

**Sixteen Cagers**

Huffstetter, Joyce Bolin and Eloise Beam; Juniors Angela Ruff, Susan Lowery, Elaine Russell and Glenda Lynn and sophomore Hilda Lowery and freshman Sharon Gold.

Boys awarded letters included seniors Richard Gold, Mike Ballard, Jimmy Cloninger, Ken Bunkowski and Mickey Bell, along with junior guard Ben Grimes.

**Reynolds Aboard Fighter Squadron**

March 3 — Aviation Electrician's Mate First Class Oliver J. Reynolds, USN, brother of Mrs. Lila E. Croft of Kings Mountain, N. C., and husband of the former Miss Helen E. Snell of 1903 N. 13th Ave., Birmingham, Ala., reported for duty Feb. 17 with Fighter Squadron 114 at the Naval Air Station, Miramar, Calif. He will be assigned to the Electrical Branch of the squadron, performing maintenance supervision on the McDonnell F-4B, "Phantom II" jet fighter interceptors.

Reynolds entered the service in April, 1945.

**Grover Club Planning Benefit, Lions Held Womanless Wedding**

**By MRS. GENE TURNER**  
GROVER — The Grover Woman's club met Monday night, March 15th, at Grover's Rescue Squad Building. The club members discussed the Benefit Dinner and game affair to be held at the Squad Building.

Among other Grover people attending the Flower and Garden Show at the Merchandise Mart in Charlotte during the week were Mrs. Sam Crawley of Shelby, Mrs. S. A. Crisp Sr., Mrs. James Rollins, Mrs. J. D. Fambright, Mrs. Rube Rollins, Mrs. W. S. Hicks, Sr., Mrs. Alvah Bridges and Mrs. B. A. Harry.

Circle meetings were held this week in the homes of the following members of the First Baptist church. On Tuesday the Alma Hunt circle with Mrs. Bill Putnam, Wednesday afternoon, Bostic, Mrs. R. D. Moss, Thursday Mary Christian circle at the home of Mrs. Grady Ross, and Friday the Meldona Livington circle with Mrs. Edwin G. Herndon as hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hyler and

daughter of Lancaster were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Keeter and Mrs. C. W. Richardson.

A Womanless Wedding was presented by the Grover Lions club Friday night at the Elementary school. The program included a performance by the 8th grade Chorus, James Scruggs was the bride, Dick Hobson the groom, Paul Hambright, preacher. Others in the cast were Knox Neely, Paul Byers, Bob Moss, Roy Houser, Buford Hambright, Bill Little, Dennis McDaniel, W. C. Kiser, Fain Hambright, Bill Troublefield, Hood Watterson, Bob Hambright, Gene Turner, Earl V. Smith, Marvin Panther, Vardell Neal, Lowrance Harry, Bill Kirby, Charlie Harry, Ralph Goforth, Director Mrs. B. A. Harry Sr.

William (Bill) Roark entered Kings Mountain hospital Tuesday with pneumonia. Mrs. H. L. Beam spent Thursday in Clover, S. C. with Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Hambright. The circles of Shiloh Presby-

terian church met Tuesday as follows: morning Mrs. Glenn Rountree, afternoon Mrs. Frank Robinson, Earl, and night in the home of Mrs. Jackie Hambright. On Sunday March 14th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Randall the McSwain family celebrated the birthday of Mr. G. Pink McSwain who was 82 years old on March 9th. Present for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Hardin, Edgar and Donna Hardin of Blacksburg, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McSwain and Mrs. Brice Stephenson, all of York, David Brewer, Blacksburg, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Moss of Gaffney.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Drake, Jr. announce the birth of twins a boy and a girl on Feb. 24th at Rabot, Morocco. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pinkleton of Grover are grandparents of the twins.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCarter attended the funeral of Mr. Hubert Neal at Clover, S. C. Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean B. Westmoreland, teachers in Charlotte and son and daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bert Westmoreland, were elected by the members of the Charlotte Mecklenburg N.C.E.A. as delegates to the

National Education Association Convention to be held this summer in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Osroe Moore, who came to Grover on Friday for a visit with Mrs. Mattie Byers and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Byers, returned to their home in Fayetteville, on Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Moore were returning from a tour out West.

