

LIVED AT WHITTIER — W. R. Lunsford, Minister And Maconian, Dies Here

The Rev. William Riley Lunsford, a Macon County native who lived in Whittier and had served a number of Baptist churches throughout Western North Carolina, died December 28 at Angel Clinic following a week's illness. Services were conducted the

29th at the Redmarble Baptist Church by the pastor, the Rev. I. J. Postell, and burial was in the church cemetery.

Mr. Lunsford died the day after his 85th birthday. He was born Dec. 27, 1872, a son of the late William Riley and Mrs. Mary Ann Wilson Lunsford. He had been a Baptist minister for 40 years. He was married to Miss Martha Matheson, of Cherokee County, who died several years ago.

Surviving are two half-brothers, Sam Waters, of Nantahala, and Harrison Waters, of Belmont, and two half-sisters, Mrs. Susie McClure, of Swannanoa, and Mrs. Martha Hicks, of Nantahala.

Pallbearers were W. J. Roper, L. L. Bryson, Ervin Nichols, Tommy Postell, Herbert Bryson, and W. C. Swanner.

Potts Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. W. W. Jones Dies In California; Wife Of Maconian

Relatives here have received word of the death at Santa Monica, Calif., Dec. 11, of Mrs. W. W. Jones. Her husband, a native of Franklin, is the son of the late W. W. Jones, of Franklin, and of Mrs. Irene Ford Jones, who lives in Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. Jones, a musician, was a native of New Haven, Conn. She and her family had lived in California for several years. A graduate of Oberlin College, she had appeared in piano concerts in Virginia and other Eastern states.

Survivors, in addition to her husband, include four children, a sister, and a brother.

Hints To HOMEMAKERS

By MISS RUTH CURRENT
State Home Demonstration Agent

FOOD FAVORITES—Good seasoning is the reason for many food favorites. Try these: bay leaf and cloves in the water to boil smoked ham, garlic rubbed on salad bowl or garlic butter on heated French bread, sliced onions and celery on top of pot roast, or a little horseradish in tomato juice. Seasonings cost little yet make treats of plain foods. When food is well-seasoned there is less need for expensive extras as olives, pickles, relishes.

Desserts are a pleasant finish to the meal and simple ones are not extravagant when they give important food value, such as all kinds of fruit, especially those in season; ice cream served in a variety of ways; puddings, pies, cakes and cookies, using milk, eggs, and fruits.

Biscuits, muffins, Johnny cake, homemade rolls, coffee cake —

every family has its homemade favorites in baked foods. They are inexpensive ways to dress up economy meals.

LAUNDERING NYLONS — Machine washing and bleaching is recommended when possible as the most effective way to launder white nylon. Why not do an experiment for proof testing?

In drip drying, be sure to hang garments on non-staining hanger. For best results, garments should be removed from machine while just slightly damp and hung on non-staining hanger. Never leave nylons in the machine dryer after the drying time is completed.

If touch-up ironing is desired, set the iron on rayon setting.

There are excellent bleaches and detergents on the market now. Read carefully the labels for good results.

State College Answers Timely Farm Questions

Q. I want to select the best tobacco plant bed site possible this year. Do you have any tips?

A. Select a deep fertile loamy soil that will warm up quickly. Avoid heavy clay soils that bake or crust easily, especially when cyanamid, or urea and cyanamid is used. The soil should be well drained, but not one that dries out too quickly. Avoid dry ridges. The bed should be located near a convenient water supply. A soil high in organic matter seems to be helpful in getting good stands and promoting growth.

Q. When using new ground for a tobacco plant bed don't you have a lot of trouble from weeds?

A. Usually, yes. But good plants, with not too much weed trouble, are being produced by using methyl bromide in the fall or winter at the rate of nine pounds per 100 square yards. This chemical also gives good nematode control. It is used as a gas and must be kept in contact with the soil for 24 to 36 hours with a gas-tight cover.

Q. Just what seeding rate is suggested for tobacco plant beds?

A. The exact seeding rate will depend on just how well the bed is prepared and how well it will be managed. The suggested rate is one-fourth ounce per 100 square yards where average management is provided. Many growers are finding that they can get good stands with as little as one-sixth ounce per 100 square yards if the beds are smoothed before seeding, well managed, and watered at seed germination time.

Garden Time . . .

By M. E. GARDNER

The question is frequently asked: What do we mean when we speak of soil pH? Simply stated, it refers to the relative acidity (sourness) or alkalinity (sweetness) of the soil. The pH of the soil directly affects the growth of all plants and this is the reason lime is needed for some and not for others. If we apply a set of values to the pH range, from 4 to 10, we can state the ranges as follows: 4 to 5.5, strongly acid; 5.5 to 6.5, slightly acid; 6.5 to 7.5 neutral; and above 7.5 alkaline.

