

### DISTAFF DEEDS

News items this week from Beaufort, Richmond, Wake, Person, Clay and Rutherford counties.

#### REMODELING BOOM

Homemakers in Beaufort County are on the go as far as remodeling their homes are concerned. Mrs. Virginia Credle, associate home economics agent, says Mrs. Ann Rouse of Belhaven has done a wonderful job remodeling her kitchen, using the new glass panel ceiling lighting and installing new cabinets and appliances.

Mrs. Credle adds that Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Osborne have remodeled Mr. Osborne's old home. "It has all the modern conveniences but maintains the charm and dignity of an old home," Mrs. Credle reports.

#### ELECTRIC WORKSHOP

The 4-H girls and boys enrolled in the electric project will be eligible to attend electric workshops in Richmond County, reports Mrs. Rebecca Bracey, assistant home economics agent.

In addition to learning about the fundamentals of electricity and the care and repairing of electrical equipment, they will sit a generating station. They

### El Bethel Sets Services

Revival services will begin Sunday and continue through March 26 at El Bethel Methodist church with services each evening at 7 p.m.

Rev. Harold Reeves, pastor of El Bethel Methodist church, will lead the series of services.

#### LIVING COSTS STUDIED

Homemakers in Person County have been studying the question—what does it cost my family to live? Miss Mary Margaret Smith, home economics agent, says the members were given reasons why they should make a spending and savings plan.

Miss Smith said the club members were interested in ways of working with low income families on financial planning.

#### BUILDING PLANS

How is this for putting your husband to work after retirement? Mrs. Fred Davis is planning to have her kitchen remodeled and Mr. Davis will do the work.

Mrs. Ruby Corpening, home economics agent, says the Clay County couple are interested in building a split-level snack bar in their new kitchen.

### Colored News

The men and the pastor, Rev. R. L. Kilgo, of Shady Grove Baptist church will sponsor a program Sunday night at 7:30. Rev. S. I. Clement will be guest speaker and the public is invited to attend.

The Women's Society of Christian Service of St. Paul Methodist church will meet Sunday afternoon at 4 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Alexander Roberts, III N. Watterson street.

Funeral rites for Virginia Ellis, 24, were held Wednesday at 3 p.m. from St. Paul Methodist church, interment following in Kelly's Chapel cemetery. Miss Ellis died Friday at Kings Mountain hospital.

Surviving are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Ellis; one son, Glenn; two daughters; two brothers, O. V. Ellis, Jr. and Albert Ellis of Kings Mountain; and three sisters, Mrs. Barbara Jean McDaniel of New York, Mrs. Linda Bell of New Haven, Conn., and Miss Becky Jane Ellis of the home. She was a member of St. Paul Methodist church and the Harris Chapel Friendly Aid Society.

#### HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION

Home Demonstration Club members in Rutherford County are getting a look at their county from the standpoint of its educational situation. According to Miss Eugenia Ware, home economics agent, the members are studying county population, housing conditions, income of various families, the working woman, types of jobs available, and reasons for dropouts in the county. "Club members hope to be able to encourage children to complete their high school education," adds Miss Ware.

### Wilson To Speak For Dr. Graham

BOILING SPRINGS — Dr. T. W. Wilson, an associate evangelist with Dr. Billy Graham, will fill a speaking engagement for the ailing Dr. Graham at Gardner-Webb College, March 21.

Dr. Graham, scheduled to speak on the college campus at 3 p.m. Sunday, March 21, is unable to fill the engagement due to illness. The planned talk was one of several planned during the convocation March 20-22. Others who will be speaking are U. S. Representative Julia Butler Hansen of the State of Washington, Governor of North Carolina, Dan Moore and D. W. Brozman, president of Southern Railway System.

Dr. Wilson, a boyhood friend of Dr. Graham, is a successful evangelist who has preached in all the major cities of the world. He is president of the Blue Ridge Broadcasting Association and a resident of Montreat, N. C.

"Efforts are being made," states Thomas McGraw, vice-president of the college, "to obtain Cliff Barrows for the March 21 program.

### Local Students In Men's "A" Club

Boone — This year there are three Cleveland County students at Appalachian State Teachers College who are active in the Men's "A" Club, according to Coach Carl Messere, sponsor.

Coach Messere said that the Men's "A" Club endeavors to contribute to the overall athletic and academic spirit of the campus and to enjoy social associations with other athletes.

The club is made up of undergraduate lettermen of eight varsity sports including football, basketball, baseball, wrestling, tennis, swimming, soccer, and golf.

The Cleveland County students are: Tony Goins, Jim Leigh, and Sam Houston of Kings Mountain.

#### Green Assigned To First Division

—Army Specialist Four Wallace G. Green, son of Mrs. Willie M. Green, 314 S. Pineback, Bessemer City, N. C., was assigned Feb. 22 to the 1st Armored Division at Fort Hood, Tex.

Specialist Green, a member of Company B, 1st Battalion in the division's 46th Infantry, entered the Army in August 1963. He completed basic training at Fort Dix, N. J.

The 19-year-old soldier, son of Dave Green, 708 N. York St., Gastonia, is a 1963 graduate of Lincoln high school, Bessemer City.

