she was a member of Ardmore United Methodist Church. She was employed by R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company as a secretary in the Reynolds Building. Surviving are one sister, Mrs. Spencer M. Johnson of Statesville; one brother, John N. Anderson of Rt. 1, Mocksville; and a number of nieces and nephews. Any memorials may be made to church or charity of the donor's choice. The family will receive friends from 7 to 8 p.m. at Vogler's Main Street Chapel.

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✓ **MRS. ZELLA WARD FEREBEE**
Mrs. Zella Ward Ferebee, 89, of Mocksville, died Monday at Davie County Hospital.

The funeral was held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel in Mocksville by Dr. Wilson Nesbitt. Burial was in Welsey Chapel United Methodist Church Cemetery.

Mrs. Ferebee was the widow of William Flave Ferebee, who died in 1979. She was a member of Center United Methodist Church.

Surviving are seven daughters: Mrs. Annie Lois Simpson of Columbia, S.C.; Mrs. Kathrine Lowdermilk of Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. Lue Bailey of Northcrosse, Ga.; Mrs. Virginia Harris of Burlington; Mrs. Amanda Wilkerson of Mebane, Mrs. Maxine Pruitt of Greensboro; and Mrs. Carolyn Holt of Graham; four sons, John F. Ferebee and William W. Ferebee, both of Rt. 1, Mocksville, Col. Thomas Ferebee, Retired of Orlando, Fla.; and Joseph B. Ferebee of Charlotte; one sister, Mrs. Eloise Ward of Mocksville; one brother, Claudius Ward of Winston-Salem; 25 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

✓ **MRS. OPAL BAITY LATHAM**

Mrs. Opal Baity Latham, 75, was dead on arrival Friday at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

She was a native of Davie County but had been living with a daughter at 4061 Hasting Road, Kernersville.

The funeral was conducted at 4 p.m. Monday at Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church by the Rev. Ray Suratt.

Burial was in the church cemetery.

She was born in Yadkin County

March 6, 1907, to the late Tom and Addie Hoots Baity. She was a member of Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church and was married to the late Grady Latham who died in 1977.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Addie Latham Williams of 4061 Hasting Road, Kernersville; three grandchildren, June and Bernie Williams and Mrs. Kathy Williams Sells of Hasting Road; six sisters, Mrs. Zola Joyner, Miss Polly Baity, Mrs. Nettie Stones, and Mrs. Leona Reed, all of Winston-Salem.

Mrs. Stella White of Mocksville, and Mrs. Thelma Rhoark of Charlotte; one half-sister, Mrs. Annie McDavie of Virginia; one brother, John Henry Baity of Yadkinville; one half-brother, Verldine Baity of Yadkinville.

✓ **MRS. WILLIE VIOLA ALLEN**

Mrs. Willie Viola Allen, of Route 2, Advance, died at Davie County Hospital Thursday morning after a long illness.

Surviving are one son, Robert Wilson Allen of Silver Springs, Md.; one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Margaret Allen, and one grandchild, Robie Lynn Allen, both of Silver Springs, Md.; four brothers, Ervin, Gilbert and Eugene Willson, all of Mocksville, and John Wilson of Lexington; four sisters, Mrs. Beulah Scott, Mrs. Arie I James and Mrs. Beatrice Cain, all of Mocksville, and Mrs. Alberta Foster of Inwood, N.Y.

The funeral was held Sunday at 1 p.m. at Smith Grove A.M.E. Zion Church in Davie County with burial in the church cemetery.

✓ **MRS. FRANCES ANDERSON PEELER**

Mrs. Frances Anderson Peeler, 82, of 642 Irving Street, Winston-Salem died Sunday at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

Graveside services were conducted at 3 p.m. Tuesday at Shiloh United Church of Christ in Faith, N.C. by the Rev. Boyce Huffstetler.

She was born in Davie County and was married to Roy David Peeler who died in 1970. Most of her life was in Forsyth County where she was a member of Ardmore United Methodist Church.

She was employed by R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company as a secretary in the Reynolds Building.

Surviving are one sister, Mrs. Spencer M. Johnson of Statesville; one brother, John N. Anderson of Rt. 1, Mocksville; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Any memorials may be made to church or charity of the donor's choice.

✓ **MRS. LELIA MAE YORK ADAMS**

Mrs. Lelia Mae York Adams, 81, of Rt. 1, Ronda, died at her home Sunday morning.

The funeral was conducted at 3 p.m. Tuesday at Mackie-Gentry Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. John Willard and the Rev. Jerry Adams. Burial was in the Church of Christ at Shacktown Cemetery.

Mrs. Adams was born in Yadkin County, the daughter of M.G. and Lillie Caudle York. She was a member of the Church of Christ at Nebo.

Her husband Allen E. Adams died August 7, 1972.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Louella Davis of Rt. 1, East Bend, Mrs. Mae Casstevens of

Ronda, and Mrs. Jonna Blevins of Rt. 1, Hamptonville; one son, Berley Adams of Rt. 6, Lexington; four sisters, Mrs. Rosebud Caudle and Mrs. Laura Cline, both of Rt. 1, Yadkinville, Mrs. Amelia Dinkins of Rt. 2, Yadkinville, and Mrs. Betty Peace of Trinity; five brothers, Lewis and Henry York, both of Rt. 5, Mocksville, Alvis York of Clemmons, Clarence York of Rt. 2, Yadkinville, and Travis York of Advance; 16 grandchildren.

✓ JOHN P. LEGRAND JR.

John P. LeGrand Jr., 49, of Burtonsville, Md., formerly of Mocksville, died Friday March 26, at his home.

He was born Oct. 10, 1932, the son of Elizabeth Johnson LeGrand of Mocksville, and the late John P. LeGrand.

He attended Mocksville Schools, Mars Hill College and was graduated in 1958 from Florida State University. He served in the U.S. Navy.

He was in the restaurant business in the Washington area for about 25 years and recently sold The Tack Room, a restaurant he owned in Silver Springs, Maryland.

He is survived in addition to his mother, by his wife, Judith Levine LeGrand; a daughter, Linda Ann LeGrand; a son, John P. Le Grand III; and a sister, Mrs. Romulus T. Weatherman of Lexington, Va.

A funeral and burial were held Monday March 29, in Burtonsville. A memorial service was conducted Monday morning by the Rev. Charles Bullock and the Rev. Leland Richardson at the First Baptist Church in Mocksville.

✓ THOMAS MYERS

Thomas Myers, 75, of Advance, Rt. 2, died Saturday morning at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

The funeral was held Monday at 2 p.m. at Eatons Funeral Chapel in Mocksville by the Rev. Tony Jordan and the Rev. Marion Faulk. Burial was in Elbaville United Methodist Church Cemetery.

Mr. Myers was born in Davie County, the son of the late Jess and Cora Wilson Myers. He was a retired farmer.

Surviving are one sister, Mrs. Jennie Cornatzer of Rt. 2, Advance, and several nieces and nephews.

✓ MRS. ESCHOL S. SMITH

Mrs. Eschol Stroud Smith, 82, died Monday at the Davie County Hospital, following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Iredell County, October 1, 1899 to the late Amanda and Nathan Wheeler Stroud.

She has spent her life in the Rock Springs community.

Survivors include her husband, John Douglas Smith of the home; one sister, Mrs. Gaither Wooten of Rt. 6 Mocksville; and nine nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Liberty Wesleyan Church in Sheffield, with the Rev. Jeff Collins, Rev. Bill Walker and the Rev. Eugene Smith officiating. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

✓ Horace F. Bowers, Rt. 4, Mocksville

✓ MOCKSVILLE — Horace F. Bowers, 81, of Route 4, died Tuesday evening at the N.C. Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem following a serious illness of several weeks.

The funeral will be 2 p.m. Friday at the Cooleemee First Baptist Church conducted by the Rev. L. Lee Whitlock, pastor and the Rev. E.M. James. Burial will be in Legion Memorial Park in Cooleemee.

The family will be at the funeral home on Thursday night from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Born Feb. 24, 1901, in Wilkes County, he was a son of the late Winfield and Carolina Roberts Bowers. He was retired from Cooleemee Mills as a loom fixer and was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Essie Creason Bowers; one daughter, Mrs. Helen Gaither of Route 1, Harmony; one son, Hal Bowers of the Salisbury VA Medical Center;

One sister, Mrs. Essie McDaniel of Cooleemee; three brothers, Obert, Mack and Olin Bowers, all of Cooleemee; two grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

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✓ Bessie G. Barber, 72, of Cooleemee

✓ COOLEEMEE — Mrs. Bessie Gardner Barber, 72, of 12 Yadkin St., died Wednesday at Autumn Care Convalescent Center in Mocksville after being in declining health for several months.

The funeral will be 4 p.m. Friday at the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd conducted by the Rev. Willis Rosenthal. Burial will be in Christ Episcopal Church cemetery in Cleveland.

The family will be at Eaton's Funeral Home in Mocksville tonight from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Born in Rowan County, July 7, 1909, she was a daughter of the late William Thomas and Alice Pinkston Gardner. She was a retired employee of Erwin Mills and was a member of the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd. Her husband, Elmer M. Barber, died May 31, 1980.

Survivors include two sons, James E. Barber of Columbia, S.C. and Clyde M. Barber of Cooleemee; one sister, Mrs. Pearl Robinson of Salisbury; one brother, Sam Gardner of Cleveland; 10 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.



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HARLEY C. SOFLEY

Harley Cleveland Sofley, 77, of Gwyn Street, Mocksville, died Monday morning at North Arundel Hospital in Glen Burnie, Maryland.

Funeral services will be held at the First Baptist Church in Mocksville, Thursday morning at 11 o'clock, with the Reverend Charles Bullock officiating. The body will lie in state one-half hour prior to the service.

Burial will be in Rose Cemetery. He was born March 13, 1905, in Davie County to the late Thomas Wiley Sofley and Barbara Allen Sofley. He was a member of First Baptist Church and was a retired barber.

His wife Jessie Bell Henry Sofley died Jan. 26, 1956.

Survivors include 2 sons, Bill Sofley of Crafton, Md., and Bob Sofley of Millersville, Md.; several grandchildren; 5 sisters, Mrs. Pauline Allen of Route 7 Mocksville, Mrs. Ester Allen of Route 2, Mocksville, Miss Juanita Sofley, Miss Julia Sofley and Miss Nannie Smith, all of Route 1, Advance, N.C.; and 1 brother, Alan Sofley of Elkin, N.C.

April 1, 1982



Harley Sofley

For more than 50 years Harley Sofley and his barber shop were almost landmarks for downtown Mocksville.

Completing barber college in 1925, his first job was with barbers Grady and Walter Call in the old Weant Building. At that time a haircut cost a mere .35-cents, as did a bath, massage, shampoo. A shave was only .20 cents.

Working in barbershops located in various places around the square, Sofley moved in 1934 into a shop located just behind what is now Mocksville Furniture Company. For the next 43 years this shop not only provided haircuts and shaves, but also served as a gathering place for those wanting to keep up with the latest news in and around Davie.

Harley Sofley opened his barbershop early in the morning (6:30 or 7 a.m.) and stayed open until 8 or 9 p.m. Monday through Friday, and often as late as midnight on Saturdays.

In addition to barbering, Harley Sofley took orders for tailor-made suits, rented out cars for taxis, sold real estate and built houses.

