

### Mrs. Tomlinson, Haywood Native, Dies In Va.

Mrs. W. F. Tomlinson, a native of Lake Junaluska, died Sunday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. G. Miller, in Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Tomlinson was the former Miss Sally Long, daughter of the late Rev. James R. and Sara Fitzgerald Long, and lived at Lake Junaluska until her marriage, when she moved to Washington, D. C. Her husband, a native of Iredeed County, died about twenty-five years ago.

Mrs. Tomlinson made her home with her daughter in Richmond and made frequent visits to relatives here. She spent a month last summer with a niece, Mrs. J. R. Morgan here.

Surviving, in addition to the daughter, are four grandchildren, several great grandchildren, and a number of nieces and nephews.

### J. P. Gibson Dies At 87 In Bryson City

John P. Gibson, 87, father of Herbert Gibson, Sr. of Waynesville, died in his sleep at his home in Bryson City Friday night.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in the First Baptist Church in Bryson City and burial was in Arlington Cemetery there.

Mr. Gibson was a retired businessman and a member of a pioneer Swain County family. He taught school in Macon and Swain counties early in his career and later went into the construction business.

Surviving, in addition to the son here, are three sons, Walter of Newport News, Va., S. L. Gibson of Bryson City, and Joel of Newark, N. J.; and three daughters, Mrs. Fred Wilson of Atlanta, Ga., Mrs. H. B. Culberson of Old Ford, and Miss Nova Gibson of the home.

Hatcheries in the state set 2,075,000 eggs for broilers during the week which ended February 26.

### Waynesville DRIVE-IN THEATRE

Children Under 12 Admitted FREE Show Starts At 7:30 MONDAY, APRIL 4



News and Cartoon TUES. & WED., APRIL 5 & 6



FRIDAY, APRIL 8 'LITTLE MEN' Starring KAY FRANCIS JACK OAKIE



### Mrs. Francis Taken By Death

Mrs. Emma Stowe Francis, 78, wife of W. J. Francis of Belmont, died Thursday afternoon at the Presbyterian Hospital, Charlotte, after an illness of several weeks.

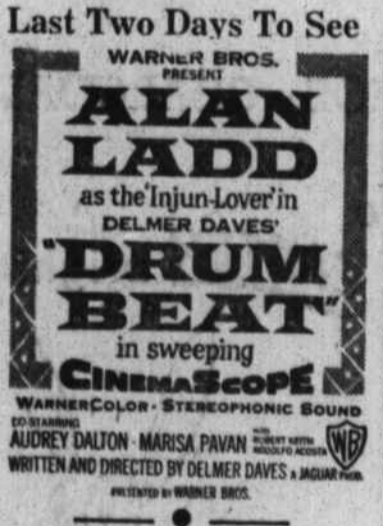
Mrs. Francis became a member of the First Baptist Church of Belmont at the age of 11 years, and since that time her life interest has been centered in her church.

When Mrs. Francis returned from Boiling Springs with her husband in 1914, together they organized and led the B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist Church.

From 1915 to 1925 Mrs. Francis was the teacher of the Philathea Class but during her latter years she taught boys in the Intermediate Department.

### STRAND THEATRE

Monday - Tuesday April 4 - 5



Wed. - Thurs. April 6 - 7



FRIDAY, APRIL 8 'FRANCIS COVERS THE BIG TOWN'

Remember Free Ice Cream To All Children and Six Color Cartoons

### DEATHS

#### MRS. MYRTLE MORGAN

Mrs. Myrtle Harbin Morgan, 50, died Sunday morning at her home at Skyland Terrace in Canton. She was the widow of Gano Morgan, who died in 1953.

She was the daughter of C. L. Harbin and the late Addie Robinson Harbin of Canton.

