

## CURB REPORTER

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from interested citizens. It will take over \$100 to equip the players with uniforms and basketball shoes. Mrs. M. B. Flynn is receiving donations for this purpose . . . Real estate in Tryon has been moving fast within the past few weeks. The great need now is something with which to build a house. E. Perry Manville recently sold the Deborah Gray house on Melrose Circle to Mr. and Mrs. Alan Calhoun, and he leased the Edsall house in Gillette Woods to Mrs. W. N. Bullard of Lenox, Massachusetts. . . .

## REV. GEO. A. BRANSCOM

The Rev. George A. Branscom, 90, died at his home in Melvin Hill Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock after an extended illness.

He was born in Pennsylvania and came to Polk County at the age of 17.

A farmer and founder of the Church of the Brethren in Melvin Hill, he served the church as pastor for 32 years.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Cora Stacy Branscom, and a number of nephews and nieces.

Funeral services Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. W. A. Reed, assisted by the Rev. Willie Gilbert of Spindale.

Pallbearers Arthur Johnson, Charles McNeese, George Stacy, Clarence Johnson, John Johnson and D. L. Head.

"Tryon Again Goes Over the Top", reports Mrs. Walter Howell, chairman of the United Church Committee for the collection of warm clothing for people in the war stricken areas. She says the response was generous. Blankets, fur-trimmed coats and other warm garments filled three large boxes donated for the purpose by the Southern Mercerizing Company.

Extra copies of *The Bulletin* on sale at the office for 5c per copy.

Mrs. P. D. Karsten, Jr., is here for a week to open her home on Lake Lanier. She will return to New York where she will be met by her husband, Lieut. Karsten, who is enroute from a separation center after service with the Navy in the Pacific. Both expect to spend the Christmas holidays at their home in Tryon.

Mr. and Mrs. Don R. Gillan and sons, Loren and Jay, of Tremont, Ill., are visiting Mrs. Gillan's sister, Mrs. John L. Brown, and family at Hidden Valley.

FOUND: A ladies umbrella, left at Gallimore's Firestone Store. Owner may have it by identifying and paying for this ad.—Adv. 6 7

Two used Boys' Bicycles for Sale. Fair condition. Apply at Cowan's Grocery, Phone 68, Tryon.—Adv. 6, 10.

FOR RENT: Furnished house 5 minutes walk to center. Available now until August 1st. Living room with piano, dining room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms, study and bath. Kitchen all electric. E. Perry Manville, Real Estate & Insurance.—Adv.

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