In our bicentennial issue in 1976, this newspaper carried an article about Harley Sofley and the changes he had seen take place in and around Mocksville for half a century. He recalled when the huge pin oaks were planted on the square and watching them grow through the years. He also witnessed the paving of the highway and square, and the arrival of motor cars.

For the past several years Harley Sofley had been in declining health and was confined to a nursing home located near one of his sons in Crafton, Maryland. He died early this week in a hospital there.

There are many in this area that remember Harley Sofley and the experience of having a haircut by him. Noted for his speed and dexterity with the clippers it was often said that when in his chair use only short sentences in conversation.....your haircut was finished often before you could tell him how you wanted it cut.

Time marches on but men like Harley Sofley will always be remembered.....for he was so much a part of the scene.

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Area Obituaries

✓ MRS. CELIA ANDERSON

Mrs. Celia Shaw Anderson, 80, of 309 Wilkesboro Street, died at Davie County Hospital Thursday morning.

The funeral was held Saturday at 11 a.m. at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel in Mocksville by the Rev. Charles Bullock. Burial was in Rose Cemetery.

Mrs. Anderson was born in Iredell County to Henry and Julia Renegar Shaw, and was a member of First Baptist Church of Mocksville.

Surviving are her husband, Charles Spurgeon Anderson of the home; one daughter, Mrs. Lucille Brown of Mocksville; one son, Dr. Henry Shaw Anderson of Spartanburg, S.C.; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; two brothers, Turner Shaw of Rt. 2, Harmony, and Dr. L. R. Shaw of Statesville.

✓ JAMES R. JORDAN

James Richard Jordan, 56, of Marginal St., Cooleemee died at Forsyth Memorial Hospital in Winston-Salem on Thursday afternoon.

A graveside service was held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday in City Memorial Park in Salisbury conducted by the Rev. L. Lee Whitlock, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Cooleemee.

Born June 27, 1925, in Davie County, he was a son of the late Ben F. and Hattie Goodman Jordan. He was employed by FCX in Cleveland.

Survivors include his wife, Ruby Miller Jordan; one daughter, Mrs. Debbie Harris of Mocksville; two sons, Gary Jordan of Winston-Salem and Steve Jordan of Mocksville;

Two sisters, Mrs. Sadie Hodge of Route 7, Mocksville and Mrs. Alice Raney of Salisbury; two brothers, Scott and Ray Jordan, both of Cooleemee; and six grandchildren.

✓ RONALD C. FREEMAN

Ronald Craig Freeman, 42, of West Helena Ark., died Sunday at Arkansas Hospital. Death was unexpected.

He was born in Davie County, Sept. 22, 1939, to Mr. and Mrs. Madison C. Freeman of Rt. 7, Mocksville. He was a graduate of Davie County High School, was a welder with Frank Gregory and Co. in West Helena, and was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force.

Funeral services will be Thursday at Citizens Funeral Home in West Helena, Ark. with burial in West Helena Cemetery.

Surviving in addition to his parents of Mocksville, are three daughters, Mrs. Debbie Rutledge of Scooby, Miss. Mrs. Tammy Bridgett of the home, and Mrs. Robin Mallard of West Helena, Ark.; one son, Ronald Freeman Jr. of the home; one sister, Mrs. Phyllis F. Sells of Spencer; one brother, Francis Craig Freeman of Mocksville.

✓ MRS. BESSIE G. BARBER

Mrs. Bessie Gardner Barber, 72, of 12 Yadkin St., Cooleemee, died March 31st at Autumn Care Center in Mocksville after being in declining health for several months.

The funeral was held Friday at the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd conducted by the Rev. Willis Rosenthal. Burial was in Christ Episcopal Church cemetery in Cleveland.

Born in Rowan County, July 7, 1909, she was a daughter of the late William Thomas and Alice Pinkston Gardner. She was a retired employee of Erwin Mills and was a member of the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd. Her husband, Elmer M.

Barber, died May 31, 1980.

Survivors include two sons, James E. Barber of Columbia, S.C. and Clyde M. Barber of Cooleemee; one sister, Mrs. Pearl Robinson of Salisbury; one brother, Sam Gardner of Cleveland; 10 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

✓ HORACE F. BOWERS

Horace Festal Bowers, 81, of Route 4, Mocksville, died March 30th at N.C. Baptist Hospital after two weeks of serious illness.

The funeral was held Friday at 2 p.m. at Cooleemee First Baptist Church by the Rev. Lee Whitlock and the Rev. Ernest James. Burial was in Legion Memorial Park Cemetery.

He was born in Wilkes County to the late Winfield and Carolina Roberts Bowers, was a retired textile worker, and a member of Cooleemee First Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Essie Creason Bowers of the home; one daughter, Mrs. Helen Gaither of Rt. 1, Harmony; one son, Hal Bowers of Salisbury; two grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild; one sister, Mrs. Essie McDaniel of Cooleemee; three brothers, Obert Bowers, Mack Bowers and Olin Bowers, all of Cooleemee.

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✓ **LESTER O. McCULLOUGH**
Lester Odell McCullough, 65, of Route 2, Crestview, Salisbury, N.C. died April 7th at Rowan Memorial Hospital after being in declining health for several years.

The funeral was held Friday at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel in Mocksville conducted by the Rev. Lawrence Bollinger, pastor of St. Luke's Lutheran Church in Bear Poplar. Burial was in Rose Cemetery in Mocksville.

Born August 31, 1916, in Davie County, he was a son of the late Mamie McCullough.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Elizabeth Rattledge McCullough; one son, Lester Wayne McCullough of Faith; a stepson, Charlie "Benny" Franklin Hendrix of Salisbury; four grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

✓ **JACK D. RODWELL**

Jack D. Rodwell, 73, of 240 South St., Holyoke, Mass., died March 15th in the Holyoke Soldiers Home. He was the husband of Lucille (Gagnel) Rodwell and a retired carpenter for Daniel J. O'Connell Sons.

He was born in Mocksville, N.C., May 4, 1908, son of the late Dr. John W. and Quilla (Cain) Rodwell. Educated in the local schools, he was a graduate of North Carolina State. He lived most of his life in Holyoke, Mass.

Mr. Rodwell was an Air Force veteran of World War II, serving in the Solomon Islands, Philippines, New Guinea and the Luzon Campaign. He received five Battle Stars, a Bronze Service Star, Victory Medal, Pacific Theatre Ribbons, American Theatre Ribbons and a

Philippine Ribbon.

He was a communicant of Perpetual Help Church, and was a member of Holyoke, Inc. He had served on the executive board of the Massachusetts State Council of Carpenters, the trustees of the Board of Health and Welfare for Carpenters Union Local 540, and was business representative for the Carpenters District Council.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two daughters, Jacqueline Mann of Virginia, and Lorraine Arnelas of California; a brother, John H. Rodwell of Glen Burnie, Md., two sisters, Louise Merone and Emily Cartmell, both of Mocksville; eight grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

The funeral was held March 18th at the James P. Hobert and Sons Funeral Home, followed by the liturgy of Christian in Perpetual Help Church. Burial was in Notre Dame Cemetery, South Hadley.

✓ **H. F. DOUTHIT**

Hugh Franklin (Shike) Douthit, 67, of Advance, Rt. 3, died at Forsyth Memorial Hospital at 7:30 a.m. Saturday after a lengthy illness and serious for three weeks.

He was born in Davie County June 5, 1914, to William S. and Lola Swearingen Douthit. He had spent all of his life in Davie County and was a self-employed route dealer for Biltmore Dairies and was a member of Macedonia Moravian Church.

He was married August 11, 1932, to Arlene Cope Douthit who survives of the home.

Other survivors include one son, Randall Jake Douthit of Clemmons; three daughters, Mrs. Peggy Bailey of Advance, Rt. 1, Mrs. Diane Smith of High Point, and Mrs. Sarah

Alexander of King; eight grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Charlie W. Hudspeth of Winston-Salem and Mrs. Homer G. Sutton of Oldtown; three brothers, Joseph E. Douthit of Clemmons, and Robert P. and William S. Douthit, both of Winston-Salem.

The funeral was conducted at 3 p.m. Monday at Macedonia Moravian Church by the Rev. E. Hampton Morgan, Jr., the Rev. John Kapp, and the Rev. Norman Byerly. Burial was in the church graveyard.

✓ **DARRELL DEINES**

Darrell Deines of 2 Blenheim Drive Easton, Pennsylvania died at Easton Hospital on Saturday, April 10th.

He had been ill for the past 16 months. He was born May 5, 1933, in Wakeeny, Kansas to Mr. and Mrs. Adam Lee Deines.

Upon his medical retirement he was manager of Central Technical Services at the Easton facility of Ingersoll-Rand Company. Prior to this assignment he was employed by the Portable Compressor Division of the Ingersoll-Rand plant in Mocksville and was a former resident at 715 Magnolia Ave. of that city for 14 years.

Surviving are his wife, Yvonne; one daughter, Kim Elise; one son, Roger Lee of the home; his mother, Olinda of Russell, Kansas; a brother, Adam Lee of Roswell, New Mexico; a brother, Robert R. of Wichita, Kansas; a sister, Mrs. Wilmetta Reynolds of San Diego, California.

A memorial service was held at the Finegan Funeral Home in Phillipsburg, New Jersey on

Monday evening, April 12th.

The family requests that memorials be made to the Cancer Fund, Easton Hospital, Easton, Pennsylvania 18042.

✓ **CAROLYN W. WHITE**

Funeral services for Mrs. Carolyn Wagner White, 64, of Cooleemee were held Monday at 4 p.m. in Eaton's Funeral Chapel, Mocksville, by the Rev. Lee Whitlock. Burial was in Legion Memorial Park, Cooleemee.

Mrs. White died Saturday morning in Rowan Memorial Hospital where she had been a patient for more than six weeks. She had been in declining health several months.

Pall bearers were: Ken Sales, Hayden Benson, Craig Snead, Jim Alexander, Dr. John Spargo and Buc McClamrock.

Mrs. White was retired from Burlington Mills. She served as librarian at the Cooleemee Library where she also held a weekly Story Hour class. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Cooleemee and was a Sunday School teacher. She also served as a member of the Cooleemee Recreation Commission.

Survivors include her husband, Bill White, a sister, Mrs. Ethel Campbell of Tucson, Arizona; a twin brother, Neil Wagner of Falls Church, Virginia; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to the Cooleemee First Baptist Church.

The Human Hand

The human hand contains 27 different bones, which allows the hand to do a variety of tasks, from throwing a ball to writing a letter. National Geographic World magazine says.

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Local Death

MRS. ELVA L. REAVIS

Mrs. Elva Louisa Reavis, 82, widow of Turner W. Reavis of Route 8, Mocksville, died Tuesday morning at Hoots Memorial Hospital in Yadkinville.

She was born June 28, 1899 in Yadkin County to Giles W. and Ida Wooten Reavis. Surviving are four daughters: Mrs. Joseph H. (Pauline) Harpe and Mrs. Eldon (Peggy) Wishon of Route 8, Mocksville; Mrs. Ernest H. (Mildred) Phillips of 1021 Long Drive, Winston-Salem, and Mrs. Jimmy (Carolyn) Bray of Route 4, Yadkinville; three sons, Ralph M. Reavis, 481 Rustic Road, Winston-Salem; Leo Reavis of 4001 Poindexter Avenue, Winston-Salem, and Bill Reavis of 2931 Waterford Road, Winston-Salem; twenty-two grandchildren and fifteen great grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Lattie (Naomi) Whitaker and Mrs. John (Beulah) Wells of Route 8, Mocksville and Mrs. Velma R. Broome of Salisbury.

