

### Vernon King Weds Texas Girl In Church Ceremony

Edinburg, Texas — Simplicity and beauty marked the wedding of Miss Richia Elizabeth Atkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Atkinson of this city, to Vernon Ashworth King, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Bruce King of Topton, North Carolina, which took place Monday afternoon, January 21, at two o'clock at the home of the bride's parents in Enfield Estates.

**DR. E. E. SMITH**  
CHIROPRACTOR  
And Electric (Oranic) Massage  
MURPHY, N. C.  
Best Treatment for Asthma and Most Ailments

**FOR SALE**  
We Carry A Full Line  
JOHNS-MANVILLE ROOFING  
Asphalt and Asbestos Shingles  
Roll Roofing  
Asbestos and Erick Siding  
WESTERN AUTO ASSO. STORE

Rev. Charles T. Hardt, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Edinburg, performed the double-ring ceremony.

The rites were read before the fireplace, with a large square mirror reflecting the formal arrangement of white gladioli which graced the mantel piece. A similar arrangement of gladioli was used on a low table near the dining room arch.

Preceding the exchanges of vows Tommy Avinger sang "Because," by Guy D. Hardlot, and "At Dawning," by Charles Wakefield Cadman. He was accompanied at the piano by Tommy Killough, who played the "Bridal March" from Lohengrin.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a softly tailored suit of pale blue wool crepe, with cuffs of lizard-skin adding a unique note. Her hat was an off-the-face model in brown and her brown reptile sandals matched the cuffs on her suit.

She carried a lovely, old-fashioned bride's bouquet of pale, purple orchids, surrounded by sweetpeas and enhanced by trailing satin streamers.

The groom was attended by Joe Atkinson, brother of the bride.

### Clinton Hampton Weds Miss Shook At Blairsville

Fort Bragg — Miss Octavia Shook, daughter of Mr. James E. Shook, of Hickory, chose Monday, January 14, for her wedding to Clinton H. Hampton, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hampton of Murphy. The wedding took place at 4:30 P. M. at Blairsville, Ga., with the Rev. J. M. Nicholson officiating. The double-ring ceremony was used.

The bride chose a beige light weight wool suit with cocoa brown accessories for her wedding ensemble. She wore a corsage of Sweetheart roses.

Mrs. Ralph D. Patton of Hickory, N. C., acted as her sister's Matron of Honor. She wore a suit of gold Gabardine with brown accessories. Her corsage was of yellow and lavender gladioli.

Mr. Hampton's brother, Edward, was best man.

The bridegroom's mother wore a steel length gown of navy with a corsage of pink carnations.

Mrs. Atkinson, the bride's mother, wore an informal frock of black velvet, with black accessories. Her corsage was a single purple orchid.

The groom's sister, Mrs. W. H. Foster of Raleigh, N. C., wore a grey-blue dress with a black print design. Her accessories were black and she wore an orchid corsage.

D. S. Atkinson, grandfather of the bride, came from Tesarkana to attend the wedding.

Shortly after a reception, the newlyweds left on a honeymoon trip to the northern part of the state. They will continue from there to North Carolina where King will return to school.

Mrs. King attended Edinburg school and graduated in 1944 from the local high school. She attended the University of Texas and Edinburg Junior College where she was a major in home economics.

King was stationed as a cadet with the air corps at Moore Field for some time. He received his discharge recently and plans to return to school at State College in Raleigh. A major in industrial engineering, he is in his fifth year of college. His wife plans to continue her college work at Raleigh.

Mr. Hampton is ending Barber School at Winston-Salem while his wife is employed as a clerk-typist at Post Headquarters Adjutant's Branch at Fort Bragg. She is a graduate of Lenoir-Rhyne College at Hickory. She resides in Fayetteville at 647 Brandt Lane.

Mr. Hampton served as a Sergeant in the Army for 9 years before his discharge last August. He was with the 65th Combat Engineers in the 25th Infantry Division in the South Pacific for 22 months until he was wounded and sent back to the States where he was assigned to Fort Bragg and served for 2 years. He wore the Asiatic-Pacific Ribbon with 3 bronze stars, Pre-Pearl Harbor Ribbon, American Defense Ribbon and the Good Conduct Ribbon.