Survivors, besides the father, are six daughters, Mrs. Clinton Matthews of Pasadena, Texas, Mrs. Weaver Jones of Winston-Salem, Mrs. Paul Setzer, of Sylva, the Misses Ruby, Audena and Judy Dale of the home; two sons, Calvin of Canton, Pvt. Charles Morgan of the U. S. Army in Austria; her step-mother, Mrs. C. L. Harbin; five brothers, Ray, Raymond and C. L. Harbin, Jr., all of Canton; Eddie and Lester of the U. S. Navy at Norfolk, Va.; one sister, Mrs. Lenora Burke of Pasadena, Texas, and six grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements, under the direction of Crawford Funeral Home, are incomplete.

#### GEORGE W. PRUETT

George Weaver Pruett, 61, died Sunday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Carmel Ingle, in Canton, after a long illness.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2 p.m. in the Inman Chapel near Lake Logan. The Rev. Thomas Erwin and the Rev. Will Massie will officiate. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Nephews will serve as pallbearers and nieces and granddaughters as flower bearers.

Survivors are five sons, James, Furman and Dewey of Castle Rock, Wash., Claude of Waynesville and Paul of Canton; six daughters, Mrs. John Phillips, Mrs. Roy Carver, Mrs. James Williamson and Mrs. Ingle, all of Canton. Mrs. A. D. Summey and Mrs. Frank Harris, both of Castle Rock, Wash.

Three sisters, Mrs. Bessie Coughburn of Clyde, Mrs. Holden War-

500 volumes to interested persons. Mrs. Francis possessed a deep missionary spirit and vision that carried her beyond the realm of the local church.

Funeral services for Charles Lee Sheppard, 45, who died March 11 in Goldendale, Wash., following a brief illness, were held at 4 p.m. Sunday in the First Baptist Church in Canton.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Edith Dalton Sheppard; a daughter, Linda Jean, of the home; two sons, Charles Ray and Jerry Martin, of the home; the father, Thomas E., and the step-mother, of West Asheville; a sister, Mrs. John Peck of Canton; and a brother, Edward, serving in Japan with the Army.

Wells Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

### Smoky Mtn. DRIVE-IN THEATRE

Balsam Rd. Dial GL 6-5446 Show Starts At 7:15 P. M.

MON. & TUES., APRIL 4 & 5 'WOMAN'S WORLD' (In Cinemascope & Color)

WED. & THURS., APRIL 6 & 7 'THE HIGH AND THE MIGHTY'

FRIDAY, APRIL 8 'UTAH' Starring ROY ROGERS and TRIGGER

Remember Free Ice Cream To All Children and Six Color Cartoons

### Four Rotarians Give Brief Sketch Of Life

Four Rotarians gave brief sketches of their lives as a means of "introducing" themselves to the club. All four have become members within the past year.

The program was under the direction of Dr. John Penny.

Those taking part were: Herbert Gibson, Dr. Al Riegg, Ken Fry, and Dr. Frank Love.

This type program is held about once a year, and is proving to be highly interesting.

### PFC MESSER Hawaii For States

Army PFC Johnnie R. Messer, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Messer, Route 1, Canton, recently left Hawaii for the U. S. after serving with the 25th Infantry Division.

Messer, who was a rifleman with Company C of the 27th Regiment, entered the Army in May, 1953 and has served a tour of duty in Korea. He arrived in Hawaii last October.

A former student at Canton High School, he was a farmer before entering the Army.

### Sister Of Thad Chafin Dies In Atlanta

Mrs. L. W. Haynes, sister of Thad O. Chafin, died in an Atlanta nursing home Thursday following a long illness. Funeral services and interment were held in Atlanta Saturday.

Mrs. Haynes was a frequent visitor to Waynesville.

She is survived by three daughters, two sons, and a number of

ren of Canton and Mrs. Walter Moody of Canton; two brothers, Kin of Dade City, Fla., and Fred of Hazelwood; 24 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

The body has been taken to the home of Mrs. Ingle to await the services. Crawford Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

#### CHARLES L. SHEPPARD

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The Rev. Horace L. Smith, the pastor, officiated, assisted by the Rev. I. L. Roberts and the Rev. Otto Parham.

Pallbearers were Otis Cole, J. L. Reed, Ralph Cook, John Ray Williamson, Carroll Miller and J. E. Moore.

Burial was in Bon-A-Venture Cemetery.