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Funeral services will be held at Liberty Baptist Church Thursday at 2:30 p.m. Burial will be in South Oak Ridge Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Mackie-Gentry Funeral Home in Yadkinville from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Wednesday.

Funerals

at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel in Mocksville conducted by the Rev. Alton Fitzgerald. Graveside services were at 11 a.m. Tuesday in Bethlehem Cemetery in Altamahaw conducted by the Rev. John Oliver.

Born in Alamance County, August 11, 1895, she was a daughter of the late Joel R. and Nannie Brown Shepherd. She was a member of Camp Springs United Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband, John W. Perkins; two brothers, C.W. Shepherd of Cooleemee and Dr. David W. Shepherd of Wake Forest; two stepsons, Glenn Perkins of Reidsville and Elvin Perkins of Greensboro;

Five stepdaughters, Mrs. Francis Spaugh, Mrs. Inez Phillips and Mrs. Mary Yates, all of Reidsville, Mrs. Effie Neighbors of Winston-Salem, and Mrs. Ruth McKinney of Roanoke, Va.; 20 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

MRS. RUBY H. BRYANT

Mrs. Ruby Howard Bryant, 69, of 302 Ricks Drive, died at Forsyth Memorial Hospital Wednesday morning. Funeral services were held Saturday at 2 p.m. at Hanes Baptist Church by Dr. Samuel L. Greeson and the Rev. J.B. Parker. Burial followed in Forsyth Memorial Park.

Mrs. Bryant was born March 16, 1913 in Davie County to Tom and Dora Howard. She was a member of Hanes Baptist Church and was a retired employee of Hanes Corp.

Surviving are her husband, Harvey W. Bryant; two daughters, Miss Janie Bryant of the home and Mrs. Pat Bellmer of Indianapolis, Ind.; two sons, Jack E. Bryant of Bethania, and Ronald G. Bryant of Wickenburg, Ariz.; two grandchildren; four sisters, Mrs. Helen Holder, Mrs. Ruth McKnight and Mrs. Lorene Scott, all of Clemmons, and Miss Mary Howard of High Point; one brother, Thomas Howard of Advance.

KEETON

Mr. Henry Clayton Keeton, 78, of 1101 Willard Street, Greensboro, died Saturday morning at Greenhaven Nursing Home in Greensboro. He was born June 1, 1903, in Davie County to Martin Luther and Emma Evans Keeton. He spent his early life in Davie County with most of his life being spent in Guilford County. He was retired sawmill operator. He is survived by his mother of Meadowbrook Manor, Clemmons; two brothers, Louis Mills of

Advance and Troy Vanburen Keeton of Sholotte; four sisters, Mary Kay Keeton of Lewisville, Rosa Byerly of Winston-Salem, Nettie Miles and Irene Picket, both of Greensboro. Funeral services will be conducted at 4 p.m. Monday at Hayworth-Miller Silas Creek Chapel by the Rev. Charles Randolph. Burial will be in Concord United Methodist Church Cemetery. The family will receive friends at Hayworth-Miller Silas Creek Funeral Home from 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday.

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Ted L. Junker



The funeral for Theodore Lloyd Junker, 273 Wandering Lane, Mocksville, will be held Thursday at 1 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church of Mocksville. The Rev. Leland Richardson and the Rev. Bill Long will officiate. Burial will be in the Philadelphia Presbyterian Church Cemetery in Mint Hill at 3:30 p.m.

Ted Junker, as he was known to so many friends throughout Davie County, died Tuesday afternoon at the N.C. Baptist Hospital. He was 71 years old.

He was born on July 12, 1910 in Mecklenburg County, the son of W.M. and Rena McLean Junker.

His early life was spent in Mecklenburg County. In 1944 he moved his family to Mocksville where he joined his brother, the late Eugene W. Junker, in the operation of Farmers Hardware, Inc. located on Salisbury St. in the building now occupied by Belts Inc.

In 1965 Ted joined his son, Bill in the operation of Junker & Son Feed Mill, located off Salisbury St. in Mocksville.

Ted Junker was a quiet man. His activities on behalf of others were always quietly carried out without attracting a great deal of attention. Take for example:

...As a member of the Mocksville Rotary Club he served in many official capacities including that of president.

...He was an active member of the First Presbyterian Church of Mocksville serving as deacon, elder, and clerk of session.

...He has served as a member of the board of directors of Central Carolina Bank since location by that institution of a branch in Mocksville.

...He was a member of the Mocksville Masonic Lodge No. 134.

Ted Junker was a man typified in the observation many years ago by William Cecil, a famous statesman of England:

The grandest operations, both in nature and grace, are the most silent and imperceptible.—The shallow brook babbles in its passage and is heard by every one; but the coming on of the seasons is silent and unseen.—The storm rages and alarms, but its fury is soon exhausted, and its effects are but partial and soon remedied; but the dew, though gentle and unheard, is immense in quantity, and is the very life of large portions of the earth.—And these are pictures of the operations of grace in the church and in the soul."

He is survived by his wife, the former Jessie Flowers; one daughter, Mrs. John F. Long, Jr. of Cary, N.C.; one son, William F. Junker of Mocksville, N.C.; one sister, Mrs. Zebulon Morris of Charlotte; and seven grandchildren.

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Talmadge Nesbit, preceded her in death in 1972.
Survivors include three sons, Edward E. Nesbit of Route 8, Salisbury, Talmadge W. Nesbit of Woodleaf and William Wayne Nesbit of Coolee; four daughters, Mrs. J. Maxie Cheek of Coolee, Mrs. Clineard P. Howard of Mocksville, Mrs. William M. Gatewood of Asheville and Mrs. Lem H. Bryant of Mt. Brook, Ala.; one brother, C. H. Wetmore of Woodleaf; three sisters, Mrs. Fred Kooontz and Mrs. Troy Gillean, both of Salisbury, and Mrs. W. P. Moore of the Methodist Home in Charlotte; 17 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

DUKE RATLEDGE, JR., 52, of Duke Martin Ratledge, Jr., 52, of Route 1, died Thursday of a heart attack at Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem. He had been in declining health following his first attack in 1981.
The funeral was conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday at Society Baptist Church officiated by the Rev. Sidney R. Grimes and the Rev. Grady L. Tutterow. Burial followed in the church cemetery.
Born June 1, 1929, in Davie County, Mr. Ratledge was a son of Eva Hunter Ratledge of Autumn Care Nursing Home, Mocksville, and the late Duke Martin Ratledge Sr. He was a veteran of the Korean Conflict, serving in the U.S. Army. He worked for Piedmont Garment Company in Harmony and was a member of Society Baptist Church. Survivors in addition to his mother include his wife, Janice Ann Stroud Ratledge, whom he married in 1951; one son, Samuel M. Ratledge of Lackland Air Force

MRS. MARY W. NESBIT, 94, of Barber Road, Woodleaf, died at 5 a.m. Thursday in Brookwood Hospital in Homewood, Ala., following an illness of four days.
The funeral was held Saturday, 3 p.m., at Woodleaf Unity Presbyterian Church conducted by Dr. David L. Henry. Burial followed in the church cemetery.
Palbearers were Bill Nesbit, Tim Nesbit, Gary Nesbit, John Cheek, Robert Cheek and Annie Bryant.
Memorials can be made to the Unity Presbyterian Church memorial fund.
Born February 11, 1888, in Rowan County, Mrs. Nesbit was a daughter of the late Samuel H. and Mollie Hart Wetmore. She was educated in the Rowan County schools and was a member of Unity Presbyterian Church. Her husband, Oscar

Base, Texas; one daughter, Sandra G. Ratledge of the home; two brothers, Donnie J. Ratledge and Jerry L. Ratledge both of Mocksville; and two sisters, Mrs. Frances Peoples and Mrs. Shirley Lanning, both of Mocksville.

JOHN JAMES TAYLOR, John James Taylor, 72, of 124 E. Water Street, Mocksville, died at Forsyth Memorial Hospital early Friday morning.
Funeral services were conducted Sunday at 4 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel in Mocksville by the Rev. Leland Richardson. Burial followed in Rowan Memorial Park in Salisbury.

He was born in Davie County to the late Gus and Emma Wilson Taylor, and was a retired employee of Baker Furniture Co.
Surviving are his wife, Cora Lyerly Taylor of the home; one daughter, Mrs. Judy Link of Rt. 8, Salisbury; one son, Richard Taylor of Mocksville; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

VIRGINIA DRAUGHN, Mrs. Virginia Greene Draughn, 48, of 241 Gwyn St., died at Davie County Hospital Sunday night after being in declining health for some time.
The funeral will be 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at St. Francis Catholic Church conducted by the Rev. Noll McSweeney. Burial will be in Salem Baptist Church cemetery in Surry County.
Born Sept. 12, 1933, in Surry County she was a daughter of the late Reginald Franklin and Leona Pratt Greene. She was a member of St. Francis Catholic Church and was employed at Fiber Industries. Survivors include two daughters,

Mrs. Brenda Draughn Anderson of Route 7 and Mrs. Sandra Draughn Moon of Route 4, both of Mocksville; five sons, Frank Reginald Greene of Vermont, Paul Randolph Greene Draughn, Jr. of 237 Morris St., Mocksville, Keith Edward and Bryon Patric Draughn, both of the home, and Jimmy Ray Draughn of Louisiana.
Two sisters, Miss Jeanie Greene and Miss Irene Deebow Greene, both of Massachusetts; two brothers, William Arthur Greene of Atlanta, Ga. and John Greene of Massachusetts; and four grandchildren.

REV. HENRY RIDENHOUR, The Rev. Henry Isley Ridenhour, a well-known Surry County leader, died of cancer April 12th at Forsyth Memorial Hospital in Winston-Salem.

A native of Coolee, he was the son of M. H. and Grace Isley Ridenhour.
A member of the Western North Carolina United Methodist Church, he was a graduate of the Coolee High School, Brevard College, High Point College, and Duke Divinity School.
He served with the U.S. Army in World War II as a chaplain with the rank of Major.
He was Dean of Men and taught at High Point College from 1947-1951. He served First United Methodist Church of Taylorsville from 1951 to 1958, the First Methodist Church of Pilot Mountain from 1958-1966, and was the Assistant to Admissions at Brevard College from 1966 to present.
He served as President of the Pilot Mountain Civitan Club and was elected Civitan of the Year by that club. He was past master of the Pilot Mt. Masonic Lodge No. 493. He

The funeral was held Thursday at the First United Methodist Church of Pilot Mountain with graveside services following at the Rowan Memorial Park near Salisbury. The Rev. Jody Seymour, the Rev. Gene Little and the Rev. Lester Sheppard officiated.

ADA S. PERKINS, Mrs. Ada Shepherd Perkins, 86, of Coolee, formerly of Route 2, Elon College, N.C., died early Sunday morning at Rowan Memorial Hospital.
The funeral was at 4 p.m. Monday

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MRS. MILDRED GIBSON

Mrs. Mildred Journey Gibson, 60, of Route 4, was dead on arrival at Davie County Hospital April 21st.

The funeral was held Friday at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel conducted by the Rev. Fred Carlton and the Rev. J. D. Revis. Burial was in Tabor Presbyterian Church cemetery in Iredell County.