The Grover Community 4-H club met March 15th at the Grover Elementary school. Bill Herndon presented a program on Grades and Cuts of Beef. Pamphlets on U.S. Grades For Beef were given to the thirteen members present. Katherine Bleasoe was welcomed as a new member to the club.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hambright presented their daughter Ada Katherine, for the Sacrament of Christian Baptism on Feb. 28th at Shiloh Presbyterian church. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Frank Hambright of Grover and Mr. and Mrs. J. Ollie Harris of Kings Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Edmonson announce the birth of a daughter, Beverly Chantel, Friday, March 12th at the Kings Mountain hospital. Mrs. Jimmy Fortenberry, Lisa, Eric and Fon of Charlotte are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Bridges. Miss Annie Randall of Washington, D. C. spent several days with her father, E. D. Randall, Mr. and Mrs. Robert White, Mr. and Mrs. Keith White and other relatives in the county. Miss Randall returned to Washington on Saturday.

Mrs. H. L. Beam, Mrs. Harry Beam, Tony and Herbie and Barry Robinson attended a Y.W.A. White Bible Service at Sandy Plains Church in Gastonia honoring Miss Rachel Hoffman, bride-elect of April. She is the fiancée of Ray (Buddy) Robinson. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hicks Jr. and sons of Charlotte were the day guests of the R. B. Keeters, Mrs. C. W. Richardson and the W. S. Hicks, Sr.

The confirmation rites were administered to Buford Hambright Sunday March 14th 4 p.m. at the Church of the Redeemer, Shelby for Trinity Episcopal church, Kings Mountain. The Rev. M. George Henry, Bishop of the Western North Carolina Diocese in charge. Special friends of Mr. Hambright attending the services were: Mr. and Mrs. William D. Anderson of Gastonia, Mrs. Maude Braswell, Miss Dorothy Braswell, of Charlotte, Mr. Ashly Tyree of Charlotte, Mr. James Scruggs, Becky Scruggs, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Springer, Mrs. Rube Rollins, Mrs. B. A. Harry, Sr., Miss Elaine Grindstaff, Mrs. B. P. Hambright and Miss Mary Hambright of Grover.

**Honor Roll Students Listed**  
Thirty-six Kings Mountain high school students were listed on the first honor roll and 61 students were listed on the second honor roll for the fourth six weeks' grading period. A first honor roll distinction requires all A's and A on conduct and to make the second honor roll a student must compile more A's than B's with an A on conduct and no C grade. The complete list follows:

**FIRST HONOR ROLL**  
SENIORS: Nancy Lublanekzi, Linda Mullinax, Jan Williams, Betty Ann Yates, Vickie Conner. JUNIORS: Darlene Oliver, Faithel Toney, James Greene, Ben Grimes, Scott Cloninger, Neal Cooper, Wayne Miller, Jay Bridges, Philip Bunch, Rita Bell, Diana Bunkowski, Mary Jo Hord, Mary Ann Houser, Teresa Jolley, Jackie Dunn. SOPHOMORES: Chucky Gladden, Larry Patrick, Jane Morris, Steve Sprouse, Edith Hambright, Dennis Bridges, Larry Burton, Vickie White, David Wilson. FRESHMEN: Lonnie Duncan, Danny Dyke, Jeff Mauney, Donna Crawford, Brent Goforth, Carolyn Falls, June Frederick.

**SECOND HONOR ROLL**  
SENIORS: Pat Lewis, Susan Plonk, Bill Patterson, George Plonk, Ken Bunkowski, Margaret Bryant, Peggy Bumgardner, Kathy Ellison, Carolyn Jones, Neil McCarter, Jacob T. McGinnis, Spencer Moore, Ann McDaniel, Judy Morris, Sandra Wright, Linda Fitch, Jean Hamrick, Jewel Hayes, Carolyn Heavner, Buz Shuford, Linda Sherrer, Anne Trott, Lyn Cheshire, Helen Goforth, Richard Gold. JUNIORS: Win Goter, Mike Goforth, Faye Smith, Rita Cavenny, Chip Bridges, Vickie Jackson, Hollis Falls, Ann Patterson, Paulette Patterson, Lydia Poole, Charles Wright, Libby Alexander, Vickie Armstrong, Susan Lowery, Glynda Lynn. SOPHOMORES: Norma King, Tommy Finger, Barbara Plonk, Kenny Plonk, Roger Randall, Ann Owens, Jane Culp, Ann Sanders, Nadine Bell, Jo Bridges, Sheila Vess. FRESHMEN: Jane Turner, Mike Hoyle, Teresa Huffstickler, Forest Wayne Wright, Stan Yarbro, Sharon Gold, Pat Cheshire, Kathy Holland, Kathy Plonk, Dale Randle.

