

### Illness Is Fatal To Mr. Keeter, 61

Graveside services were held Tuesday afternoon at Edgewood Cemetery in Windsor for Walter Cliff Keeter, 61, 32 Westover Heights.

Rev. R. N. Carroll officiated.

Mr. Keeter, a Bertie County native, died at 8:30 A. M. Sunday in Portsmouth Naval Hospital following an extended illness. He was retired from the U. S. Army.

He was born July 5, 1908, son of the late Joseph M. and Mary Margaret Wilson Keeter. He was married to Mrs. Anne Blanche Outlaw Keeter, who survives.

Also surviving are two sons: Wayne Keeter of Raleigh and Joe Scott Keeter of Edenton; one daughter, Mrs. Shirley Zaladek of Virginia Beach, Va.; two brothers: Charlie Keeter of Hampton, Va., and James Keeter of Newport News, Va.; two sisters: Mrs. Sue Bailey of Virginia Beach, Va., and Miss Jo Keeter of Silver Springs, Md., and six grandchildren.

He was a member of Edenton Baptist Church and Unanimity Lodge No. 7, A. F. & A. M.

Willford Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Henry—Well, I was well off. In fact, I didn't realize myself how well off I really was.

### THE RISEN CHRIST

By DALTON WARD

On that great resurrection morning  
When our Savior face I view,  
As He gathers His children together,  
Only those who have lived true.

But to those who are neglectful  
By trying to push His Word aside;  
They are traveling down a dark alley,  
And with Christ they will never abide.

He arose from the grave triumphant  
And the angels they stood by;  
Guarding the tomb in which He left,  
As He ascended up to Heaven on high.

He ascended up to the Father,  
Where He will be until He calls for His own;  
So may I live and be always ready  
To gather with Him around the great white throne.

It is up to us to make the right preparation  
As He has given to us our free will choice,  
Trying to help us to see the need of a Savior  
By heeding to His gentle small voice.

So may I pray for a mighty revival  
To come in my heart and to our church, too;  
Leading lost souls to the cross of redemption,  
As He died also for even you.

To live a Christian life is not all a bed of roses,  
But there are some disappointments, too;  
Also problems that man cannot be solved,  
Without having the Savior living in you.

My desire is to study His word more careful,  
And apply to my heart and soul;  
To try to find out more about my crucified Savior,  
For it is very important that we enter the right fold.

And may I always praise and adore  
The One who has shown us the way;  
By being a more fruitful Christian,  
And walking with Him day by day.

So may I at this Easter season  
To not crucify my Christ anew;  
By trampling His blood underfoot,  
For He is my Savior and Redeemer, too.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL Time Is Needed To Get Tax Back LESSON

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afford to be "wishy-washy" about a subject of such depth and meaning.

God the Father deplored the state of sin into which mankind had fallen. He did something about it—He gave Christ to the world, to absolve the sins of that world in His death.

Christ, the Saviour, cared about mankind, and He did something about that, too; He gave His life, that we should be absolved from sin, and experience everlasting life. So what is our commitment? Surely it is unmistakable!

(These comments are based on outlines of the International Sunday School Lessons, copyrighted by the International Council of Religious Education, and used by permission).

GREENSBORO—It usually takes five or six weeks to issue a refund if a tax return is properly made out and filed early, J. E. Wall, district director of Internal Revenue for North Carolina, said today.

Taxpayers who do not receive their refunds within this period should wait to write IRS at least 10 weeks after filing. Writing earlier may only delay processing, he said.

To avoid refund delays, Wall said, taxpayers should check their return for accuracy and completeness. They should check to make sure all W-2 forms are attached, the name and address and social security number on copyright by the Internal Revenue Service and the return is signed.

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### Gray Taylor Attends Bank Institute

L. Gary Taylor, branch manager of the Elizabeth City branch office of the Federal Land Bank Association of Ahoskie, returned recently from Columbia, S. C., where he attended an advanced management development institute, according to A. L. Wiggins, manager of the association.

The institute was conducted to keep land bank association personnel abreast of the latest developments and techniques in modern man-

agement," Wiggins said. The institute was conducted by the Federal Land Bank of Columbia, S. C., in cooperation with Gus W. Campbell Associates of New York, a management consulting firm.

The Federal Land Bank of Columbia makes long-term agricultural loans through farmer-owned Federal Land Bank associations serving every county in the two Carolinas, Georgia and Florida. The bank has loans out-

standing to over 41,000 farmers, growers and ranchers in the amount of over \$647 million through the 46 Land Bank associations in the four-state district.

The Federal Land Bank Association of Ahoskie serves the long-term credit needs of farmers, growers and ranchers in Northampton, Bertie, Hertford and Gates counties. The Elizabeth City branch serves Chowan, Perquimans, Currituck and Camden counties.