Born March 21, 1922, in Iredell County, she was a daughter of the late McKinley and Nettie Johnson Journey. She was a member of Tabor Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include her husband, Raymond Gibson; two daughters, Mrs. Darlene Felts and Mrs. Brenda Pope, both of Roanoke, Va.; one son William L. Holmes of Roanoke, Va.; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Linda Miller of Winston-Salem; two stepsons, Joe Gibson of Cooleemee and Raymond Gibson, Jr. of Greensboro;

Five sisters, Mrs. Lucy Mahaffey of Statesville, Mrs. Peggy Hicks and Mrs. Martha Harwell, both of Charlotte, Mrs. Ruth Jackson of Lenoir and Mrs. Sue Jones of Six Mile, S.C.; six brothers, Ralph Journey of Harmony, Bill Wooten of Newton, Neal Wooten of Statesville, Don and Gerald Wooten, both of Catawba and Sam Wooten of Macon, Ga.; one step sister, Mrs. Beth Bell of Statesville; one step-brother, James Long Wooten of Statesville; five grandchildren; and three stepgrandchildren.

MRS. MARY LANGSTON

Mrs. Mary L. Driver Langston, 71, of Rt. 5, Mocksville, died Saturday morning at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

The funeral was conducted at 3

p.m. Monday at Eaton Baptist Church by the Rev. Wayne Hill. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Langston was born in Davie County the daughter of Dabney and Dora Smith Lowery. She was a member of Eaton Baptist Church and was retired from Blackweilder Manufacturing Company.

She was first married to Jesse T. Driver who died in 1973. Her second marriage was to Macy Langston who died in 1979.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. J. C. (Ina) Howell of Rt. 6, Mocksville and Mrs. Homer (Lois) Felts of Rt. 5, Mocksville; two sons, Eugene Driver of Statesville and Steve Driver of Mt. Airy; two sisters, Mrs. Elma Dull and Mrs. Ina Randall, both of Rt. 8, Mocksville; 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

CLYDE CORNATZER

Clyde Anderson Cornatzer, 80, of Rt. 2, Advance, died at Autumn Care Convalescent Center in Mocksville early Friday morning.

The funeral was held Sunday at 2 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel in Mocksville by the Rev. Robert Crews. Burial was in Bixby Presbyterian Church Cemetery.

He was born in Davie County to the late Jacob Solomon and Ellen Berryman Cornatzer, and was a retired employee of Hanes Knitting Company.

He was a member of Bixby Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are his wife, Miriam Hendricks Cornatzer of the home; one son, Manuel Cornatzer of Rt. 2, Advance; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Recie C. Sheets of Rt.

2, Advance, Mrs. Sadie Groce and Mrs. Sally Long, both of Pfafftown; three brothers, Charlie Cornatzer and Paul Cornatzer, both of Rt. 2, Advance, and Bradley Cornatzer of Grose Point, Mich.

MRS. VIRGINIA G. DRAUGHN

Mrs. Virginia Greene Draughn, 48, of 241 Gwyn Street, died at Davie County Hospital Sunday night, April 18, 1982, after being in declining health for some time.

The funeral services were held on Wednesday, April 21, 1982 at St. Francis Catholic Church, conducted by the Rev. Noll McSweeney. The burial was in Salem Baptist Church cemetery in Surry County.

Born September 12, 1933, in Springfield, Massachusetts, she was the daughter of Leona Pratt Green and the late Reginald Franklin Greene. She was a member of the St. Francis Catholic Church and was employed at Fiber Industries.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Brenda Draughn Anderson, of Route 7 and Mrs. Sandra Draughn Moon of Route 4, both of Mocksville; five sons, Frank Reginald Greene of Vermont, Paul Randolph Draughn, Jr. of 237 Morse Street, Mocksville, Keith Edward and Brian Patrick Draughn, both of the home and Jimmy Ray Draughn of Louisiana;

Two sisters, Miss Jeanie Greene and Mrs. Irene Greene Dubae', both of Greenfield, Massachusetts; two brothers, William Arthur Greene, of Selma, Alabama, and John Greene of Massachusetts and four grandchildren.

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Davie County Enterprise-Record May 6, 1982

Winston-Salem Journal, Winston-Salem, N.C., Saturday, April 24, 1982

NED McBRIDE
Ned Edward McBride, 54, of Gladstone Road, died Monday at North Carolina Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem following several weeks of declining health.

A graveside service was held Wednesday in Legion Memorial Park conducted by the Rev. J. D. Revis, pastor of Cooleemee Presbyterian Church.

Born July 31, 1927, in Davie County, he was a son of the late Charlie Edward and Mamie Lee

Cuthrell McBride. He was educated in the Davie County Schools and was a truck driver with Beck's Garbage Service in Cooleemee.

Survivors include two brothers, Ray F. and Otis H. McBride, both of Cooleemee; and one sister, Mrs. Josey McBride Whitley of Cooleemee.

MISS MARY ADDIE HOYLE

Miss Mary Addie Hoyle, 89, of Ruffin Street died Monday morning at Davie County Hospital.

The funeral was held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Cooleemee United Methodist Church, of which she was a member, by the Rev. Alton Fitzgerald. Burial was in Rowan Memorial Park.

Miss Hoyle was born Nov. 20, 1892, in Cleveland County, a daughter of the late David L. and Susan Dixon Hoyle. She was a retired bookkeeper for the Cooleemee Drug Co.

A sister, Mrs. Ada Gold of Morganton, and several nieces and nephews survive.

CORNATZER

ADVANCE - Mr. Clyde Anderson Cornatzer, 80, of Rt. 2, Advance, died at Autumn Care Convalescent Center in Mocksville early Friday morning. Funeral services will be Sunday at 2 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel in Mocksville by the Rev. Robert Crews. Burial will be in Bixby Presbyterian Church Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday at the funeral home. He was born in Davie County to the late Jacob Solomon and Ellen Berryman Cornatzer, and was a retired employee of Hanes Knitting Co. He was a member of Bixby Presbyterian Church. Surviving are his wife, Miriam Hendricks Cornatzer of the home; one son, Manuel Cornatzer of Rt. 2, Advance; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Recie C. Sheets of Rt. 2, Advance, Mrs. Sadie Groce and Mrs. Sally Long, both of Pfafftown; three brothers, Charlie Cornatzer and Paul Cornatzer, both of Rt. 2, Advance, and Bradley Cornatzer of Grose Point, Mich.

FITZGERALD

MOCKSVILLE - Mrs. Hattie Chaffin Fitzgerald, 94, widow of the Rev. James Boyd Fitzgerald, a minister of the United Methodist Church, died Saturday at 10:40 p.m. at the Wesley Nursing Center in Charlotte. She was born April 8, 1888, in Davie County to A.L. and Claudia Clouse Chaffin. She was educated at Yadkin College and the University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill. She taught school at Yadkin College, Oldtown in Winston-Salem, and Davie County. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Matt (Marie) McBrayer of Rutherfordton and Mrs. Dewey (Oneta) Smith of Walkertown; two sons, Dr. Ernest Fitzgerald of Winston-Salem and the Rev. Alton Fitzgerald of Cooleemee; three sisters, Miss Mabel Chaffin of Rt. 1, Mocksville, Mrs. Andrew (Pauline) Vance of Troutman, and Mrs. Dye (Nannie Lou) Cranford of Rt. 3, Denton; 11 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at First United Methodist Church in Mocksville by the Rev. George E. Auman, the Rev. Fred Shoaf, the Rev. Kermit Shoaf, and the Dr. Julian Lindsay. Burial will be in Greens Chapel United Methodist Church Cemetery in Davidson County. The body will lie in state 30 minutes prior to the service. Any memorials may be made to the Zion Chapel United Methodist Church in Davie County, the Wesley Nursing in Charlotte, or the Triad Home in Winston-Salem. The family will receive friends at Eaton's Funeral Home from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Monday.

Pastor's Mother Dies at 94

Hattie C. Fitzgerald, mother of the senior pastor at Centenary United Methodist Church here, died Saturday night at the Wesley Nursing Center in Charlotte. She was 94 years old.

One son, the Rev. Ernest A. Fitzgerald, has been pastor at Centenary for the last 16 years.

Mrs. Fitzgerald, who was born in Davie County, was the widow of the Rev. James B. Fitzgerald. After receiving a

degree from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, she taught school.

Other survivors include another son, the Rev. Alton Fitzgerald of Cooleemee; two daughters, Oneta (Mrs. Dewey) Smith of Walkertown and Marie McBrayer of Rutherfordton; and three sisters.

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FRED MURPHY

Fred Murphy, 77, of 129 West Church Street, Mocksville, N.C. died Monday at Davie County Hospital, after a serious illness of nine weeks.

He was born in Yadkin County, December 13, 1904.

He was retired from the United States Navy as a lieutenant, after 28 years of service.

Survivors are his wife, Betty Dennis Murphy of the home; one daughter, Ms. Frederica D. Murphy also of the home; and one son, Colonel Jerry C. Murphy of U.S. Army, Norfolk, Virginia; one sister, Mrs. Maude Swicegood of Statesville; and four grandchildren.

Graveside services will be held Wednesday at 4 p.m. at Rose Cemetery in Mocksville by the Rev. J. D. Revis.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society Fund.

MRS. J.B. FITZGERALD

Mrs. Hattie Chaffin Fitzgerald, 94, widow of the Rev. James Boyd Fitzgerald, a minister of the United Methodist Church, died Saturday at 10:40 p.m. at the Wesley Nursing Center in Charlotte.

She was born April 8, 1888, in Davie County to A.L. and Claudia Clouse Chaffin.

She was educated at Yadkin College and the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. She taught school at Yadkin College, Oldtown in Winston-Salem and Davie County.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Matt (Marie) McBrayer of

Rutherfordton and Mrs. Dewey (Oneta) Smith of Walkertown; two sons, Dr. Ernest Fitzgerald of Winston-Salem and the Rev. Alton Fitzgerald of Cooleemee; three sisters, Miss Mabel Chaffin of Rt. 1, Mocksville, Mrs. Andrew (Pauline) Vance of Troutman, and Mrs. Dyel (Nannie Lou) Cranford of Rt. 3, Denton; 11 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren.

The funeral was conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at First United Methodist Church in Mocksville by the Rev. George E. Auman, the Rev. Fred Shoaf, the Rev. Kermit Shoaf, and the Dr. Julian Lindsay. Burial was in Greens Chapel United Methodist Church Cemetery in Davidson County.



MRS. EVA HUNTER RATLEDGE

Mrs. Eva Hunter Ratledge, 72, of Mocksville, Rt. 6, died at Autumn Care Convalescent Center in Mocksville Thursday morning.

The funeral was held Sunday at 2 p.m. at Chestnut Grove United Methodist Church by the Rev. John Fowler. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Ratledge was born in Davie County, the daughter of Joe and Sally Hutchens Hunter.

She was a member of Chestnut Grove United Methodist Church, and was the widow of Duke Ratledge, who died in 1979.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Shirley Lanning of Rt. 8, Mocksville, and Mrs. Mary Frances Peoples of Rt. 6, Mocksville; two sons, Donnie Ratledge of Rt. 5, Mocksville, and Jerry Ratledge of Rt. 1, Mocksville;

She was also preceded in death by one son, Duke Ratledge Jr., whose wife survives, of Rt. 1, Harmony; 13 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

JOSEPH GAINES SLATE

Joseph Gaines Slate, 92, of 117 Carolina Avenue, Mocksville, died at his home Sunday morning after an extended illness.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Eaton's Funeral Chapel by the Rev. Archer Livengood and the Rev. Al Mataz. Burial followed in Rose Cemetery.