Last year every employed American worked two hours and 21 minutes of each eight-hour work day to pay taxes.

**Gardner-Webb Gives Final Plans For Convocation March 20-22**

**BOILING SPRINGS** — Plans for playing host to thousands of guests are now being finalized at Gardner-Webb College where a three day convocation is set March 20-22.

The ordering of 10,000 chairs, shuttling of buses to pick up motorists parked at some distances from the campus and preparations for sound equipment are just some of the preparations being made by the Convocation Committees.

Three nationally known speakers will highlight events which begin Saturday morning and last through Monday night.

Governor Dan K. Moore, Rep. Julia Butler Hansen of Washington State and D. William Bronsran, president of Southern Railway System will be featured speakers.

Others expected include 10th District Congressman Basil L. Whitener, Rev. Ben Fisher, executive secretary on the Council of Christian Education of the N. C. State Baptist Convention; Dr. W. Perry Crouch, general secretary - treasurer of the Baptist State Convention, a 500-voice choir and a host of outstanding businessmen and ministers of this area.

The public is invited free of charge and without any need of tickets to all events except a 6 p. m. dinner meeting Saturday and a 7 p. m. dinner meeting Monday. Limited seating facilities make these events "invitation only" affairs.

Events begin at 10 a. m., Saturday, March 20, when Rep. Julia Butler Hansen, one of a dozen women in the U.S. House, speaks on "Christian Education—America's Security." She will be introduced by Rep. Whitener. This

event, to be held in the Best Physical Education Building, will be concluded by presentation of Distinguished Alumni awards. Dr. E. Eugene Poston, president, will give the awards, assisted by Dean Robert B. Isner, Dr. J. Roy Robinson, pastor of the Hickory First Baptist church, will award citations. Rev. T. Max Linnens, pastor of the Boiling Springs Baptist church, will give the invocation, and Rev. Forrest Teague of Shelby will welcome guests. Presiding will be Ralph Gardner, Shelby attorney.

The President's Reception is slated for 3 p. m. Saturday in the O. Max Gardner Student Center Building and at 6 p. m. a Ministers and Church Representatives Dinner will be held.

Governor Dan Moore's talk on "Education is Everybody's Business" will conclude Saturday's events. Gov. Moore will be introduced at the Best Physical Education Building by R. Patrick Spangler, general chairman of the 60th Anniversary Phase of the Decade of Advance.

Woodrow W. Jones, former U. S. Congressman from North Carolina will preside. Rev. Elwood R. Orr of Forest City will give the invocation. Dr. Poston will welcome guests and also present Distinguished Citizens Awards, assisted by Thomas McCraw, vice-president of the college. William P. Humphreys, Jr., plant manager of Fiber Industries, Shelby, will read the citations, assisted by Mrs. Charles D. Foreney, Jr. of Laxndale Rev. Mitchell Faulkner, pastor of the Central Methodist church in Shelby, will give the benediction. Sunday exercises start at 3 p. m. Because of illness, Dr. Billy Graham, evangelist, will be un-

able to speak. Ten thousand chairs will be available on campus, county and state police will direct traffic and parking and the college will run a shuttle bus to pick up persons who park some distance from the campus. John R. Dover III will preside at this event. Rev. Woodrow W. Flynn, pastor of Shelby's Calvary Baptist church will introduce the speaker and Dr. Forrest Teague will give the benediction. Invocation will be by Rev. Edgar H. Nease, pastor of the First Methodist church of Rutherfordton and congregational singing will be led by Horace Easom. Music at all events is under the direction of Jerry Hill, head of the college's Fine Arts Department. Dr. Crouch will read scripture and lead in prayer.

The finale is at 7 p. m. Monday when D. W. Bronsran speaks to a gathering of outstanding business and industrial men and women. Lloyd C. Bost, chairman of the college board of trustees, will preside. Mr. McCraw will welcome guests. G. J. (Jack) Vincent will introduce the head table. Rev. of the Shelby Presbyterian church will give the invocation and IVY Cowan, president of Stonecutter Mills Corp. of Spindale, will have comments on the campaign and the benediction will be given by Rev. Ernest Smith, pastor of Dover Memorial Baptist church.

**Firemen Report**

**Six Grass Fires**  
Kings Mountain firemen went to the scenes of six grass fires Monday and Tuesday. Firemen extinguished three grass fires on Monday, one on Dilling Street, one on First Street, and one at the residence of W. L. Thornburg on the Shelby Road. Tuesday's fires included one on Deal Street and two on McGinnis Street. No damages were reported.

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