

**Funerals for Heavener
Were Held On Sunday**

Funerals for Heavener, 68, native and lifelong resident of Cleveland county, and for the past 40 years a resident of Kings Mountain, died at his home on Lacey street here about 3 o'clock Friday afternoon. His death followed an illness of about a week.

Surviving Mr. Heavener are his wife, Mrs. Minnie Maury Heavener, at home here, two daughters, Miss Bonnie Heavener of Kings Mountain

and Mrs. Emma Heavener of North and two sons, Paul J. Heavener of Kings Mountain and P. H. Heavener, serving with the U. S. 8th Army in Germany. Nine grandchildren survive. Also surviving are three brothers, W. B. and J. H. Heavener, both of Gastonia and T. R. Heavener of High Shoals.

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at Grace Methodist church here, of which Mr. Heavener was a member. The body lay in state at the church for an hour, from 2 p. m. until 3 p. m. the funeral hour. Rev. W. L. Barker, the pastor, was in charge of the funeral services, assisted by Rev. B. F. Austin, pastor of Kings Mountain Second Baptist church. Interment was in Mountain Rest cemetery.

The AAA asks North Carolina farmers to save as much as possible of their 1945 crop of cottonseed for seed harvesting.

Twenty-four negro farmers recently organized an open-air market on a vacant lot in Washington, Beaufort county. Returns for the first two sale days were \$149.81 and \$519.20.

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AMERICAN HEROES
by WOODY COWAN



COMDR. JAMES HALE MINI, U.S.N., already holder of a DFC, has been awarded a Navy Cross for leading a flight of carrier planes against the Japs in the Philippines. He so deployed his command that they severely damaged six major combat vessels. Despite heavy anti-aircraft fire, he made an accurate bomb-run on a battleship, scoring a direct hit with a 1000-pound bomb. War Bonds helped pay for the planes and bombs that enabled the Manila-born officer to render that for ineffective. His home now is at Vallejo, California.

Bennett's Regiment Broke Moder Line

6TH ARMY GROUP, Germany—Veteran doughboys of the 142nd Infantry Regiment, experiencing some of their hardest combat in more than 250 days of battle, recently broke through the Moder Line at Oberhoffen, captured Wissemburg, and slashed their way through strong fortified line defenses. In this regiment is Sgt James L. Bennett, of Kings Mountain, N. C. These 36th Division infantrymen,

among the most battle-weathered troops in General Jacob L. Devers' 6th Army Group, fought for three days against completely manned Siegfried defenses but smashed through to get on on the kill of two German Armies in the Saar Basin. They observed their second anniversary overseas by boosting their total of Germans captured to 10,000.

Commanded by Col. George E. Lynch of Orlando, Fla., the men of the 142nd achieved a spectacular record in Italy and France where they stormed strongly defended beaches,

waged difficult mountain warfare and effected rapid thrusts deep into enemy territory.

Bugged fighting in Italy saw them among first Americans to battle on European soil when they waded a shore at Salerno. They took the first choice hospital at Mount Magliocco and on Mount Polverara and off the face of Mount Cassino with the 1st and 3rd Divisions.

From the beaches of Southern France, these doughboys sped north and smashed back remnants of the German 19th Army trying to break out at Montclair. First to pass through Lyons, they captured the important "Hubert" bridge, giving access to St. Marie, Paris and Saumur.

RAMBLING SKETCHES OF OAK GROVE NEWS
By Mrs. William Wright

Practicing services will be held at the local church Sunday night by the Pastor, Rev. J. C. Brown, of 10:00.

Mrs. Horace Bell has an evening dinner party for parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Patterson of Patterson Grove and Miss Georgia White of Kings Mountain. Other guests in the Bell home were Mrs. Quenton Hunt and son, Ralph, of Beaver Lake, Misses Frances and Harla Wray of Charlotte were Saturday night guests of Misses Sarah and Nana Bell.

Mrs. Mae Bell of Charlotte was the Saturday night guest of Mrs. Mr. Otto Bell and family.

Miss Pauline Wray was the Saturday night guest in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Rowland of Patterson Grove.

Mrs. W. F. Stone, Jr. was the

Sunday afternoon guest of the Mrs. W. F. Stone, Sr., of 10:00.

Mrs. G. A. Brown of Liberty, N. C. Mrs. P. E. Randall and Mrs. J. P. Lowery of El Bethel were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Givens of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Givens and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wray and Mr. and Mrs. Pauline, Annette and Betty and Michael Wray, and Dr. J. C. Stone were Sunday guests of the reporter and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Chapman of the district of Charlotte were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Chapman.

J. V. Lowrey, Extension Director of State College, says growers make more money when produce quality products, and grow all needed in poultry feed.

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Today, the armed forces of the United States, in collaboration with our valiant allies, again stands in victory over the warlike Hun. Yet joy is only partial today, for we have yet to defeat another enemy—the warlike Jap.

The American Legion, as an organization, and as individual fathers, knows the big job of fighting our men have done and have to do yet. We know and appreciate their sacrifices. With prayerful hearts, we are waiting for the day when you will return to your homes, your loved ones, and to your rightful leadership in society and the American Legion.

Until then — Congratulations on a job well done and Godspeed to an early victory over the last remaining enemy.

**Otis D. Greene Post
No. 155
American Legion**



KILLED IN ACTION

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| Harold D. Jackson | Lester Moss |
| Earle E. Carpenter | F. L. (Pete) Lynn |
| Everett W. Paysour | Robert Lee Falls |
| Colon B. Reynolds | Grady Gansler |
| Walter Manly Moorhead | William F. Smith, Jr. |
| Roy E. Harmon | Howard Gantt |
| Matthew Bryson Crisp | Howard Pippy |
| David Homer Barber | Moffatt D. Davis |
| J. C. Modlin | Horace E. Latham |
| Marvin Foster | Major Reid Whiteside |
| John Burton | |

(See remainder of Gold Star List on Page 2, Section 3)

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