### 3312 Benefits In Force At End Of 1945

In the area served by the Asheville office of the Social Security Board there were 3312 monthly Old-Age and Survivors Insurance benefits, in force at the end of 1945 according to D. W. Lambert, manager of the Asheville office. This figure represents the number of men, women and children in the 17 counties of Western North Carolina served by the Asheville field office now eligible for monthly payments of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance.

Other estimates indicate an increase of 709 over the number of benefits in force at the close of the year 1944," said Mr. Lambert. Recipients of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance in these 17 counties include 567 widows, 1389 children, 1015 retired wage-earners, 509 wives of retired wage-earners and 32 aged dependent parents.

The field manager explained that when a fully insured wage-earner, who is 65 years old or more, files claim for his monthly old-age insurance benefits, his wife may also claim monthly benefits, if she is 65 years old or when she reaches that age. In addition, each of his children under age 16 (18 if in school) will receive monthly benefits—except that the benefits for the entire family may not be more than twice the amount of the retired wage-earner's own monthly payment.

When an insured worker dies, leaving a widow with minor children, monthly payments of survivors insurance are made to his widow and to his children who are under age 16 (18 if in school). An insured worker's widow who has reached age 65 is eligible for benefits whether or not she has a child in her care.

Where the insured wage earner dies and leaves no survivors entitled to monthly benefits, a lump-sum death payment is made to the widow or widower or children or parents of the deceased. If no one of the above-mentioned relatives is living, a payment covering the burial expenses, up to an amount of six times the primary insurance benefit, will be made to the person who paid such expenses.

141 lump-sum death payments, amounting in all to \$13,191.59 were made in the Asheville service area during 1945.

### Funeral Is Held For Mrs. Chambers

Funeral services for Mrs. Sallie Chambers, 75, of Hayesville who died in an Asheville hospital Thursday.

**ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Schedule of Masses  
Murphy, 5th Saturday — 8:00 A. M.  
Bryson City, 1st Sunday — 8:00 A. M.  
Canton, 5th Sunday — 8:00 — A. M.  
Cherokee, 3rd Sunday — 8:00 A. M.  
Cullowhee, 1st Wednesday — 7:00 A. M.  
Franklin, 2nd Sunday — 8:00 A. M.  
Sylva, 4th Sunday — 8:00 A. M.  
Waynesville, every Sunday — 11:00 A. M.  
Welch Cove, 1st Saturday — 8:00 A. M.

**How women and girls may get wanted relief from functional periodia pain**

Cardui, many women say, has brought relief from the cramp-like aches and nervous strain of functional periodia distress. Taken like a tonic, it should stimulate appetite, aid digestion, thus help build resistance for the "time" to come. Started 3 days before "your time", it should help relieve pain due to purely functional periodia causes. Try it!

**CARDUI**  
SEE LABEL DIRECTIONS

### Attendants Are Needed At Moore General Hospital

Moore General Hospital is urgently in need of 25 ward attendants and 25 mess attendants, Captain G. C. Moore, chief of civilian personnel, announced this week.

Because of the housing shortage in Asheville and vicinity, Moore General Hospital is making avail-

able to single males who qualify for these jobs room and board if they so desire, Captain Moore said. A slight deduction will be made from the individual's salary for room and mess. Barracks have been set aside for single men and they will be fed in the hospital mess.

Ward attendants are paid fifty cents per hour and mess attendants receive forty-eight cents per hour.

Applicants may call at the civilian personnel office at the hospital for further information and personal interview between the hours of 8 a. m. and 3 p. m. daily except Saturday and Sunday.

Sotck peanut prices will be supported at 90 per cent of parity as of July 15, 1946, the beginning of the marketing year.

