Mrs. Patton's Rites Attended By Several From Out-Of-County

Those from out-of-town who attended the funeral of Mrs. Malvina Patton last week were Mrs. Virginia Monteith, and C. R. Patton, both of Asheville, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Roane, of Rutherfordton, Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis and son, of Sylva, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Enloe, of Andrews, Miss Emily Sword, Harry Sword, H. Bueck, C. K. Olson, White Mease, and John A. Thompson, all of Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Patton, of Hendersonville, and Mrs. Florence McGee, of Cleveland, Tenn.

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Reporting Tips, Contest Discussed At Newspaper Dinner For Rural Leaders

Tips on reporting the news and a profit-sharing circulation contest were discussed at a Franklin Press dinner Friday night attended by representatives from nine of Macon County's organized communities.

News Editor J. P. Brady spoke to community reporters on the do's and don'ts of covering the news. Editor Weimar Jones outlined a subscription campaign in which $100 in prizes will be given. He said any organized community is eligible to enter. Deadline for entries is April 15.

Mrs. R. S. Jones gave two humorous readings at the meeting, which was held in the basement of Franklin Methodist Church.

Attending were Morris L. McGough, executive vice-president of the Asheville Agricultural Council; Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Jones; W. W. Sloan; T. H. Fagg, county agent; Mrs. Florence S. Sherrill, home agent; Verlon Swafford, president, Franklin Chamber of Commerce.

Miss Mildred Bingham, reporter, Patton; Wiley J. Clark, president, Bethel; Walter Taylor, president, Holly Springs; Paul Swafford, vice-president, Iotla; Mrs. Edwin Bradley, reporter, Iotla; Mrs. F. S. Moore, reporter, Carson.

Mrs. Joe Setser, president, Cartoogechaye; Mrs. W. N. Dalrymple, reporter, Cartoogechaye; Ray Vanhook, vice-president, Clark's Chapel; Mrs. Grace M. Tatham, reporter, Cowee; John A. Bryson, president, Cullasaja; and Miss Marie Jennings, reporter, Cullasaja.

IN APPRECIATION

We wish to express our deep appreciation for the lovely flowers and also the many acts of kindness shown us at the time of the death of our mother, Mrs. J. E. Potts.

The Family of
Mrs. J. E. Potts

CARD OF THANKS

Marcia, Woody and I wish to thank all of our friends for kindness and sympathy shown at the death of their father, Lee Roy Berrong. Also, thank you for the beautiful floral offerings and special gratitude to Rev. M. W. Chapman and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jacobs.

Omalee Berrong Peacock

Hemphill Says Funds For Emergencies Are Available At F. H. A.

Ray F. Hemphill, supervisor of the local Farmers Home Administration office, this week reported that the Department of Agriculture has announced the designation, through June 30, 1957, of the entire state of North Carolina as an area where the Farmers Home Administration may make emergency loans to eligible farmers.

The department said that during the past four years, hurricanes, drought, and other weather conditions have brought about a situation under which normal credit sources will be unable to meet the heavy demand for operating credit this spring.

The action was taken under Public Law 727, 83rd Congress, he said. The law provides for making emergency loans for agricultural purposes where there is need for agricultural credit that cannot be met for a temporary period from commercial banks, cooperative lending agencies, the Farmers Home Administration under its regular programs, or through other types of emergency loans.

Emergency loans are made to finance normal operations, but may not be used to refinance existing debts. Farmers may apply for loans at the Farmers Home Administration office in the Agricultural Building.

To be eligible, a farmer must be unable to obtain the credit he needs from other local sources, must be primarily engaged in farming, and have suitable experience and reasonable prospects for success in the farming operations he plans to carry on with the loan, Mr. Hemphill said.

Repayments are scheduled according to the borrower's ability to repay. Loans to meet operating expenses are secured by liens on crops and on chattel property. Loans for crop production are usually scheduled for repayment when the income from the crops is normally received. The interest rate is 3 percent.

Dan Angel Home On Leave From Parris Island

Cpl. Dan W. Angel is spending a 28-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Angel, of Franklin.

He has been stationed at Parris Island, S. C., at the U. S. Marine Recruit Depot for the past 32 months. At the end of his leave, he expects to be promoted to sergeant. He also will be up for discharge on June 10 and he plans to enter Western Carolina College.

Pre-School Clinics Scheduled For Month

Pre-school clinics, for children who will enter school for the first time this fall, are scheduled at Macon County elementary schools over the next month.