Any memorials may be made to Seventh Day Adventist Church.

Mr. Slate was born in Stokes County the son of Francis and Laura Smith Slate. Before his retirement, he was manager of a publishing house in Capetown, South Africa for the Seventh Day Adventist Church. He was a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Freida L. Kolm Slate; two sons, Dr. Francis W. Slate of Mocksville and Dr. William G. Slate of Wilmington, Delaware; four sisters, Miss Lenora, Verna, and Myrtle Slate, all of Hendersonville, and Miss Sarah Slate of Lexington; two brothers, Dr. Herman Slate of Arlington, Va., and Charles H. Slate of Ayden; five grandchildren and four step-grandchildren.

MRS. MAUDE POLK

Funeral services for Mrs. Maude Polk of West Jefferson, N.C. were held Tuesday at 2 p.m. at Ashlawn Memorial Funeral Home there. She was the mother of Charles Polk of Mocksville; and Ralph Polk of Cooleemee.

She was born September 28, 1907 in Ashe County; and was the daughter of the late Jess and Candace Miller.

Her husband, Oliver Polk preceded her in death.

Survivors other than two sons in Davie County are two daughters, Mrs. Violet Sanders of California, Mo., Mrs. Gladys Smith of Athens, Georgia; two sons, Gene Polk of West Jefferson, O. J. Polk of Salisbury; 20 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

Mrs. Polk at one time was a resident of Davie County.

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✓ MRS. LAONE SODOLSKI

Mrs. Laone Soldoski, 77, of Southwood Acres, Mocksville, died at the N.C. Baptist Hospital around 7 a.m. Sunday morning. She was the mother of Mrs. John N. Norton.

A native of Menasha, Wisconsin, she had made her home in Mocksville for the past five years with her daughter and son-in-law, Ann and John Norton.

In addition to her daughter of Mocksville, she is survived by two sons: John Sodolski of Middleburg, Virginia and James Sodolski of Newland, Wisconsin.

The funeral was to be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday in Menasha, Wisconsin.

The family requests that any memorials be that of the donor's choice.

✓ MARVIN CHAFFIN Jr.

Marvin Chaffin Jr. of Woodleaf, four-month struggle with paralysis after a freak farm accident ended Friday at 7:30 p.m. at Davie County Hospital.

Chaffin had struggled for 4 months with paralysis after a freak farm accident. Family members thought he had a good week and was getting better.

"Oh yes, he had come to," a family member said this morning. "He sat up twice last week. He was improving. They don't know what happened."

Chaffin, 55, had been in Davie County Hospital since Feb. 18, after being transferred from N.C. Baptist Hospital.

He was clearing brush with a front-end loader on his Needmore Road farm Jan. 6 when an elm limb the size of baseball bat struck a sharp blow to his head. It knocked his glasses off, but he retrieved

them and got back on the machine.

Then he suddenly realized he could not see. He called for his brother Hugh, before passing out. It turned out he had a fractured skull and ruptured blood vessel complications.

He was paralyzed until recently and an innovative rotating bed was installed at Davie County Hospital that protects immobile patients from common complications such as bed sores, pneumonia, and kidney and bladder infections.

✓ MRS. GENEVA WILES

Mrs. Geneva Ashley Wiles, 59, of Rt. 1, Advance, died May 5th at N. C. Baptist Hospital.

The funeral was held Friday at 2:30 p.m. at Sandy Springs Baptist Church by the Rev. Paul Simpson, the Rev. Leon Wood and the Rev. Howard Wagoner. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Wiles was born in Yadkin County to John and Sallie Royall Ashley, and was a member of Sandy Springs Baptist Church.

Her husband, Benjamin Ray Wiles, died June 29, 1972.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Eddie (Bonnie) Weatherman of Rt. 1 Advance; two sons, Bennie Wiles of Statesville, and Sonny Wiles of Arkansas; her mother of Yadkinville; two sisters, Mrs. Jessie Gardner of Hamptonville, and Mrs. Lucille Shaffner of Jonesville; four brothers, Kenneth and Johnnie P. Ashley, both of Hamptonville, George Ashley of Jonesville, and Gurney Ashley of Rt. 3, Yadkinville; seven grandchildren.

✓ SIDNEY A. THOMAS

Sidney Albert Thomas, 55, of Route 2 Advance, died early Friday shortly after arriving at Forsyth Memorial Hospital in Winston-Salem.

The funeral was held at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel in Mocksville conducted by the Rev. Gordon Joyner. Burial was in Fork Baptist Church cemetery.

Born Aug. 23, 1926, in Forsyth County, he was a son of the late John W. and Emma Gwaltney Thomas. He was a technician with Gray and Creech Inc.

Survivors include his wife, Joan Craver Thomas; one half-brother, John O. Thomas of Winston-Salem; and one niece.

✓ SAM BARNEY

Sam Barney, 79, of Route 4, died at Davie County Hospital early Tuesday, following a short illness.

The funeral will be held at 4 p.m. Thursday, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel conducted by the Rev. Harold Parker and the Rev. Judge Johnson. Burial will follow in Legion Memorial Park Cemetery in Cooleemee.

The family will be at the funeral home on Wednesday night from 7 to 9 p.m.

Born June 8, 1902, in Davie County, he was a son of the late John M. and Beulah Foster Barneycastle. He was retired from Erwin Mills in Cooleemee and was a member of Edgewood Baptist Church. His wife, Duella Melton Barney, died in 1951.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Carol Betty James of Route 7, Mocksville and Mrs. Dot Shoaf of Cooleemee; one son, Fred C. Barney of Route 7, Mocksville; four grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

✓ LOYD R. COMBS

Loyd Robinson Combs, 86, of Route 5, died early Tuesday at Jo Lene's Nursing Home in Salisbury.

The funeral was held 2 p.m. Thursday at Needmore Baptist Church, Needmore Community, conducted by the Rev. Gary Morrison. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

The family will be at Eaton's Funeral Home Wednesday night from 7 to 9 o'clock. The body will be placed in the church 30 minutes prior to the service.

Born Nov. 12, 1895, in Iredell County, he was a son of the late Charles Wesley and Dovie Selena Bell Combs. He was a retired farmer and a member of Needmore Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Gertha Smith Combs; two daughters, Mrs. Vernon Oliphant of Kannapolis and Mrs. Clarence Waller of Woodleaf; three sons, Loyd Clinton Combs of Lexington, and Walter Raymond Combs, Route 5 and Hoyle Wesley Combs, Route 7, both of Mocksville;

Three sisters, Mrs. Rozella Clark of Charlotte, Mrs. Carrie Sechler of Kannapolis and Mrs. Jessie Correll of Florida; three brothers, Shaw Combs of Cofflen, Ill., William McKinley Combs and Flake A. Combs, both of Kannapolis; 18 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

✓ MRS. VIOLA DULIN FRAZIER

Funeral services for Mrs. Viola Dulin Frazier will be held Friday at 4:00 p.m. at Redland Church of Christ with burial to follow in the Smith Grove A. M. E. Zion Church

cemetery.

The family will receive friends at the church Thursday evening from 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. The body will remain at the church until funeral time.

Mrs. Frazier is survived by one son John F. Frazier of Winston-Salem; one brother, McKinley Dulin of Advance; two sisters, Mrs. Rosetta Lanier, and Mrs. Eva Walden, both of Advance.

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DR. JOHN SAMUEL FROST
 Funeral services for Dr. John Samuel Frost, 96, of Burlington, N. C. were held Friday morning at 11 o'clock at Front Street United Methodist Church. Officiating ministers were Dr. G. Robert McKenzie and Dr. Edgar B. Fisher. Burial was at the Mausoleum at Alamanace Memorial Park.

Dr. Frost was born in Davie County to the late James Davidson and Robena Slikeleather Frost. His wife preceded him in death. She died in May of 1978.

Dr. Frost was a dentist in Burlington. He retired in 1948. Survivors included several nieces and nephews.

REV. KENNETH FLETCHER
 The Rev. Kenneth Fletcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fletcher of Rt. 1, Mocksville was buried Saturday afternoon in Seneca, S.C. where he was making his home.

CLOUD BURGESS
 Cloud Burgess, 81, of Rt. 2, Harmony, died Friday morning at N.C. Baptist Hospital after a short illness.

He was born Sept. 18, 1900 in Yadkin County to John Franklin and Nancy Brandon Burgess.

He was a retired merchant, was a member of Harmony United Methodist Church, and was past master of Harmony Masonic Lodge No. 299. He was a certified lecturer for the North Carolina Masonic Lodges, and was a member of the Harmony Chapter O.E.S. No. 331. He was married June 6, 1936, to Myrtle Cox, who survives.

Also surviving are four sisters, Mrs. Floyd Turpin and Mrs. Robert Elkins, both of Liberty, Mrs. T. G. Cassells of Valdese, and Mrs. Henry Tron of Ronda.

The funeral was held Sunday at 2 p.m. at Harmony United Methodist Church with burial in Flat Rock Baptist Church Cemetery in Hamptonville.

TUCKER
MOCKSVILLE - Mr. William McKinley Tucker, 79, of Rt. 1, Mocksville, died at Davie County Hospital Wednesday morning after an illness of three weeks. Funeral services will be Friday at 2 p.m. at

Edgewood Baptist Church in Cooleemee by the Rev. Fred Carlton and the Rev. Lindsey Walters. Burial will be in the Providence United Methodist Church Cemetery in Iredell County. The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday at Eaton's Funeral Home in Mocksville. The body will be placed in the church 30 minutes before the service to lie in state. He was born in Yadkin County to the late Frank and Mary Elizabeth Stokes Tucker, and was a retired farmer. He was a member of Edgewood Baptist Church. Surviving are his wife, Lillie Susan Reed Tucker of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Lucile Owen of Lewisville, and Mrs. Mary Cathrine Church of Rt. 1, Wilkesboro; two sons, James W. Tucker of Rt. 7, Mocksville, and John Thomas Tucker of Rt. 1, King; 11 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren, one sister, Mrs. Alice T. Wooten of Winston-Salem.

WHITTAKER
MOCKSVILLE - Mr. William Whitaker, 77, of Mocksville, Rt. 2, died Wednesday at Davie County Hospital. He was born in Davie County to Charlie and Sally Gaither Whitaker, and was a retired salesman for Thomas and Howard Wholesale Co. Funeral services will be Friday at 4 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Chapel in Mocksville by the Rev. Robert Prentice. Burial will be in Oak Grove United Methodist Church Cemetery. The family will receive friends

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CARL H. BOOE

Funeral services for Carl H. Booe of Inwood, Long Island, N. Y. were held Thursday, May 20, at the First Baptist Church in Far Rockaway, L. I. N. Y. Burial followed in the Greenfield cemetery in Hemstead, New York.

Mr. Booe was born in Mocksville, North Carolina to the late Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Booe, April 1, 1918.

He died Sunday, May 16, at 2 p.m. at St. Lohns Episcopal Hospital in Far Rockaway, New York.

W.W. WHITAKER

Willis William Whitaker, 77, of Mocksville, Rt. 2, died May 19th at Davie County Hospital.

He was born in Davie County to Charlie and Sally Gaither Whitaker, and was a retired salesman for Thomas and Howard Wholesale Co.