## Dickey Theatre

Murphy, North Carolina

Saturday, February 9  
**DOUBLE FEATURE**  
"Cowboy From Lonesome River"  
With Charles Starrett  
—Also—  
"THE UNWRITTEN CODE"  
With Ann Savage - Tom Neal  
Chapter 3 of PURPLE MONSTERS

Sunday - Monday, February 10 - 11  
"ONE HEAVENLY NIGHT"  
Starring Evelyn Laye - John Boles  
Leon Errol  
NEWS and SHORT SUBJECTS

Tuesday - Wednesday, February 12 - 13  
"SING NEIGHBOR SING"  
Radio's Popular Entertainers — Roy Acuff and His Smoky Mountain Boys and Many others.  
SHORT SUBJECT

Thursday - Friday, February 14 - 15  
"A GUY NAMED JOE"  
With Spencer Tracy - Irene Dunne  
Van Johnson  
If you've seen it — see it again.  
NEWS — SHORT SUBJECT.

**Stok-A-Fire De Luxe Model**  
THE ONLY STOVE WITH THE "QUAL-METER" THAT GUARANTEES AIR AND COAL FUEL CONTROL

It's HERE! Ready to install! The new STOK-A-FIRE De Luxe Model is the greatest improvement in automatic heating. A quality-built stove with exclusive features found in no other stove. Low Price. Saves fuel. Gives real automatic heating enjoyment. Get yours NOW. Free demonstration.

**C. H. Holder, Agent**  
MURPHY, N. C.

**ASK YOUR GROCER for Koffe-Kup**

**Koffe-Kup Blended COFFEE**  
100% POLAND BLEND  
THE WORLD'S FINEST COFFEES

**ROASTED and DISTRIBUTED BY Ragland Bros. Co.**

**When you need a TAXI, call one of the following numbers:**

**ROBERTS' CABS 69**  
**COFFEY'S CABS 59**  
**STILES' TAXIS 238**  
NIGHT 188-J OR 268-R

There is someone on duty at one of these phones at all hours, to serve you

**REMEMBER THE NUMBERS CALL US FOR BETTER CAB SERVICE**

**YOUR CAR'S NO BABY... BUT IT NEEDS NURSING**

Your car's probably six years old... at least... and that's certainly no baby, as cars go. But you'll have to nurse it along this winter like a baby... or else stay home.

New cars are being made but 14 million eager buyers are after them. So you must continue to nurse your old one along.

Your Sinclair Dealer can help in a big way. He specializes in Sinclair-ize for Winter Service. Let him help protect your car against harsh cold weather wear by changing to winter grade lubricants, servicing the cooling system and checking battery and tires. Make an appointment for Sinclair-ize for Winter Service today.

**STOP AT THIS SIGN**

**SINCLAIR-ize** **for WINTER NOW**

... AND TRY THE NEW H-C GASOLINE

<b>JAMES BRYSON</b> Marble	<b>BEN WAGNER</b> Hayesville	<b>E. L. BROWN</b> Young Harris, Ga.	<b>F. C. STEPP</b> Blue Ridge, Ga.
<b>GARLAND WEST</b> Andrews	<b>VAUGHN GIBSON</b> Hayesville	<b>CHARLES MAUNEY</b> Blairsville, Ga.	<b>L. L. McALLISTER</b> Culberson
<b>KAYE AUTO PARTS</b> Murphy	<b>BEN PHILLIPS</b> Hayesville	<b>W. P. PAYNE</b> Ga. State Line	<b>CHARLIE MCGILL</b> Culberson
<b>BEN PALMER</b> Murphy	<b>ED. L. CRAWFORD</b> Hayesville	<b>SMITH'S MOTOR CO.</b> Blue Ridge, Ga.	<b>T. B. DEYTON</b> Blairsville, Ga.
<b>A. J. RAMSEY</b> Murphy	<b>MRS. E. L. ANDERSON</b> Brasstown	<b>L. B. TURNER</b> Mineral Bluff, Ga.	<b>PAYNE BROS. FARM</b> Young Cane, Ga.
<b>R. C. MOORE</b> Shooting Creek	<b>WARREN SNEED</b> Brasstown	<b>CLAUDE BAILEY</b> Mineral Bluff, Ga.	<b>W. A. NICHOLS</b> Culberson

**ALLISON & DUNCAN**  
Phones 152-J and 202  
Murphy, N. C.