### Jaycees Nominate New Officers

Kings Mountain Jaycees nominated officers for 1965-66 at Tuesday night's regular meeting held at the Woman's club.

They include: For president: Jacob Dixon; first vice - president Herman Greene; second vice - president Gerald Thomasson; secretary, Shuford Peeler; treasurer Bill Hawkins; state director Hugh Lancaster; Jaybird David Putnam; and directors Bill Carrigan and Bill Grissom.

Charles Bridges and Billy Jo Spies were inducted as new members.

Program for the meeting was on the topic, "Parliamentary Procedure" and was led by Hugh Lancaster, club president.

Professional rattlesnake hunters operate during the winter months by locating snake holes in the ground. A rubber tube is inserted and if it causes the rattler to sound off, gasoline is then poured through the tube, causing fumes to circulate where snakes are hibernating. The snake emerges to the surface, where the hunter has a pole with a loop at the end.

### Hunter To Lead Revival Series

Rev. A. G. Hunter, pastor of Mt. Zion Baptist church of Great Falls, S. C., will be evangelist for revival services beginning Sunday at Oak View Baptist church on York road.

Services will be held each evening at 7 p.m. through March 27th.

Song services will be under direction of John H. Caldwell.

The interested community is invited to attend.

### Garden Time

Trees are of concern, or should be, to every responsible citizen. Many species supply us with delicious foods filled with vitamins so necessary in our daily diet.

Others supply coconut oil, turpentine, lacquers, resins, coffee, tea, perfumes, spices, drugs, paper, clothing and many other useful products. All of these contribute to our economy and well being.

What would our landscapes look like without fitting trees into an orderly plan? Could we get along without oaks, maples, dogwoods, magnolias, pines, crape-myrtles, hemlocks and many others? Life would be rather dull and uninteresting without them, wouldn't it?

I must tip my hat to the pulp and paper industry for the excellent management given to their forest areas which supply the raw products for the industry. Here we find not only protection from fires but also planned tree removal and constant renewal by reseedling or the planting of seedlings.

I cannot say as much for the lumber industry in general. It seems that too much promiscuous cutting is still done and not enough removal of laps which create fire hazards.

What is being done in your community about your tree population? In our community we are making a "nose-count" of trees and at the same time notes are being made on condition to determine those that should be removed and replaced. This is a good program and a step forward.

Next week the mayor has called a city-wide meeting to try and prevent the removal of two giant oaks to make room for a motel and contiguous parking. These are beautiful trees, and I would judge, have been standing over 150 years. Four houses have already been removed; all substantial homes.

What would you do about this? Have an injunction issued? Force the owner to revise his blue prints? Cut the trees down?

Perhaps we waited too long to conduct our tree count and avoid situations like this one. We should all become more tree conscious regardless of where we live.

two and one-half ton truck. The 21-year-old soldier was graduated from Blacksburg high school in 1961 and attended Limestone College. Before going on active duty he was employed by Magnolia Finishing Plant, Blacksburg.

Funeral rites for Mrs. Alice Gantt Bumgardner, 74, widow of Charlie Bumgardner, will be held Thursday at 4 p.m. from Cherokee Avenue Baptist church.

Rev. George B. Leigh and Rev. Claude Willis will officiate at the final rites and interment will be in Mountain Rest cemetery.

Mrs. Bumgardner was the daughter of the late John and Becky Jackson Gantt. Her husband died in 1956.

Surviving are three sons, Clyde L. Haskel L. and J. P. Bumgardner, all of Kings Mountain; two daughters, Mrs. Willie Gantt of Gastonia and Mrs. Lois Hamilton of Mount Holly; a brother, Otto Gantt of Gastonia; four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral rites for Miss Alinda Blanton, 46, were held Sunday from Grassy Pond Baptist church at Gaffney, S.C., interment following in the church cemetery.

Miss Blanton died Friday at 8:30 p.m. in the Kings Mountain hospital after a short illness.

She was born in Cherokee County, S.C. and was a member of Grassy Pond Baptist church.

Survivors include one brother, Barth Blanton of Mooresville; one sister, Mrs. Horace Scruggs of Kings Mountain; and two half-sisters, Mrs. Myrtle Dixon and Mrs. Tula Dobbins, both of Gaffney, S.C.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to express our heart felt appreciation to our many friends for their many expressions of sympathy at the death of our beloved wife and daughter.

The family of Karen Horn Seism

Rippy Finishes Driver Course FORT JACKSON, S. C. (AHT-NC) — Army Pvt. Charles A. Rippy, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Rippy, Route 1, Box 404, Grover, N. C., completed a light vehicle driver course under the Reserve Enlistment Program at Fort Jackson, S. C., March 11.

During the course Rippy received instruction in the operation and maintenance of military vehicles up to and including the

Because so many new chemical fibers have appeared on the market in the past few years, most people think they are of recent origin. Not so. The first one actually appeared in 1884 when a French scientist invented rayon, a fiber he called "artificial silk." This enjoyed limited success abroad and crossed the Atlantic in 1910. By 1924, the year that acetate made its debut as the second man-made fiber, rayon had become a great success and launched a whole new trend away from efforts to duplicate silk and toward the development of completely original fibers.

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