The funeral was held Friday at 4 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Chapel in Mocksville by the Rev. Robert Prentice. Burial was in Oak Grove United Methodist Church Cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Lucy Baker Whitaker; one daughter, Mrs. Brooks (Darlene) Wilkins of Stoneville; two sisters, Mrs. Glenn Grubb and Mrs. Frank Bowles, both of Rt. 2, Mocksville, three grandchildren.

WILLIAM M. TUCKER

William McKinley Tucker, 79, of Route 1, died at Davie County Hospital Thursday following a serious illness of three weeks.

The funeral was held Friday at Edgewood Baptist Church in Cooleemee by the Rev. Fred Carlton and the Rev. Lindsey Walters. Burial was in Providence United Methodist Church Cemetery in Iredell County.

Born June 18, 1902, in Yadkin County, he was a son of the late Frank and Mary Elizabeth Stokes Tucker. He was a retired farmer

and was a member of Edgewood Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Lillie Susan Tucker; two daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Lucille Owen of Lewisville and Mrs. Mary Catherine Church of Route 1, Wilkesboro; two sons, James W. Tucker of Route 7, Mocksville and John Thomas Tucker of Route 1, King; a sister, Mrs. Alice T. Wooten of Winston-Salem; 11 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

CHARLES M. LASLEY

Charles Mason Lasley, 84, formerly of Lasley Road, Lewisville, died at the Masonic Eastern Star Home in Greensboro at 3 a.m. Thursday, May 20. Funeral services were held Friday at 2 p.m. at Lewisville United Methodist Church by the Rev. James Faggert and Mr. Tommy Jones. A masonic graveside service followed in the church cemetery. He was the uncle of Haines Yates of Mocksville.

Mr. Lasley was born Dec. 13, 1897 in Stokes County to W. E. and Fannie Mitchell Lasley. He spent all his life in the Lewisville Community and was a well-known farmer. He was a member of Lewisville United Methodist Church and Sunday School, having served as superintendent of the Sunday School for 10 years. He was a member of the Men's Bible Class and served on the Board of Trustees. Mr. Lasley was a member of Lewisville Masonic Lodge No. 434, Winston-Salem Scottish Rite Bodies and Oasis Temple of Shrine, Winston-Salem Shrine Club, and was past officer of the Eastern Star Lewisville Chapter. Surviving are his wife, Alverta Hunt Lasley of the Masonic Home, and a number of nieces and nephews.

The family requests that memorial be made to Lewisville United Methodist Church.

JAMES, Sr.

Mr. Dallas Thomas James Sr., 79, of 4455 Oak Ridge Drive, died Tuesday night at his home. Funeral services will be Friday at 3:30 p.m. at Vogler's Main Street Chapel with burial in Salem cemetery. Mr. James was born in Davie County, Aug. 15, 1902, to Thomas E. and Candice Cope James. He was a member of Turrentine Baptist Church in Davie County, and was a retired self-employed brick mason. He was first married to Doushka Spry James, who died in 1962. He then married Mignon Vickers James, who survives of the home. Also surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Louie (Margie) Jenkins of Winston-Salem, Mrs. Norman (Wanda) Huggett of Eareville, Ill., and Mrs. Ira L. (Jackie) Whitaker of Winston-Salem; one son, Dallas T. James Jr. of Winston-Salem; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Jean V. Taylor of Walkertown, and Mrs. Shirley Hamlin of Tom Bay, Fla.; one stepson, William Frank Vickers of Winston-Salem; 15 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Margard Transon and Mrs. Verste Phelps, both of Winston-Salem; three brothers, Tommy James of Winston-Salem, Paul James of Orlando, Fla., and Aaron James of Fort Lauderdale, Fla. The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday at Vogler's Main Street Chapel.

NAYLOR

MOCKSVILLE - Mr. John Floyd Naylor, 75, of 313 Wilkesboro Street, died at his home Wednesday afternoon after a long illness. Funeral services will be Friday at 2 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel in Mocksville by the Rev. Charles Bullock and the Rev. Wayne Hill. Burial will follow in Rose Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home. They request that memorials be made to the First Baptist Church of Mocksville, or to the Canna Community Building Fund. Mr. Naylor was born in Davie County to the late John F. and Susan M. Eaton Naylor. He was the retired president of J. P. Green Milling Co., and was a member of First Baptist Church of Mocksville. Surviving are his wife, Sadie Benson Naylor of the home; one daughter, Mrs. Leo Cozart; three sons, Benny Naylor, Johnny Naylor and Jack Naylor, all of Mocksville; 12 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Velna N. Bowles of Rt. 1, Woodleaf; one brother, Clyde Naylor of Rt. 6, Mocksville.

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✓ **MRS. ANNIE MAE TRIMIAR**
Mrs. Annie Mae Galloway Trimiar, 49, of 133 Mount View Drive, Mocksville died at 10 a.m. Friday at N.C. Baptist Hospital after several months of declining health and five days of serious illness.

Born November 28, 1932, in Surry County, Mrs. Trimiar was the daughter of the late Henry and Estella Hatcher Galloway. She was educated in Surry County public schools and was last employed at Wonderknit, Inc. A member of Out Reach Christian Tabernacle, she served on the missionary board and was a mother of the church.

Survivors include her husband, George W. Trimiar; one foster son, Guy W. Harper of Winston-Salem; two daughters, Ms. Barbara A. Wardlaw and Ms. Odessa Davis, both of Winston-Salem; and seven grandchildren.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon at the Noble and Kelsey Funeral Home in Salisbury. The Rev. Alonza P. Jones, pastor of the Out Reach Christian Tabernacle and Apostle Ray Taylor officiated. Burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery in Winston-Salem.

✓ **MRS. BARBARA SPILLMAN**
The funeral for Mrs. Barbara Bens Spillman, 40, of 46 Duke St., Mocksville, was conducted Sunday at 2 p.m. in Eaton Funeral Home Chapel in Mocksville by the Rev. J. P. Revis.

Mrs. Spillman died May 26th in the VA Medical Center in Salisbury.

She was born March 1, 1942, in Seattle, Wash., daughter of the late Joseph and Idris Free Bens. She served in the U.S. Marine Corps from 1961-63 and was a former employee of the U.S. Postal Service.

Survivors include her husband, Joe Spillman of the home; one son, Andy Spillman of the home; two daughters, Debbie and Tracy Spillman of the home; one sister, Mrs. Margaret Waters of Seattle.

✓ **MRS. LOTTIE B. CARTNER**
Mrs. Lottie Beaver Cartner, 83, of 211 Saint Matthews Lane, Spartanburg, S.C. died Tuesday morning at Spartanburg General Hospital.

She was a native of North Carolina and first married Paul Sufford Beaver who preceded her in death. She later married the late Lonnie Pearl Cartner of Mocksville.

Mrs. Cartner was a member of Calvary Baptist Church in Spartanburg, S.C.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Pauline Morris and Mrs. Nettie Caldwell, both of Spartanburg, S.C.; 1 son, Vance Beaver also of Spartanburg; 3 grandchildren, 8 great, grandchildren, one great, great grandchild; and 2 great, great, great, grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Bill Godbey of Harmony, N.C. and Mrs. Virginia Green of Alberta, Canada; two brothers, Fred Mauldin of Winston-Salem and Sherrill Mauldin of Mocksville.

Graveside services will be held Thursday at Calvary Baptist Church cemetery in Rowan County.

The family will receive friends at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel Wednesday evening.



Eighty percent of the world's various species of roses come from Asia.

John Floyd Naylor

✓ The funeral for John Floyd Naylor, 75, of 313 Wilkesboro St., Mocksville, was held Friday afternoon at the Eaton Funeral Chapel. The Rev. Charles Bullock and the Rev. Wayne Hill officiated. Burial was in Rose Cemetery with grandsons serving as pallbearers.



was a nephew of the late J. P. Green who founded the firm in 1911. He lived to observe his 55th anniversary in Mocksville, May 25, 1982, dying the next day.

In 1925, the mill had only 3 employees. Joined by other members of his family in its operation the mill continued to expand to its present size of about 27 mill employees, three salesmen and eight trucks. The company produces DAISY flour, LIBERTY corn meal, and WINNER dog food.

A most devoted man, Floyd Naylor put first things first. A family man, he exemplified his love and devotion to those he held near and dear in many ways. His business reflected his loyalty and devotion to Davie County with Green Milling Company always buying all the grain they could get from local farmers. And, he encouraged family members to "shop at home". To quote his wife:

"He always insisted that we shop at home first and never buy anything elsewhere if we could get it in Davie County."

As to devotion, a great philosopher once observed:

"Solid devotions resemble the rivers which run under the earth....they steal from the eyes of the world to seek the eyes of God; and it often happens that those of whom we speak the least on earth, are best known in heaven." And thus is Floyd Naylor.

Survivors include his wife, Sadie Benson Naylor; a daughter, Mrs. Leo Cozart of Mocksville; three sons, Benny, Johnny and Jack Naylor, all of Mocksville; a sister, Mrs. Velna N. Bowles of Route 1 Woodleaf; a brother, Clyde Naylor of Route 6, Mocksville; 12 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church of Mocksville or the Cana Community Building Fund.

Mr. Naylor died at his home May 26th following a lengthy illness. He was retired as President of the J.P. Green Milling Company of Mocksville.

He was born in Davie County to the late John F. and Susan M. Eaton Naylor. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Mocksville.

Floyd Naylor was 17 years of age when he left Cana (his birthplace) and came to Mocksville on May 25, 1925, to become associated with the J. P. Green Milling Company. He

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MRS. LILLIE MAE PARKER
 Evangelist Lillie Mae Parker of Boeotown, Mocksville, died at her home Thursday afternoon following an extended illness.

She was born in Greensboro, N.C., but had lived in Mocksville for the past 44 years.

She was a member of New Jerusalem Holiness Church, and did Evangelistic work in the surrounding areas.

Funeral services were held last Sunday at 1:00 p.m. from the New Jerusalem Holiness Church. Rev. Mrs. Jessie Leach officiated with burial in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Parker is survived by her husband, William H. Parker of the home; a sister, Mrs. Susie Wiley of Baltimore, Md.; and a brother, Allen Garland of Calif.

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W.A. ELLIS JR.
 Willey Abraham Ellis Jr., 59, of Mocksville, Rt. 4, died at N.C. Baptist Hospital June 2nd.

The funeral was held Friday at 2 p.m. at Liberty United Methodist Church by the Rev. Phillip Cole. Burial was in the church cemetery.

He was born in Davie County to W.A. Ellis and the late Essie Orell Ellis.

He was a member of Liberty United Methodist Church, was a veteran of World War II, and was a member of Mocksville Masonic Lodge.

He was a former owner of Ellis Shop in Cooleemee, and presently owned Ellis Used Cars of Mocksville, Rt. 4.

He was married to Helen Jordan Ellis, who died in 1977.

Surviving are one son, Fred O. Ellis of Rt. 4, Mocksville; his father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Ellis Sr. of Rt. 4, Mocksville; one grandchild.

MRS. AGNES HUNTER
 Mrs. Agnes Boger Hunter, 79, of Mocksville, Rt. 8, died June 2nd at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

The funeral was held Saturday at 2 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Chapel in Mocksville by Dr. Wayne Hill. Burial was in Eaton's Baptist Church Cemetery.

Mrs. Hunter was the daughter of Robert Lee and Minnie Summers Boger. Her husband, Homer Hunter died in 1979.

She was a member of Eaton's Baptist Church, and is survived by a sister, Mrs. Florence Boger Latham of Polo Road, Winston-Salem; a number of nieces and nephews.