Tomorrow (Friday), clinics will be held at East Franklin, 9 a. m., and Chapel, 2 p. m.

Monday, a clinic will be held at Union at 1 p. m. On Wednesday, Cullasaja's clinic will be at 9 a. m. and Highlands' at 1 p. m. Cartoogechaye's scheduled for April 29 at 1 p. m. Otto and Cowee dates will be announced later.

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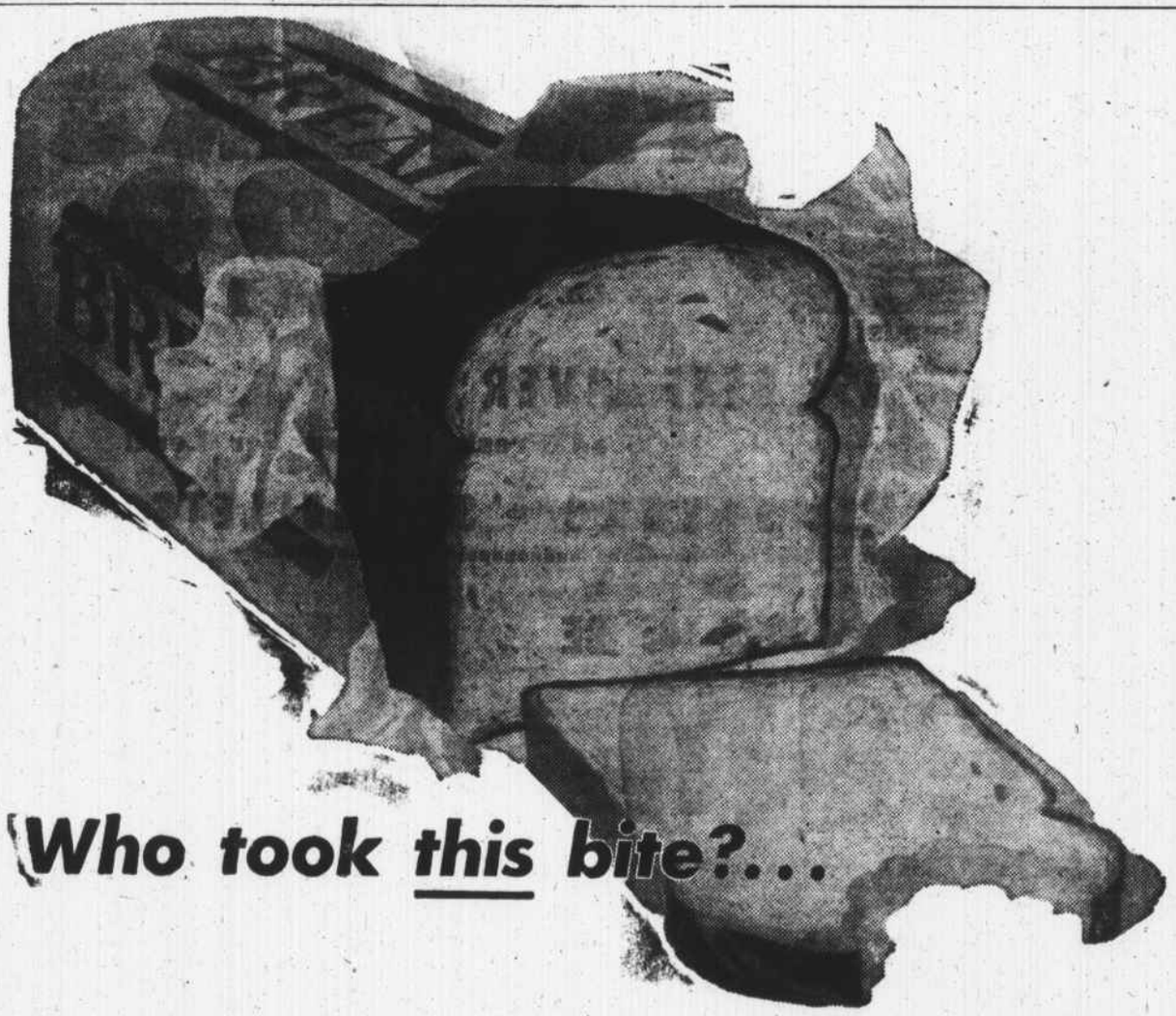

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