

OUR GOOD MOTHERS

By **NORA OBB SPENCER**
In sickness and sorrow there is none other
Can soothe and calm as does our mother.
The stroke of her gentle hand on our brow
Is a touch like a benediction in grief's hour.
Those who have gone on to the presence of the King.
Are receiving showers of blessing as the angels sing.
While here we review many pictures on memories wall
The most cherished is our mother, dearest of all.
She is the queen of the home, where love and faith reign,
Where laughter and happiness join in life's game.
When illness stalks into the home with restless pain
Our mother's radiant trust soothes like gentle rain.
To mothers over there or who are here, we reverently say:
Our gratitude to God, for you, on Mother's Day!

Orr Baby Dies After Illness

Ronnie Orr, 11-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dana Orr of Robbinsville, died at 2:30 p. m. Monday, April 30 in an Andrews hospital after an illness of two days.
Surviving, in addition to the parents, are a twin brother, Donnie; another brother, Kenneth; and three sisters, Freida, Faye, and Catherine of the home.
Funeral services were held in Lone Oak Baptist Church at 10 a. m. Wednesday, with the Rev. John Odum officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.
Townson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Bishop, 73, Dies Last Week

Mrs. Harriet Bishop, 73, of Murphy, died at 6 a. m. Thursday, May 3 in a local hospital after a brief illness.
Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Frank Ledford of Murphy; two sons, Greenville Bishop of Rockford, Tenn., and Clifford of Murphy; a brother, Jace Bishop of Murphy; three half-sisters, Mrs. Betty Loudermilk and Mrs. Hattie Bell Hughes of Murphy, and Mrs. Lenna Gream of Anniston, Ala., 15 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.
Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Friday in the Chapel of Townson Funeral Home.
The Rev. A. C. Pounds, pastor of the Free Methodist officiated and burial was in the Old Methodist Cemetery.

John Parris To Speak At Konnaheeta Club

John Parris of Sylva, columnist for The Asheville Citizen, and author of the best selling book, "Roaming the Mountains" will be the guest speaker at the May meeting of the Konnaheeta club Thursday May 17 at the Nantahala Inn at 6:45 p. m.
Hostesses are: Mrs. A. E. Chandler, Jr., Mrs. Verna Tarkington, Mrs. Margaret Ann Watry, Mrs. Woodrow Cox, Mrs. W. W. Ashe and Mrs. Jack Ledford.
The program is under the direction of the Community Affairs department.

Lynn Gault Has Industry Leader

Lynn Gault of Brasstown gave a talk on Western N. C. Wild flowers at the meeting of the Valley River Garden Club Thursday at the home of Mrs. C. O. Van Gorder in Valleytown with Mrs. F. E. Blalock as associate hostess.
Mr. Gault, who was assisted by Mrs. Gault, illustrated his talk with color slides of wild flowers and plant life of the mountains in this area. He discussed requirements and methods of naturalizing the plants to home gardens and gave interesting stories, legends and botanical jokes pertaining to various wild flowers.
Mrs. F. E. Blalock was in charge of the program and introduced the speaker.
During the business session Miss Frances Cover, president, distributed booklets on flower arrangement and called attention to the new shrubbery recently planted on the grounds of the city hall with Mrs. Jack Herbert as chairman. Mrs. Zeb Conley announced the sale of bulb sat Caldwell's Store.
A social hour followed the meeting and Mrs. S. E. Cover presided at the coffee service. The refreshments table was centered with an arrangement of red tulips in a silver bowl. Arrangements of spring garden flowers were attractively displayed in the rooms.
Mrs. R. A. Dewar brought a pot of orchids in full bloom to the meeting from her collection of plants which she grows as a hobby.
Installation of officers will take place at the May meeting.

Miss Collett Is Bride Of Martin

Miss Darlene Eunice Collett, daughter of Mrs. Grover Collett and the late Mr. Collett of Andrews, became the bride of Billy Ray Martin, son of Mrs. Garland Martin, and the late Mr. Martin of Andrews, on Saturday, April 28 in Hiwassee, Ga.
The ceremony was performed by the Rev. R. G. Hartman, at the Baptist parsonage. The couple will reside in Andrews.
The bride was honored on Saturday evening with a linen shower by Mrs. Harve Younce at the Shell Dining Room. Approximately 30 guests attended.
After games and contests the bride opened the large number of gifts. Refreshments were served.
Mrs. Sam Best and daughter Betty Sue honored Mrs. Martin on Thursday evening with a miscellaneous shower at her home, with forty guests present.