T. W. SEAMON, JR.
 Thomas William Seamon, Jr., 59, died in Winston-Salem Saturday.

The funeral was held Monday at the Hayworth-Miller Funeral Home, Silas Creek Chapel. Burial was in the Gardens of Memory.

Born in Davie County, he was a son of Mrs. Maude Munny Seamon of Cooleemee, and the late Thomas William Seamon. He was a self-employed building contractor, and was a veteran of World War II.

Other survivors include his wife, Mrs. Kathleen Peacock Seamon; four sisters, Mrs. O. G. Clawson of Granite Quarry, Mrs. Cora Lee Myers of Charlotte, Mrs. Helen Daniels of Wilmington and Mrs. Robert Creason of Cooleemee; and four brothers, Howard P. and Calvin D. Seamon of Alexandria, Va., and Curtis D. and Sid R. Seamon of Cooleemee.

MRS. GLADYS STACY
 Mrs. Gladys Blend Stacy, of S. Main Street, Mocksville, died Saturday night at Winston-Salem Convalescent Center after an extended illness.

The funeral was conducted at 10 a.m. Tuesday at St. Frances Catholic Church by Monsignor Richard Allen. Burial was in Rose Cemetery.

Mrs. Stacy spent most of her life in Cumberland, Kentucky. She was the widow of Charles B. Stacy, who died in 1962.

She was born in Brooklyn, N.Y., the daughter of Martin J. and Margaret Ann Borden Blend.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Jack Sanford of Mocksville and Mrs. Jack Childers of Cumberland, Kentucky; one sister, Mrs. George P. King of Cumberland, Kentucky; six grandchildren; five great-grandchildren.

MOCK
 Mr. Woodrow Wilson Mock, 58, of 2908 Hondo Drive, died Monday evening at his home. He was born Feb. 8, 1924 in Davie County to Ben and Deans Ward Mock. He worked for Dixie Furniture Co. in Lexington for 35 years, was a veteran of World War II, and was a member of Wesley Memorial United Methodist Church. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Helen Wall Mock of the home, and one sister, Mrs. Doris Ewing of Fairfax, Va. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Wednesday at Wesley Memorial United Methodist Church by the Rev. Zane G. Norton. Burial will be in Advance United Methodist Church Cemetery. The family requests that memorials be made to Wesley United Methodist Church.

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Miss Ossie Allison



OSSIE CLAIRE ALLISON

Ossie Claire Allison was born in Davie County, June 1, 1898, the daughter of the late G. A. and Henrietta Morris Allison. She attended Mocksville High School, graduating in 1915, and Davenport College, 1915-16, later graduating from the Salisbury Business College.

In 1923 she went to work at the Allison-Clement Drug Store as a sales person and a bookkeeper. In 1931 she became associated with Legrand Pharmacy as bookkeeper and sales supervisor.

This was during the great depression years that saw the creation of many federal agencies to help people survive. From 1933-34, she worked as a clerk for the Civil Works Administration, and

from 1935-36 was with the Emergency Relief Administration.

In February 1936, Miss Allison embarked on a career that was to continue for 35 years in social services. At that time the department was known as the Davie County Board of Charities and Public Welfare. Miss Allison and Lucille Martin Donnelly comprised the entire staff of the department.

Entering this field as a certified case worker, Miss Allison saw her titles and responsibilities change as the department went from the Public Welfare Department to the Department of Social Services.

On July 25, 1968, Miss Allison was honored by the department for 35 years of service. A dinner was given in her honor in the Shangri-La Room of the Town Steak House in Winston-Salem. Attending the dinner were members of the County Welfare Board and staff of the welfare department. She was presented with an engraved silver bread tray. She retired as of August 1, 1968, with 35 years of service with the Welfare Department.

Miss Allison resided in the family homeplace, 184 Maple Avenue in Mocksville. It was here that she died June 2nd., unexpectedly.

A graveside service was held at 4 p.m. Friday in Rose Cemetery. The Rev. George Auman, pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Mocksville of which Miss Allison was a member, officiated.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Margaret LeGrande of Mocksville; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Gladys Allison of Mocksville; and a number of nieces and nephews.

BRANTLEY C. BOOE
Brantley Cleveland Booe, 81, of 2021 Sussex Lane, Winston-Salem, died at Forsyth Memorial Hospital June 2nd. He was born Sept. 11, 1901 in Davie County to James C. and Emma (James) Booe. In 1921, he graduated from Buies Creek Academy, now Campbell College.

He received his B.A. from Wake Forest College, and two years later, an L.L.B. degree from Wake Forest. He received his license to practice law in 1926.

He joined the staff of Piedmont Federal Savings and Loan Assoc. on June 1, 1928. He served as president of the Winston-Salem Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Junior Bar Association. From 1945 to 1947 he completed a term as alderman from the First Ward in Winston-Salem during which he served as chairman of the Executive Committee of the Peace Officers Relief Fund.

He was an ardent supporter of his alma mater. He served as president of the Alumni in 1949.

He was elected to the Board of Trustees of N.C. Baptist Hospital in 1945, and served on the Board of Trustees of Campbell University. He was a life deacon of First

Baptist Church, and also served as chairman of the Board of Trustees. He had been active in the Baracs Class, and was a teacher in the Sunday School.

He was elected to the Board of Directors of Piedmont Federal, Feb. 5, 1929. He was named Secretary of the Association on Jan. 19, 1938.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Helen Sharp Booe of the home; one daughter, Mrs. Helen Booe Marley of Charlotte; two sons, Brantley C. Booe Jr. of Dallas, Texas, and J. Alan Booe of Indianapolis, Ind.; seven grandchildren.

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✓ **GEORGE G. CORNATZER**
George Glenn Cornatzer, 78, Rt. 2, died at Forsyth Memorial Hospital in Winston-Salem on Monday night.

The funeral was held at 4 p.m. Wednesday, June 16, at Mock's United Methodist Church by the Rev. Marion Faulk and the Rev. Robert Crews. Burial followed in Bixby Presbyterian Church cemetery.

Born Jan. 9, 1904 in Davie County, he was a son of the late Henry P. and Agnes Taylor Cornatzer. He was a security guard for Hanes Corp. and was a member of Mock's United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Sallie Williams Cornatzer; three daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Wilson of King, Mrs. Catherine Davis of Winston-Salem, and Miss Sallie Cornatzer of the home; two sons, Tom and Gordon Cornatzer both of Route 2, Advance; two sisters, Mrs. Clara Baity and Mrs. Flossie Jones both of Advance; 10 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

✓ **MRS. MARIE GRAVES**
Mrs. Marie Viola "Nanny" Vickers Graves, 83, of Weddington Road died at 11:40 p.m. Monday at Cabarrus Memorial Hospital. She had been in declining health for a year and seriously ill for three days.

The funeral was held Wednesday, June 16, at 2 p.m. at Lady's Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Ed Hall. Burial followed in Joppa Cemetery, Mocksville.

Mrs. Graves was born Aug. 20, 1898, in Alexander County, a daughter of the late Thomas and Irene Vickers.

Her husband, B. Franklin Graves, died in 1956.

Also surviving are a daughter, Virginia Knight of Hamlet; three brothers, Wade Vickers of Mocksville, Carl Vickers of Petros, Tenn., and Lonnie Vickers of Harriman, Tenn.; six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

✓ **COMMIE DEWEY HOLLAR**
Commie Dewey Hollar, 83, of Rt. 1, Union Grove, died Monday at Davis Hospital, Statesville, after a

brief illness.

He was born in Iredell County December 5, 1898, to the late Ronnie Hollar and Mindy Souther Hollar. He was a retired former.

He married Annie Cass October 14, 1922, who survives. Other survivors include a brother, Lester Hollar of Statesville; two sisters, Mrs. Lottie Howard of Greensboro and Mrs. Mamie Williams of Statesville; 1 half sister, Mrs. Ravon Baker of Union Grove; 1 stepsister, Mrs. Lucille Driver of Mocksville; and a stepmother, Mrs. Dollie Hollar of Mocksville.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Taylor Springs Baptist Church. Burial will follow in church cemetery.

The family requests no flowers; and that memorials may be made to the church.

✓ **MRS. EFFIE YORK HOLMES**
Mrs. Effie York Holmes, 77, of Rt. 1, Olin, died Monday after a brief illness.

She was the daughter of Sim U. and Pearlie Templeton York.

She was married to Frank Fraley Holmes, who survives. Also surviving are three brothers, four sisters, 17 nephews and nieces.

Funeral services will be Wednesday at 2:30 p.m. at Macedonia United Methodist Church with interment in the church cemetery. The Rev. Wade Wright will officiate. The body will lie in state 30 minutes before the service.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Macedonia Cemetery Fund, P.O. 38, Harmony, N.C. 28634.

✓ **MEARL O. RENEGAR**
Mearl Osco Renegar, 82 of Rt. 6, Mocksville, died Tuesday evening at Davis Hospital. He had been in declining health for several years and seriously ill two weeks. He was born July 21, 1899 to W. H. and Lena Myers Renegar, was a retired farmer, and a member of Sandy Springs Baptist Church. On June 24, 1920, he married Ethel Chamberlain, who preceded him in death Feb. 11, 1977. Surviving are three sons, Sherman Renegar of Rt. 2, Hamptonville, Harold Renegar of Rt. 8, Mocksville, and Lloyd Renegar of Rt. 6, Mocksville, and ; one daughter, Mrs. Lillian Harris of Hickory, six sisters, 11 grandchildren, and nine great-grandchildren. Funeral services was held Friday at 2:30 p.m. at Sandy Springs Baptist Church by the Rev. Paul Simpson and the Rev. Howard Wagoner. Burial was held in the church cemetery. The family received friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday at Reavis Funeral Home in Harmony. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Sandy Springs Baptist Church Building Fund, Rt. 3, Box 414, Yadkinville.

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✓ **MRS. LUNA F. SHOEMAKER**
Mrs. Luna Feimster Shoemaker, 76, of Glen Burnie, Md., died Monday at Alamance County Hospital in Burlington, N.C.

She was born in Iredell County September 3, 1905, to the late Cora Turner Feimster and J. C. Feimster. She was a retired textile worker.

Survivors include two sons, Oscar Shoemaker of Burlington, N.C.; J. Coleman Shoemaker of Glen Burnie, Md.; two daughters, Mrs. Maurice Holder of Randalls Town, Md., and Mrs. Clyde Sigmon of Glen Burnie, Md.; one stepsister, Mrs. Sarah Knox of Huntersville; and a stepmother, Mrs. Mulbie Feimster of Charlotte, N.C.; 12 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 11 a.m. at Westmoreland Chapel of Bunch-Johnson Funeral Home in Statesville. The Rev. William Jackson will be officiating minister. Burial will follow in Oakwood Cemetery in Statesville.

Her husband, L. P. Shoemaker preceded her in death in 1974.

✓ **GROVER C. PLEMMONS**
Grover Cleveland Plemmons, 77, Route 5, Mocksville, N. C. died Thursday, June 3, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital in Winston-Salem, N. C., after a brief illness.

He was born in Madison County in 1905 to the late Merritt and Maggie Worley Plemmons. He was a retired businessman, having dealt in produce for over forty years.

Mr. Plemmons was a member of Green Meadows Baptist Church and had resided in the Farmington community for several years.

Survivors include his wife of the home; two sons, Jimmy L. Plemmons of Clemmons, N. C. and Donnie Plemmons of Winston-Salem, N. C.; 1 daughter, Mrs. Phyllis Stack of Winston-Salem.

