

BurMil Sales For Quarter Down; Net Up

WILMINGTON, Del. — Consolidated net sales of \$82,568,000 for the quarter ended January 27, 1954, were reported today by Burlington Mills Corporation and subsidiary companies. These sales compare with \$91,146,000 for the quarter ended December 27, 1952. After taxes of \$2,251,000, net earnings amounted to \$2,149,000 as compared with \$2,105,000 for the comparable period last year. These figures were announced in connection with the annual meeting of stockholders held at Wilmington, Delaware.

After providing for preferred dividends, net earnings for the first three months of the current year amounted to 26 cents per common share on the 7,040,000 shares outstanding. In the 1953 fiscal year the first quarter net earnings amounted to 25 cents per common share on the 7,086,000 shares outstanding at the end of the period.

The annual meeting of stockholders was held at 11:00 a. m. at the Corporation's principal office, 100 West Tenth Street, Wilmington, Delaware. All members of the Board of Directors were re-elected. They are: Graham H. Anthony; Graham B. Blaine; Kenneth Collins; William S. Coulter; J. C. Cowan, Jr.; John Clifford Folger; Bernard F. Gimbel; Albert H. Gordon; Walter E. Greer, Jr.; Howard Holderness; D. Edward Hudgins; John L. Hutcheson, Jr.; S. Lewis Hutcheson; Herbert M. Kaiser; J. Spencer Love; Henry E. Rauch and Edward R. Zane.

The 110 million bushels of wheat exported from the United States in the period July - December, 1953, was 45 million less than the same period a year earlier.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LAND

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred by that certain Deed of Trust executed by Oliver Falls and wife to D. C. Mauney, recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Cleveland County, North Carolina, in Book 378, at Page 304, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured thereby, the undersigned Trustee, will, at the request and demand of the legal owner and seller of said indebtedness, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the County Courthouse in the City of Shelby, North Carolina, at 12 o'clock noon on Monday, March 8th, 1954, all those certain pieces, parcels and lots of land lying and being in the City of Kings Mountain, and more particularly described as follows:

Being Lots Nos. 59, 60, 61 and 62, according to a blue print of same which is recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Cleveland County in Plat Book No. 3, at Page 3, and being the same lots conveyed by the Town of Kings Mountain to C. F. Thomason by deed dated 26th of September, 1940, as will appear on record in the Register of Deeds Office for Cleveland County in Book 5-A, at page 1. Being the same land conveyed by Ruth C. Thomason, widow, and George B. Thomason, by deed dated 11th of March, 1949, as will appear on record to C. F. Thomason, Jr.

Said sale will remain open ten days for raised bids as by Statute provided.

This the 1st day of February, 1954.

E. A. Harrill, Trustee.
f-4-25-H.

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Area Merit Badge Examiners Listed By Hugh Logan, Jr., Scout Chairman

- Merit badge examiners for the Kings Mountain Boy Scout District were announced this week by Hugh A. Logan, Jr., chairman. They are as follows:
- Aeronautics — J. C. Bridges and Harold Hunnicutt.
 - Agriculture — Otto Williams.
 - Angling — Lee Woodward and Red McKee.
 - Animal Industry — Dr. Jacob Mauney.
 - Archery — Mrs. George Page.
 - Architecture — Kelly Dixon and Clyde Bennett.
 - Art — Mrs. Herman Campbell.
 - Astronomy — Charles Shilling.
 - Athletics — Donald Parker, Shu Carlton and John Charles.
 - Automobile — Glenn Grigg and Red Morrison.
 - Basketry — Paul McGinnis.
 - Bee Keeping — Paul Mauney.
 - Beef Production — L. C. Dettmar and Allen Herndon.
 - Bird Study — Aubrey Mauney.
 - Blacksmith — Hazel Bumgardner.
 - Bookbinding — Mrs. J. B. Keeter and J. O. Martin.
 - Botany — Donald Parker.
 - Bugle — D. L. Sanders, Jr.
 - Business — L. E. Abbott and Frank Summers.
 - Camping — Scout Masters.
 - Canoeing — Camp.
 - Carpentry — B. S. Peeler, Sr. and E. T. Plott.
 - Cement Work — Herman Falls and Fred Wright, Jr.
 - Chemistry — Rowell Lane and Hubert Aderholdt.
 - Citrus Fruit Culture — Dr. Anthony.
 - Civics — Glee A. Bridges and J. R. Davis.
 - Coin Collection — J. C. McKinney.
 - Insect Life — Miss Odessa Black.

NOTICE OF RESALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in an order made by E. A. Houser, Clerk of the Superior Court for Cleveland County in the special proceedings entitled, "Mrs. Mae Blackburn, widow, et al vs. G. S. Blackburn, Administrator for the estate of W. L. Blackburn, deceased, et al", I will resell for cash on the premises of the lots hereinafter described at public auction on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1954 at 10:00 o'clock a. m. or within legal hours, the following described real estate:

All of lots 1 through 17 in Block A, lots 1 through 19 in Block B, lots 1 through 11 in Block C and lots 1 through 20 in Block D as shown on map or plat made by L. B. Falls, Surveyor in May, 1953, as will appear on record in the Register of Deeds Office for Cleveland County.