It is common knowledge that the azalea and the camellia require acid soils, with the azalea being more tolerant of acid conditions than the camellia. Applying the scale already given, the azalea would fall in the range between 4.8 and 5.7 and the camellia between 5.0 and 6.0. This is getting a little technical, but it illustrates my point. Since the ranges are not significantly different, both plants are usually grown in the same general area. On the other side of the picture we find that legumes, such as alfalfa and sweet clover, require a pH range of from 6.5 to 7.5. Spinach, often used as a test plant, 6.3 to 7.3; gardenia, the same as camellia; cabbage, 6.0 to 7.0; tomato, 5.3 to 6.3; Irish potato, 5.0 to 5.7; sweet corn, 5.5 to 6.7; and so on down the line of plants.

Lime is used to sweeten soils and sulphur and aluminum sulfate

News About People

Rear Admiral and Mrs. H. C. Allen, Jr., and son, Lieut. (j.g.) Carl Moret, spent several days at Christmas with Mrs. H. C. Allan, Sr. Lieut. Moret left to return to Jacksonville, Fla., where he is stationed, and Admiral and Mrs. Allan went on to California. The admiral retired December 6 at Green Cove Springs, Fla. They planned to see the Navy-Rice game in the Cotton Bowl in Dallas, Tex., on their way.

Woman's Club Holds Christmas Party

A Christmas party was held by the Franklin Junior Woman's Club December 23 at the home of Miss Harriett Murray.

Miss Murray and her sister, Miss Mamie Lee Murray, were co-hostesses.

Game prizes were won by Miss Meda Angel and Mrs. Elizabeth Pearson. Miss Joanne Hopkins won the door prize.

tractive, curled, long-standing variety reported slow to bolt or form seed stalks. Especially good for greens.

Now for some of the flowers. "Maytime" petunia—Salmon pink with large ruffled flowers; "Pettite" and "Pettite Harmony" marigolds — especially suited for bedding, borders and rock gardens; "Showpiece," "Emperor" and "Ruby King" chrysanthemums — for a riot of fall bloom in the yard and garden.

Blue mold has been a threat to tobacco plant beds every year since 1932.

Franklin MAIL SCHEDULES

Outgoing—	
South	8:30 a. m.
South East	3 p. m.
Franklin R.F.D.'s	2:45 p. m.
	8:45 a. m.
Incoming—	
From South	8:15 a. m.
From South East	3:15 p. m.
From East	7:45 a. m.
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East	12 noon
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East	12 noon
Incoming—	
From South	Mail Arrives 9:15 a. m.

Legal Advertising

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Having qualified as executor of the estate of Pearl Yost, deceased, late of Macon County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 5th day of December, 1958, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 5th day of December, 1957.
ADAM J. YOST, Executor.
Route 1, Franklin, N. C.
c/o J. H. Stockton, Atty.
Franklin, N. C.

D12-6tp-J16

Administratrix Notice
Having qualified as administratrix of the Estate of Zeb Howard, deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 21 day of December, 1958, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 21 day of December, 1957.
GEORGIA YOUNG
Administratrix

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No. 1

pastor of the Rutherfordton Methodist Church and served there until 1954. He then took a sabbatical leave at his own request the following year was given no appointment. In 1956, at his request, he was allowed to withdraw from the traveling ministry. St. Petersburg officers said he did not refer to himself as a minister in his work.

The case was officially listed as a triple murder and suicide.

No. 3

SUGARFORK: Lawson Wood, lister—Gold Mine Church, Jan. 4; Buck Creek; Clarence Icenhower's home, Jan. 11; Walnut Creek, Ed Crisp's home, Jan. 18; Willie Moses' store, Jan. 23, 24, and 25—8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

HIGHLANDS: Bill Pierson, lister — Bill Pierson's office 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. daily through January.

FLATS: Earl Dryman, lister — Sealy Post Office, Jan. 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13 — 8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

SMITH'S BRIDGE: C. C. Sams, lister—Billie Long's home, Jan. 2; J. R. Norris' store, Jan. 3 and 4; Dryman's Chapel, Jan. 9; Riverside, Bateman's store, Jan. 10 and 11; Miller Norris' store, Jan. 16, 17, and 18; Parker Clouse's store, Jan. 23, 24, and 25—8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

CARTOOGCHAYE: Bob Southard, lister—Shield's store, Jan. 2; Kiser's store, Jan. 4; McClure's store, Jan. 7; Huscusson's store, Jan. 9, 10, and 11; Hopkin's store, Jan. 17 and 18; Rainbow Springs, Jan. 20—8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

NANTAHALA: Newell Baldwin, lister—Carl Bateman's store, Jan. 3, 4, and 6; Beechertown, Jan. 7; Dwight Waters' store, Jan. 8 and 9; Choga, Jan. 11; Hamp Owenby's store, Jan. 13 and 14—8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

BURNINGTOWN: Floyd Ramsey, lister—G. T. Ramsey's home, Jan. 3; R. M. McGaha's home, Jan. 4; Ralph Anderson's store, Jan. 10 and 11; Bill Parrish's store, Jan. 17 and 18; Frank Haney's store, Jan. 24 and 25—8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

COWEE: Carroll Gibson, lister—Cowee School, Jan. 4, 11, 18, and 25; Tom Rickman's store, Jan. 15; Clyde West's store, Jan. 16; Ed McCoy's store, Jan. 8; Nora Scales' store, Jan. 9; E. O. Rickman's store, Jan. 13; Brendle's store, Jan. 14—8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

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