

**Little River Community News**

**Last Rites Held Sunday For Pelza Hamilton, Bible School To Begin**

(Omitted Last Week)

**Memorial Service Held At Church, American Legion Head Speaks**

By MRS. JOHN T. NEAL  
LITTLE RIVER — Funeral services for Pelza Hamilton were conducted Sunday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock at the Crab Creek Baptist church. Mr. Hamilton, a native of the Crab Creek section had suffered ill health for some time when he developed pneumonia and was rushed to the Pardee Memorial hospital in Hendersonville. He passed away May 29th, shortly after entering the hospital.

Mr. Hamilton was 71 years of age and a son of the late Joseph and Jane Hamilton. He left three sisters and one brother: Mrs. Alfred McCall, Miss Sofia Hamilton, Mrs. Becky Wright and Mr. Devereux Hamilton. Our sympathy to his relatives and loved ones.

**Bible School Parade**

Plans are being made for the registration of the Little River little folks Saturday afternoon at 3:00 for the Daily Vacation Bible school to start Monday, June 7th at the Little River Baptist church. The faculty is requested to meet at 2 o'clock and after the registration a parade will be conducted throughout the valley. All children are invited to come Saturday and take part in the parade. All adults are invited to bring a car and use it in the parade to carry the children. Mrs. Glanna Shipman is principal of the school.

**WMU Auxiliaries To Meet**

Monday night at 8 o'clock will be the date for the meeting of the WMS, the GAs, the RAs, the YWAs and the Sunbeams of the Little River Baptist church. This is family night in missions. All organizations will meet separately for their programs and followed by a joint meeting with an inspirational devotional climax. The Elizabeth McCrary circle will give the program to the WMS. Mrs. Lewis McGee is president of the Little River WMU.

**Adult Choir To Sing**

The adult choir will conduct the music at all services in the Little River Baptist church Sunday, led by Mrs. Elmer Kilstrom. If you like to sing for the Lord, come and join this group of singers every Wednesday night at seven for rehearsal.

**Memorial Day Observed**

The Little River Baptist church observed Memorial Day, May 30th, at the morning worship service. Twenty-three young men of the Little River community are serving in the armed forces at this time. Thirty-eight have served since the beginning of the Korean war. Families of most of these young men were present to stand for them as the honor roll was read by the pastor. Four members of the American Legion were present and presented their newly elected post commander, Weldon Misenheimer, who gave an inspirational address. Relatives of the forefathers buried in the nearby cemetery were asked to stand in memory of the brave pioneers who settled and developed the valley and church.

**Home Demonstration Met**

The Little River HD club met with Mrs. Martin Shipman Wednesday with a large group of ladies present. The club voted to sponsor a loan locker for sickness in the community. Miss Anne Benson

Priest brought an interesting program on laundering. A report was made by Miss Sallie Merrill on coffee. The club agreed to help with the bake sale to take place in Brevard on Saturday. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

**Measles Subsiding**

The measles epidemic in the Little River community, wherein more than 25 children have had the disease, is about over. Only two or three cases remain and it is hoped that everyone will be well for the Bible school starting Monday.

**Boys Have Field Day**

The RA boys will leave Saturday morning at 7:30 for Candler, where they will have a field day meeting. This meeting is for all Royal Ambassadors in this county and the adjoining counties. Lewis McGee is RA director for Transylvania association and is encouraging all boys in this area to attend this rally.

**Faculty To Meet**

The Bible school faculty of the Little River Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Otis Merrill at 10 a. m. Friday morning, each lady bringing a covered dish. The Bible school guide will be studied at this time. The meeting will last most of the day. All faculty members are urged to come.

**Personal Items**

Mrs. W. H. McCall and Mrs. Eula Elliott, of Hendersonville, spent Thursday with Mrs. Alfred McCall who has been ill recently.

Mrs. Virgil McCrary, Mrs. Mary Baker, Miss JoAnn Shipman and Miss Arlene Mull spent the week end at Myrtle Beach.