All of the above described lots compose the W. L. Blackburn estate consisting of 17 acres located about 1 mile West of Grover on the Grover - Shelby Highway, said 17 acre tract has been surveyed and cut into suitable building lots.

There is also located on the above lots two nice dwelling houses, a splendid barn and a good garage.

The above property is being sold to settle the W. L. Blackburn estate.

The bidding will begin at \$9000.00. 10% will be required of the successful bidder.

This the 2nd day of February, 1954.

G. S. Blackburn, Commissioner
Davis and White, Attorneys
2-4-18-D

67 Auto Smashes, No Fatalities Here In 1953

Although there were 67 automobile accidents within the city limits of Kings Mountain during this past year, there were no fatalities due to these accidents according to the police department.

The only fatality reported by the police department credited to any type of accident within the city limits was that of William Lawrence Bridges, 17-year-old Kings Mountain youth who was killed instantly November 26, 1953, when he was struck by a freight train while walking the tracks near the depot.

There was also one train wreck within the city limits of Kings Mountain, with no injuries.

- Signaling — L. C. Dettmar.
 - Skating — L. C. Ware.
 - Small Grain and Cereal Foods — Hal Ward and Ted Leford.
 - Soil Management — Charles J. Wells.
 - Stalking — Scout Masters.
 - Stamp Collection — George Ford.
 - Surveying — Charlie Campbell and Butler Falls.
 - Swimming — Douglas Hullender and Buck Early.
 - Taxidermy — Harold Hunnicutt.
 - Textiles — George Houser and Paul Mauney.
 - Weather — B. S. Peeler, Jr. and Harold Hunnicutt.
 - Wood Carving — Bill McDaniel and Jack Hullender.
 - Wood Turning — Bill McDaniel and Gene Mauney.
 - Woodwork — B. S. Peeler, Sr.
 - Zoology — Miss Odessa Black.
 - Rabbit Raising — Buck Early.
- Beef cattle prices in North Carolina are expected to be slightly higher this year, especially for better quality fed cattle, at least for the first part of the year.

Davis Infant Rites Held Wednesday

Graveside funeral rites for Buddy Alexander Davis, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Davis, were conducted last Wednesday morning, February 3 at 11 o'clock from Smyrna church cemetery.

Rev. James Parrott, pastor of the Four-Square Church of God, conducted the rites. The infant

Police Reported Highway Mishap

On January 31, a 1953 Dodge pickup truck, driven by Calvin C. Lingerfelt, of route 1, was involved in an accident with a 1953 Oldsmobile, driven by Thomas T. Ridley, of Greenville, S. C. Lingerfelt was traveling south on Battleground avenue, according to the police report.

Apparently Lingerfelt was parked too far out onto Battleground avenue, police said, and the right rear bumper of Ridley's car caught the front bumper of the car driven by Lingerfelt. Damages to both cars totaled \$160.

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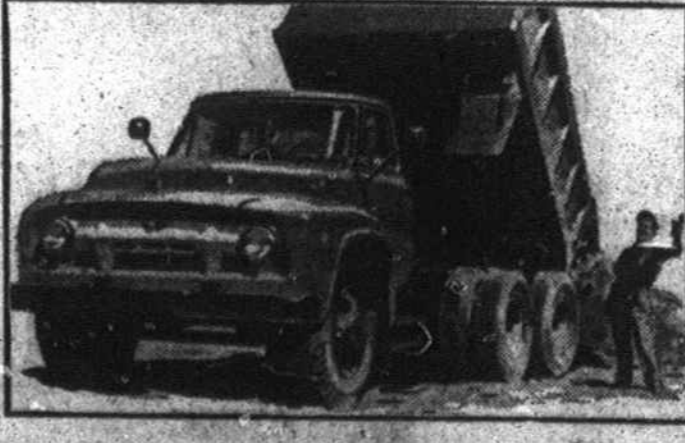
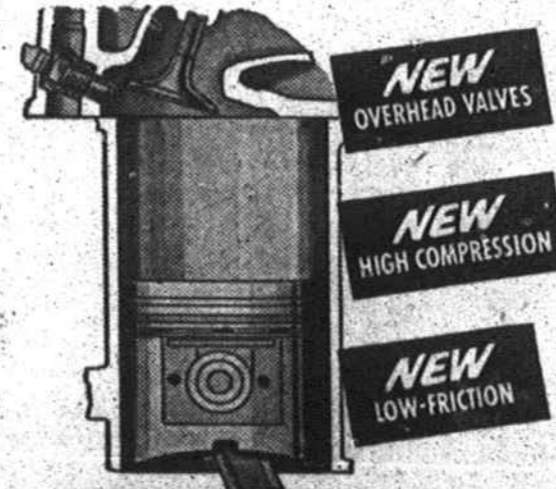
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