

Washington Report

By CONGRESSMAN JAMES T. BROYHILL

From the moment the first shocking and fragmentary reports of the tragedy in Dallas reached Capitol Hill last Friday, disbelief and horror spread through the Nation and world. In the first moments of dismay and confusion, there was the prayerful hope that the wounds the President had sustained would not be fatal. This singular reaction which gripped the Capital was shared by all Americans everywhere.

The grim announcement of the President's death began a chain of heart-rending events which leaves its mark upon us all. The overwhelming personal tragedy for Mrs. Kennedy, the President's children, and the family left behind cannot be adequately expressed. Nor can we properly assess the nobility and strength of spirit which has borne Mrs. Kennedy through this terrible ordeal.

In this stunning blow to the Nation, feelings of strong personal identification with the office of the President and concern for the welfare of the Nation in a time of crisis were also uppermost in the minds of every American.

Somber events followed—the private visits to the White House Saturday by government officials, the solemn ceremonies in the rotunda of the Capitol on Sunday, and the funeral services the following day. Public mourning for a President struck down by an assassin's bullet

Brewer-Burch Honor Grade

Raleigh.—Kidd Brewer and Robert A. Burch, convicted in the 1962 highway-signs influence-peddling case, entered Central Prison's honor grade unit last week.

The two, who were committed to prison November 21, were assigned bookkeeping duties at Central Prison, where State Prisons Director George Randall said, they would probably remain until they have completed their sentences.

All prisoners convicted of misdemeanors are automatically placed in the honor-grade unit.

The two were sentenced to 18 months after being convicted of conspiring to fix highway-sign specifications to favor manufacturers represented by Brewer, a Raleigh businessman-politician. Burch was a state highway engineer at the time.

Burch's son, Bobby, was also convicted of conspiracy in the case and fined \$2,500 and ordered to pay the costs of the six-week trial. Gov. Terry Sanford pardoned the younger Burch on Thanksgiving Day, which made him eligible to receive a commission in the air force.

shrouds this Thanksgiving season.

The revulsion to the despicable acts of violence that we have witnessed is a demonstration by the American people of their instinctive devotion to government by law and the totality of their allegiance to the processes of democracy.

A saddened Nation now moves on as a new President takes the helm. All Americans speak and pray as one that President Johnson's burdens will not be beset by new and unforeseen problems, and that the transition to his Administration can be accomplished smoothly.

Dewey Hamby

Funeral Held

Lenoir.—Dewey Vermont Hamby, 64, of Ferguson, died in Davis Hospital, Statesville, Friday night. Mr. Hamby was a farmer.

Born in Watauga County May 18, 1899, Mr. Hamby was a son of the late Amos Alexander and Nancy Trivette Hamby.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lilla Watson Hamby; one daughter, Miss Bernice Joyce Hamby of the home; two sons, Dallas H. and Rex Hamby, both of route three, Lenoir; three sisters, Mrs. Ella Goulds of Arlington, Va., Mrs. Blanche Greene of Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. Thelma Greene of Boone; four brothers, Prince, Stewart, Edward and Ray Hamby, all of Deep Gap.

The funeral was conducted at Stony Fork Baptist Church, Watauga County, at two o'clock Sunday afternoon by the Rev. Harvey Phillips, the Rev. Roscoe Greene, and the Rev. Howard Sutton.

Burial was in the church cemetery.

Homecoming At Cove Creek

This year's Homecoming will be celebrated at Cove Creek High School Friday with a coffee hour, two basketball games, and the crowning of the 1964 Homecoming Queen.

The coffee hour will last from 6 to 7 p. m., and be followed immediately by two boys' basketball games—junior varsity and varsity—with Cranberry High School. The Homecoming Queen, whose name will be announced Friday morning, will be crowned during the intermission period between the two games.

Never waste time in argument with a fool unless you want to make a fool of yourself.

One Hundred Attend ASCS Open House

Approximately 100 people attended ASCS open house tours Friday, November 22.

Mr. Norville Hawkins of Mars Hill and Mr. Lee White of Concord, members of the State ASCS Committee, visited in the county for the open house. Mr. Benton Jones of the State ASCS office in Raleigh and Norman Wilson, district fieldman, of Vilas, were present.

Tours and explanation of the office facilities were made by office personnel. Present regular employees of the ASCS office, which serves over 2600 Watauga County farmers, include Forrest Smith, Administrative and Production Adjustment Clerk, Mildred S. Ward, ACP and wool clerk, Albert Harmon, performance and general clerk, and Roy W. Isley, Office Manager.

The present location of the ASCS office is upstairs over the new Northwestern Bank and includes special marked parking space on the lot beside the bank.

The County ASC Committee, Vaughn Tugman, chairman; Cliff Eggers, vice-chairman and A. C. Moretz, regular member, urge

H. M. Rooney Dies Tuesday

Hugh McMillan Rooney, 73, of Linville died Tuesday, November 26 at a Banner Elk hospital after a long illness.

He was born in Concord, Mass., and had lived in Linville for more than 30 years. He and his wife, Mrs. Virginia Rooney, operated the Henley Inn in Linville for many years until her death in 1956.

There are no immediate survivors.

The funeral was conducted at 2:30 p.m. Thursday at Augsburg Lutheran Church in Winston-Salem by the Rev. Ray B. Fisher.

The remains were buried in the family cemetery near Linville.

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