Sheppard, a former resident of Haywood County, once worked for the Champion Paper and Fibre Co. in Canton.

He lived in Washington for the last two years.

### PARK Theatre Program

MON. & TUES., APRIL 4 & 5 2 GREAT DAYS

'MANY RIVERS TO CROSS' (In Cinemascope and Color) Starring ROBERT TAYLOR ELEANOR PARKER

WED. & THURS., APRIL 6 & 7 'NAKED ALIBI' (In Color)

FRIDAY, APRIL 8 'SCARLET SPEAR' (In Color)

Starring JOHN BENTLEY MARTHA HYER -ALSO- 'CAVALRY SCOUT' Starring ROD CAMERON ALWAYS THE BEST IN SELECTED SHORT SUBJECTS



RICHARD R. WILDE, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wilde of Canton, is now serving as a switchboard operator aboard the Navy aircraft carrier Philippine Sea, which is scheduled to sail for the Far East soon. Wilde received his basic training at San Diego, Calif.

### News Events Of West Pigeon Area

By MRS. CLIFTON TERRELL Community Reporter

A pre-school clinic will be held at the Bethel School April 7 at 9 a.m. All parents are urged to bring their children who will be starting to school this fall.

Refreshments will be served by the PTA, Bethel and Center Pigeon Home Demonstration Clubs.

Thirty Bethel students, accompanied by Miss Bernice MacElhannon and C. C. Poindexter left Saturday morning for a tour of Washington, D. C.

The women of the Bethel Presbyterian Church met at the church on Friday afternoon with the president, Mrs. Clifton Terrell, in charge.

Mrs. Wiley Medford was program leader for the afternoon. Plans were made for the members to attend an instruction meeting in Asheville on Tuesday and district conference in Waynesville on April 15.

The Bible Study was given by Mr. Henry Hope, student pastor of the church.

Quite a bit of work was accomplished at the work day meeting at the church prior to the W.O.C. meeting.

### Number Of Spring Projects Planned For Allens Creek

By BLANCHE FRANKLIN Community Reporter

A number of community projects are planned for this community in the immediate future. They include a general beautification program, gardening, and the construction of a number of new homes.

The YWA of the Allens Creek Baptist church met with Jane Moody at the home of Mrs. Kay Allen.

An interesting program was held, followed by a social hour. Mrs. C. D. Sawyer is counselor of the group.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Snyder, Jr., and daughter, of Newport News spent two weeks visiting relatives in this community. Mr. Snyder was recently discharged from the Army. Mrs. Snyder is the former Miss Margaret Cotter of Allens Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wright are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wright in Bryson City.

Mrs. Blanche Frady of Cullowhee is visiting her sister, Edna Cotter, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Whitner and family recently moved into their new home on Allens Creek.

Mrs. Shelbia Rathbone left last week to be with her husband, Pvt. Dowell Rathbone who is stationed in Kansas.

Donna Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Wood celebrated her 7th birthday Sunday with a party at her home. Those present were: Linda and Brenda Chambers, Lowell Jr. and Terry Lee Browning, June and Patsie Davis, Harold, Larry and Rhonda Keener, Robert Knight, Rickie, Vickie, Stevie and Debbie Muse, Phillip, Charles and Debbie Chambers, Patty Blackwell, James E. Underwood, Billy and Diane Kerly and Randy Guy. The Easter motif was carried out.

Doris Ann Muse assisted in serving. Mrs. Herman Wyatt is in the hospital. Ted Whitmire who is a patient at Memorial Mission Hospital in Asheville is reported doing fairly well.

Use the Want Ads for results

### Right Place

RICHMOND, Va. (AP)—A young patient, her right foot bleeding alarmingly, walked up the steps and into the lobby of Richmond's Retreat for the Sick Hospital. Whitegarbed staff members conferred and hustled her off for treatment—in a veterinary hospital.

After treatment the dog, a two-year-old German shepherd, was returned to her owner, St. Gertrude's

convent. The sisters were as to how the injured dog found her way seven blocks

A baby hippopotamus weighs about 100 pounds and can swim before it can

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