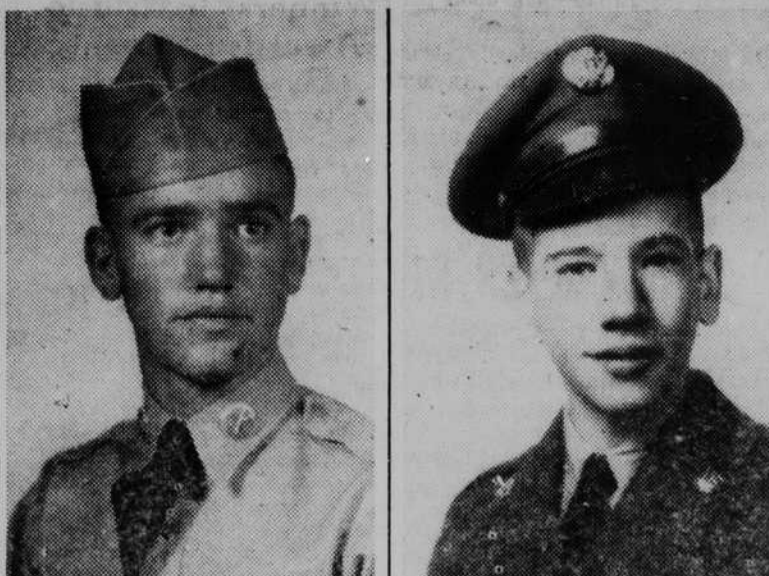
Mr. and Mrs. Mike McGee and son were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McGee last week and attended the graduation of Miss Joan McGee.

Sherman Patterson was a caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe McCall Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Emory and son, and Miss Hazel Merrill attended the dedication of the new Baptist church at Mars Hill May 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Edwards and Roy Edwards, of Cocoa, Fla., and Miss Dorothy Edwards, of Jackson county were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Edwards. Now there is a family to

**Brothers Now Serve In Armed Forces**



The two Kitchen brothers, pictured above, are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Kitchen, of Brevard. At left is PVT. LOREN J. KITCHEN, JR., who is now stationed at Fort Benning, Ga. He recently spent a leave at home. PFC. GENE A. KITCHEN, right, has been stationed in Germany since last October and reports that he has enjoyed seeing a part of Europe.

be proud of, Johnnie and two other sons in the armed forces, Roy is in the secret service and Dorothy is a missionary in the mountains of Western North Carolina.

Mrs. Docia Bridges, of Atlanta; Mrs. Elizabeth Hackney and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lyons, of Cedar-town, Ga.; Mrs. Samantha Lee, of Greenville; Mrs. Della Blythe, of Brevard, and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Blythe, of Hendersonville, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Merrimon Shuford.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Garrett, of Akron, Ohio, who are the proud parents of a baby daughter, Patricia Lynn, born May 19th. Mrs. Garrett is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Barton.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McCall and children, Tommy and Barbara, left this week for Norfolk, Va., where Mr. McCall is stationed. Barbara is scheduled to have her tonsils out while in Virginia. Best of luck, Barbara.

Rev. and Mrs. Joe King and children, Janet and Joel, of Spartanburg, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howell Medford.

The Loyal Workers Sunday school class taught by Howell Medford, held its regular monthly meeting Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McCrary. Our hats off to Mr. and Mrs. Ov-

erton Mull as they remodel their home. They are doing the work themselves and that is the thing we are proud of.

We are sorry to announce the following people on our sick list: Mrs. Jim Merrill, Mrs. W. L. Couch, Mrs. Alfred McCall, Mr. Talve Merrill, Jane Shuford, Carolyn White-ner, Floyd McCall and the little Patterson girl.

**NOTICE**

State of North Carolina, County of Transylvania

The undersigned, having qualified as Administratrix C. T. A. of the estate of Eric M. Rawls, deceased, late of Transylvania, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 27th day of May, 1955, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This the 26th day of May, 1954.  
ELIZA W. RAWLS,  
Administratrix, C. T. A.,  
Estate of Eric M. Rawls.  
c/o Ramsey & Hill, Attor-  
neys, Brevard, North Caro-  
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**New Officers Of Rotary Are Installed**

**Cooper Succeeds Hawkins As President. Charter Members Recognized**

Rev. David F. Cooper, Lutheran minister here, was installed as president of the Brevard Rotary club at the annual ladies' night meeting at beautiful Camp Deer-woode recently. He succeeds Dan Hawkins, who was in charge of the installation ceremony.

Other new officers are Rev. Robert Stamey, vice president; Al Perkins, treasurer; and Carroll Merrell, secretary. Serving on the board of directors with the officers will be the past president and Thomas R. Eller and Dr. James Sanders. Prior to the installation, Mr.

Hawkins recognized charter members present, who organized the club in 1947. They were J. C. Gaither, John Gray, Ralph J. Duckworth, Rowell Bosse, Gordon Sprott and John Anderson, the first president.

The new president asked for continued support and cooperation, and he lauded the work of the outgoing officials.

Favors were distributed to the Rotary Annes, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sprott were hosts to the group. Bingo was played following the brief meeting.

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