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2,086 Motor MRS. THOMAS Vehicles In

More than two thousand motor vehicles are in operation in Macon County, according to figures compiled by the State Motor Vehicle department.

department lists for Macon was 2,086.

That puts this county, which

Clay, 640; Tyrrell, 761, Graham, 835; Hyde, 940; Dare, 962; Camden, 1,117; Swain, 1,148; Currituck, 1,497; Pamlico, 1,517; Alleghany, 1,676; Avery, 1,757; Yancey, 1,854; Mitchell, 1,997; and Gates and Jones, 2,056 Yancey, 1.854; Mitchell, 1,997; and Gates and Jones, 2,056

The total 1947 registration for the state was 883,498, an all-time high. Guilford county, with 46,755, had the greatest number of any of the state's counties, with Mecklenburg a close sec-

Boys' Basketball Team Wins 9 Of 20 Games For Season

The Franklin High school boys' basketball team won nine games out of 20 and ran up a total of 568 points, in comparison with 504 for their opponents, during the season just closed, the season's statistics reveal

The girls' team captured five out of 14 games during the sea-son, which closed with the High-lands-Franklin double-header, won by the Franklin teams.

Jack Norton and Harve Hurst were the season's top scorers for the boys, while Nancy Grant and Juanita Allen led in scoring for the girls' team.

The two teams were directed by Coaches W. F. Plyler and W. G. (Bill) Crawford.

APPROPRIATE

A patient man was the tombstone salesman, but he was almost at the end of his rope. He had suggested all the usual inscriptions, plus many originals, but the widow rejected each in

"Why don't you just have it inscribed 'He Went Home.'" suggested the salesman, in a last desperate effort to please this exacting woman. She pondered

"Yes," she assented. "That would be appropriate. Home was always the last place he ever went."

HEADS O. E. S.

This County Officers Are Installed At Ceremony Held At Memorial

Mrs. Gennette Thomas became worthy matron, and Edgar J. Whitaker, worthy patron, of Nequassa Chapter No. 45, Order number of motor vehicles and of the Eastern Star, at an intrailers registered in 1947 in each of the state's 100 counties. Stagle Memorial last Thursday The 1947 registration figure evening. About 200 persons were present.

The hall was attractively decis relatively small in population, orated with arrangements of in 85th place among North spring flowers and mountain Garolina counties in number of greenery, and was lit by candles.

The 15 counties have fewer motor vehicles than Macon are Whitaker, were: Mrs. Florence S. Sherrill, associate matron; John Bulgin, associate patron; Mrs. Pearl Palmer, associate conductress; Mrs. Josephine Long, associate conductress; Mrs. Nobia Murray, secretary; Mrs. Alice Ray, treasurer; Mrs. Helen Snyder, chaplain; Miss Helen Snyder, chaplain; Lassie Kelly, marshal; Margaret Cabe, organist; Margaret Bulgin, Adah; Hermie Bryant, Ruth; Margaret Bolton, Esther.

Mrs. Emma Jane Phillips, Martha; Mrs. Esther Cunning-ham, Electa; Mrs. Ruth Whitak-er, warder; Mrs. Bianche ranrish, sentinel; Mrs. Irene Bryson, associate chaplain; Mrs. Beth Guffey, associate marshal; Mrs. Ida Grant, associate Adah; Mrs. Barbara Calloway, associate Ruth; Mrs. Merle Dryman, associate Esther; Mrs. Margaret Tysinger, associate Martha; Mrs. Katherine Crawford, associate Electa; Mrs. Ann Higdon, associate warder, and Mrs. Cather-ine Henry, associate sentinel.

John L. Orr, of Bryson City.

past grand patron of North Car-olina, was the installing officer. Others participating in the ceremony, all of them past matrons of the chapter, were Mrs. Frances McGlamery, as installing marshal; Mrs. Eunice Church, installing chaplain; Mrs. Ann Higdon, installing conductress; Mrs. Lillian Cabe, installing organist; and Mrs. Beth Guffey, installing warder.

The retiring patron, Mrs. Grace O'Mohundro, was presented with the past matron's jewei and a co.sage of the chapter colors. Other retiring officers also were presented with gifts, and Mrs. O'Mohundro presented a gift to the chapter.

In addition to members of the local chapter and their families and of members of the local Masonic lodge and their families, visitors were present from nearby chapters of the order.

Among out-of-town guests attending were Gordon L. Butler, district deputy grand patron, and Mrs. Butler, and Mrs. Dick THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 1948 The Franklin Press and The Highlands Maconian

Conley, all of the Robbinsville sa chapter were hostesses at chapter; Mr. and Mrs. Orr, of the social hour that followed the Bryson City chapter; and the program. Mrs. Jack Cory, of the Waynes-

Irs. Jack Cory, of the Waynes-ille chapter.

As of September 1, 1947, the U. S. navy had 226,000 men Past matrons of the Nequas-Iafloat and 49,000 ashore.

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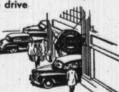
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