Funeral services were held Sunday at Hayworth Miller Funeral Home Chapel. Burial followed in Westlawn Memorial Gardens in Clemmons, N. C.

✓ **MRS. ZULA H. HAMILTON**

✓ Mrs. Zula Hartley Hamilton, 88, formerly of Rt. 2, Advance, died at Davidson Convalescent Center in Thomasville Wednesday morning. Funeral services will be Friday at 4 p.m. at Eaton Funeral Home Chapel in Mocksville by the Rev. Harvey Criminger and the Rev. Gary Hoffman. Burial will be in Rowan Memorial Park Cemetery in Salisbury. The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home. Mrs. Hamilton was born in Davidson County to the late Thomas and Eliza Young Hartley, and was a member of Jerusalem Baptist Church. Her husband, Richard Fuller Hamilton, preceded her in death, Jan. 30, 1964. Surviving are seven daughters, Mrs. Henry Grubb of Rt. 1, Salisbury, Mrs. Kenneth Correll and Mrs. Bobbie Daniel, both of Rt. 4, Mocksville, Mrs. Thomas Massey and Mrs. George Correll Jr., both of Rt. 2, Advance, Mrs. J.W. Turner of High Point, and Mrs. John Correll of Rt. 7, Mocksville; two sons, Harold Hamilton of Rt. 1, Salisbury, and L. B. Hamilton of Rt. 4, Mocksville; 32 grandchildren and 50 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Flossie Lamb of Rt. 4, Mocksville and Mrs. Lila Sheets of Clemmons.

✓ **SEAMON**

Mr. Thomas William Seamon, Jr., 59, of 57 Edgewood Circle, died Saturday morning at Forsyth Memorial Hospital. He was born in Davie County to Thomas William Seamon, Sr. and Maude Mundy Seamon. He was a veteran of World War II and was a building contractor. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Kathleen Peacock Seamon of the home; his mother of Coolee; four sisters, Mrs. O.G. Clawson of Granite Quarry, Mrs. Cora Lee Myers of Charlotte, Mrs. Helen Daniels of Wilmington, and Mrs. Robert Creason of Coolee; four brothers, Howard P. Seamon and Calvin D. Seamon, both of Alexandria, Va., Curtis D. Seamon and Sid R. Seamon, both of Coolee. Funeral services will be conducted at 3:30 p.m. Monday at Hayworth-Miller Silas Creek Chapel by the Rev. J.D. Reavis. Burial will be in Gardens of Memory. The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday and requests that any memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society or to a charity of the donor's choice.

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EUGENE W. MILHOLEN

Funeral services were held Monday, June 21, at 11 a.m. for Eugene Walker Milholen, 58, at Eaton's Funeral Chapel in Mocksville by the Rev. Fred Carlton.

Mr. Milholen died Saturday morning at his home in Emerson New Jersey. Burial was in Legion Memorial Cemetery, Cooleemee.

He was born January 5, 1924 in Cooleemee to the late Herbert L. Milholen and Lena Wellman Milholen.

He is survived by his wife, Allie Canupp Milholen, two sons, Eugene Milholen of the home, John Milholen of Oakdale, Connecticut; four sisters, Ms. Jettie Milholen of Miami Beach, Florida; Mrs. Ruth Bailey of Salisbury; Mrs. Dot Hoover of Cooleemee, Mrs. Lena Privette of Lake Norman; four brothers: Grady Milholen of Shelbyville, Tenn., Woodrow Milholen of Hamptonville, George Milholen of Salisbury, and H. L. Milholen of Hampton, Va.

A World War II veteran, Mr. Milholen graduated from Cooleemee High School. He was a former employee of Burlington Industries and has been with Copeland Manufacturing Company for the past 27 years where he presently held the position of Senior Vice-president at the Sales Office in New York City.

J.P. (JOE) RANDALL

Joseph Preston Randall, 85, of Caroleen, N.C. died Wednesday, June 16, at Rutherford Hospital after a long illness.

He was born August 1, 1896 to the late A.G. Randall and Mary Hamrick Randall. He was a retired merchant and building contractor. His wife Mary Elizabeth Toms Randall preceded him in death.

Survivors include 2 sons, Ralph

Randall of Mocksville, and Joe D. Randall of Caroleen, N.C.; a daughter, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Drawdy of Spindale, N.C.; 1 brother, Clyde Randall of Caroleen, N.C.; and 1 sister, Miss Mamie Randall of Rutherfordton, N.C.; three grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Thursday, June 18, at 2:30 p.m. at Oak Grove United Methodist Church with the Reverend Joe Melton and the Reverend Brice Smith officiating. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

Wreck On Interstate 40 Takes Life Of Local Man

A 19-year-old Advance man was killed early Saturday morning in a single-car wreck on Interstate 40 at the Cedar Creek bridge, 4.4 miles east of Mocksville.

Stephen Glenn Williams of Rt. 3, Advance, was killed in the wreck. Williams lived on Overlook Drive in the Greenwood Lakes development.

This was Davie County's 5th fatality of the year.

According to the report filed by State Highway Patrolman L.E. Johnson, Williams was traveling west on I-40 at a high rate of speed about 1:45 a.m. when he lost control of his car. The car reportedly ran into the median, struck a culvert, then rolled down an embankment into a creek. The car overturned on Williams who apparently was thrown from the vehicle.

Also called to the scene were the Emergency Medical Service, the Davie Rescue Squad, and the Smith Grove Fire Department.

Williams was born January 19, 1963, in Forsyth County to Robert G. and Cheryl Workman Williams. He had spent most of his life in Forsyth County and had been living in Davie County for the past three years.

He was a graduate of the Davie High School and had finished one year at East Carolina and was



Stephen Glenn Williams

working at Pleasant Hardware during the summer.

He is survived by his father and mother of the home, one sister, Miss Jennifer (Ginger) Williams of the home; grandparents, Mrs. Mozelle Williams of Advance and Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Workman of Winston-Salem. The funeral was conducted at 2 p.m. Monday at Hayworth-Miller Silas Creek Chapel by the Rev. Ray Davis. Burial was in Westlawn Gardens of Memories.

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C. Spurgeon Anderson



C. SPURGEON ANDERSON

Charles Spurgeon Anderson died Tuesday morning, 10 a.m., at the Davie County Hospital following an extended illness.

The funeral was held at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Eaton Funeral Home with the Rev. Wayne Hill officiating. Burial was in Rose Cemetery with full Masonic Rites.

Mr. Anderson was born June 5, 1895 in the Clarksville section of Davie County to Charles Fisher and Jane Booe Anderson. He was married in 1921 to Celia Shaw of Harmony, who preceded him in death on April 1, 1982.

He was a veteran of World War I, and spent 38 years as a rural mail carrier. He served for 35 years as a member of the board of directors of the Mocksville Savings and Loan Association; 24-years as secretary of Mocksville Masonic Lodge No. 134; and was a member of the First Baptist Church of Mocksville.

Survivors include one son, Dr. Henry Shaw Anderson of Spartanburg, S.C.; a daughter, Mrs. Lucille Anderson Brown of Mocksville; a brother, Ben Anderson of Rt. 6, Mocksville; six grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

MRS. ALICE MYERS
Mrs. Alice Beauchamp Myers, 76, of Rt. 2, Advance, widow of Fred Sanford Myers, died at her home early Monday morning.

The funeral was held Wednesday at 11 a.m. at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel in Mocksville by the Rev. Tony Jordan. Burial was in Myers Family Cemetery.

Mrs. Myers was born in Davie County to Charlie and Sennie Orrell Beauchamp, and was a member of Baileys Chapel United Methodist Church.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. R.J. (Mildred) Markland and Mrs. Wilbur (Thelma) McMahan, both of Rt. 2, Advance, and Mrs. Mabel Markland of Rt. 3, Advance; eight grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Lillian Sprinkle of Winston-Salem, and Mrs. Martha Davis of Clemmons; two brothers, Ed Beauchamp of Winston-Salem, and Roy Beauchamp of Advance.

MRS. EVA SHERMER
Mrs. Eva Howell Shermer, 90, of Rt. 5, Mocksville, died Thursday afternoon at Davie County Hospital.

The funeral was held Saturday at 11 a.m. at Mackie-Gentry Funeral Home Chapel in Yadkinville by the Rev. Paul Moore. Burial was in Courtney Baptist Church Cemetery.

Mrs. Shermer was born in Davie County to John Vance and Mary Baitly Howell. She was a member of Courtney Baptist Church.

Her husband, John Grover Shermer died in 1956.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Nellie Pearl Steelman of Hamptonville, Mrs. Joyce Todd of Rt. 2, Yadkinville, and Mrs. Willie White of Rt. 4, Yadkinville; three grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

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On a cold day about the 1st of December 1919, a 24-year-old farm boy and recently returned veteran of World War I, drove a horse and buggy up to the Calahain Post office. Loading mail into his buggy, he set out to deliver mail on a rural route for which he had been appointed.

Charles Spurgeon Anderson had been out of the U.S. Army only six months when he began carrying the mail. During World War I, he served a year overseas with the famed 30th "Old Hickory" Division.

In 1922, the horseless carriage was becoming quite popular in this area. Spurgeon Anderson, switched from the horse and buggy for mail carrying during the summer months—but it was back with "ole dobbin" and the buggy because of the road conditions during the winter months.

In 1932, the postoffice was abolished at Calahain and Spurgeon Anderson started carrying mail out of Mocksville.

In 1921 he had married Celia Shaw of Harmony. From 1921-1934 the family lived in the Calahain community, moving to the Wilkesboro Street residence in Mocksville in 1934.

During his 34 years as a mail carrier, Spurgeon Anderson served three generations. Just prior to his retirement in July 1957, many patrons he was serving on Rt. 1 Mocksville were grandchildren of the patrons he served during his earlier years.

During his 37-year and 8-months of carrying the mail on a rural route, he shared the joy and sorrow of the families along his route. He also noted the progress from the one-horse plow stage to modern mechanized farming; from unpainted frame houses to the modern home. When he first started carrying the mail, practically all his patrons were farmers. At his retirement, the farm was still there—but at least one out of every family was engaged in public work.

During his lifetime he witnessed first hand the development of electric power, and the progress it wrought; paved roads, telephones, radio, then television, and modern space travel—even to the man on the moon. In all probability the life of Charles Spurgeon Anderson spanned the greatest 80 years of progress and development the world has ever known.

On his retirement as mail carrier in 1957, Spurgeon Anderson spoke what had been and would continue to be his lifetime creed:

"What I regret most about retiring is missing my daily contacts with my many friends I have made along my mail route."

Spurgeon Anderson, whether he realized it or not, was a follower of the philosophy of Ralph Waldo Emerson who said:

"The only way to have a friend is to be one."

And, Charles Spurgeon Anderson was a friend to everyone he ever met. He had no enemies.

He was always an active member of agencies that would help others: Mocksville Masonic Lodge No. 134, a member for more than 50 years and secretary for 24 years; The Mocksville Savings and Loan Assn. on the board of directors for 35 years; the American Legion; and the First Baptist Church of Mocksville.

He was in the words of Clarendon, in his friendship:

"Had the skill and observation of the best physician, the diligence and vigilance of the best nurse, and the tenderness and patience of the best mother."

A great philosopher once observed:

"Life is to be fortified by many friendships—to love and be loved is the greatest happiness of existence."

And thus was Charles Spurgeon Anderson.