Jim Wood Andrews NCEA Head

Jim Wood was elected president of the Andrews Unit of the NCEA at the final meeting of the year for the group Friday, April 27 at the John C. Campbell Folk School.
Other officers elected are Mrs. Bruce Lunsford, vice president; and Mrs. Harlan Enloe, secretary-treasurer.
Some 40 members attended the meeting at which Percy B. Ferebee was guest speaker.
Following the program and business, the group participated in the folk school family night activity.

Methodist WSCS Has Andrews Meet

A Pledge Service featured the meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service held at the Methodist parsonage Wednesday afternoon in Andrews.
Mrs. Roy Williams, president, presided. Mrs. Ray Matheson was in charge of the program and was assisted in presenting the theme, "Take my Life and let it be", by Mrs. Cleve Almond, Mrs. W. T. Holland and Mrs. Williams.
Following the program the 15 members present were invited to see the recent renovations, including new furniture, carpets, and sanding the floors. Serving on the parsonage committee are: Mrs. Zeb Conley, Mrs. Wade Reece, Mrs. David Swan, Mrs. F. E. Blalock, Mrs. Ray Matheson and Mrs. Williams.
During the social hour the hostess served sandwiches, cake and coffee.

Mt. Zion Mother's Day Service Planned

A Mother's Day Program will be held at Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Rt. 1, Marble Sunday, May 13 with morning and afternoon services.
Gospel singing will be featured and dinner will be served at 12:30. The public is invited to attend.

NOTICE
This is to serve notice that I am Ethel Farmer, commencing the 2nd of April, 1956. This 26th day of April, 1956. any debts incurred by my wife, Robert Farmer 41-2tp



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Mrs. Hunsucker Has Marble Meet

The Woman's Missionary Society of Marble Baptist Church met Wednesday, May 2, at the home of Mrs. Lonnie Hunsucker.
Mrs. Vivian Barnett was in charge of the program with the topic "Onward Christian Soldiers."
Mrs. Victor West gave the devotional. Others on the program were Mrs. Lena Williams, Mrs. Robert Hannah, Mrs. Grady Farmer, Mrs. Alma Raxter, Mrs. J. V. Hall, Mrs. Olson Hall, Mrs. Hunsucker and Mrs. Glade West.
Mrs. Glade West, president presided during the business session.
The hostess served refreshments during the social hour.
The June meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Roger Williams.

Mrs. Crain, 78, Dies Here Sunday

Mrs. Victoria Alice Crain, 78, of Marble died in a Murphy hospital at 6 a. m. Sunday, May 6, following an illness of 11 days.
Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Monday in Marble Springs Baptist Church of which she was a member.
The Rev. Algia West and the Rev. A. B. Lovell officiated, and burial was in Moss Cemetery.
She was a native of Monroe County, Tenn. She moved to Cherokee County in 1900, and to Marble in 1916.
Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Leona Rose, Miss Leola Crain and Mrs. Leora Payne, all of Marble; two step-sons, Charlie Crain of Murphy, and Robert Crain of Marble; one brother, Walter Lenderman of Medford, Ore. and eight grandchildren.
Ivle Funeral Home was in charge.

Rosalie Hyde Has Birthday Party
Mrs. C. E. Hyde honored her daughter, Rosalie with a party last Tuesday on her ninth birthday anniversary.
The home was decorated with spring flowers, and a pink and green motif was used in both decorations and refreshments.
The birthday cake centering the table was decorated in pink and green and topped with nine candles, and served with pink punch and nuts.
Bingo was played by the guests, and each one received a prize.
The guest list included Missie Wilson, Becky Jo Ray, Barbara Colee, Cheryl Cornwell, Mary Arden Davis, Kenny Jane Davis, Janet Elliott, Totty Headrick, Shellah Gossett, Sheila Sneed, Shellah Fay Stiles, Susayne Coward, Janie Anderson, Peggy Hyde, Adinah Brown, Linda Nelson, Virginia Guffey, Jane Whitley, Laurie Hardin, Sara Alice Jeffries and the honoree, who received many gifts.

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