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### Warning Issued On Tank Work

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"The Health Department has received complaints from rural residents of 'fly-by-night' operators tricking them into exorbitant prices for cleaning household sewage disposal facilities. In practically all cases the complaints concern itinerants who quickly move on to another locality before the word spreads about their method of doing business," he says.

"Quite frequently cleaning may not be necessary. With normal usage by the family, an adequate tank properly installed should not require attention for from seven to 10 years. Even when a tank is opened, it shows to be full of liquids, this is no indication the tank must be pumped—it is the amount of solids that determines when a tank should be cleaned.

"The District Health Department issues permits to cleaning contractors, but the Health Department cannot control the prices charged for this service. A reasonable price is from five to seven cents per gallon. Home

owners certainly should inquire as to the price before entering into any contract.

"Some operators advise the home owners that they are sent there by the local Health Department. The local department has no part in the solicitation of business. It may be wise for the home owner to request to see their permit and also secure the truck number."

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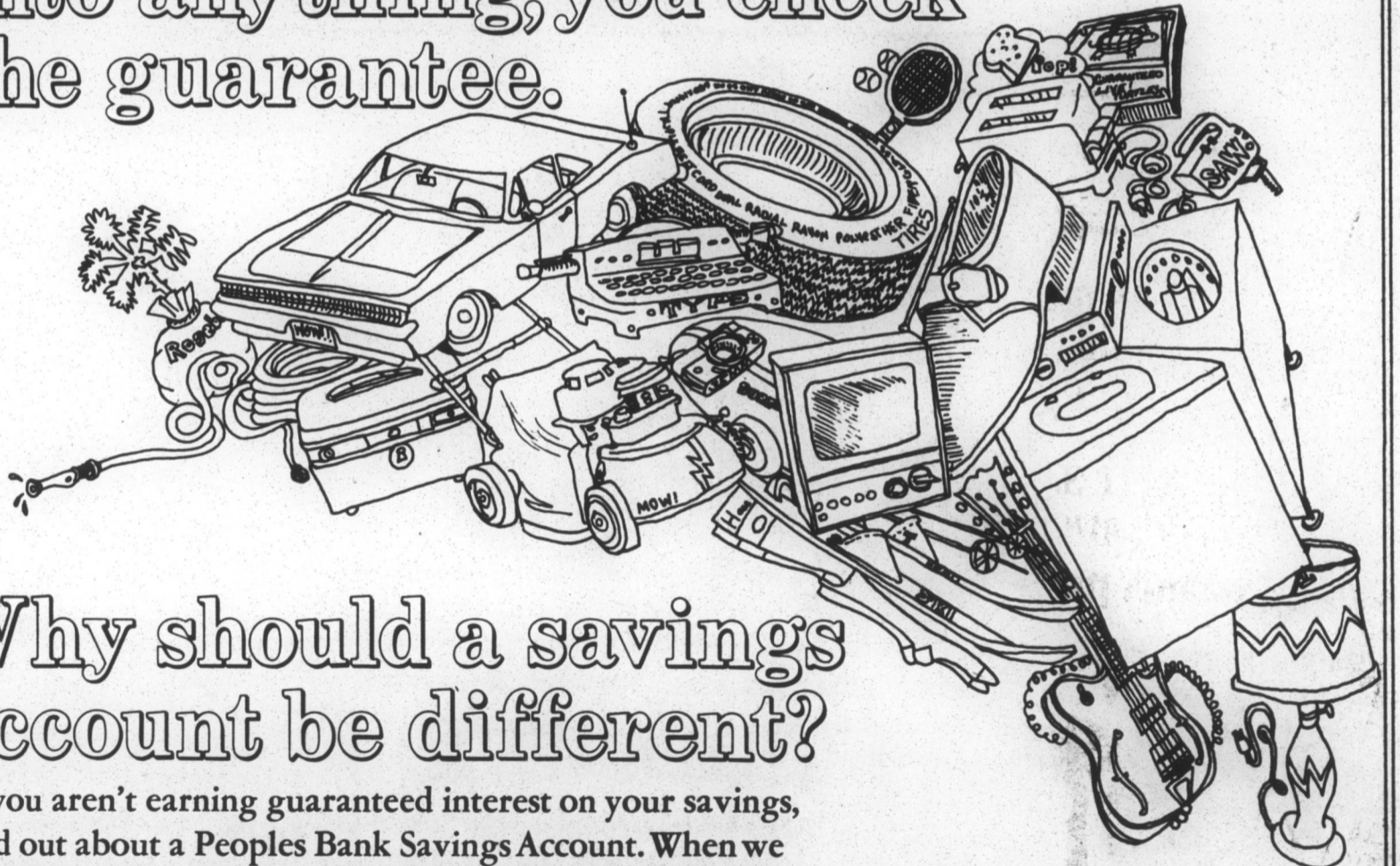


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