

Funeral Services For Mrs. Tabitha Dillard

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the East Sylva Baptist church for Mrs. Tabitha Dillard, 85, who passed away at her home Friday evening at 7:45 following a lingering illness. Rev. Ernest Jamison and Rev. Edgar Willix officiated. Burial followed in the Dillard cemetery. Mrs. Dillard was the widow of the late Zeb Dillard. She was a native of Jackson county, being the daughter of John and Nancy Parker of Caney Fork and had lived in Sylva after her marriage to Mr. Dillard. She was one of the char-

ter members of the Sylva Baptist church, but later moved her membership to East Sylva. She is survived by three sons, Jess Dillard of Waynesville, Gerson Dillard, of Akron, Ohio and Lyndon Dillard of Sylva; one daughter, Mrs. Clyde Sims, of Detroit, Michigan; two step sons, Mont Dillard of Dillard, Ga., and Victor Dillard of Sylva; one step-daughter, Mrs. H. E. Dillard of Sylva; 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Chewing tobacco production in 1947 is estimated at 96 million lbs. about 11 million below 1946.

LEGLESS BOY TESTS NEW LIMBS



IN CHICAGO, Jimmy Riley, 7, who lost both legs when he was run over by a train two years ago, tests his second pair of artificial legs by kicking a football held by Mrs. Margaret Coady, his benefactor. Reading of the boy's plight, Mrs. Coady provided him last year with his first pair of "legs." This year she replaced them with larger ones. (International)

FEELING FINE, ENGINEER GIVES RETONGA CREDIT

"After What It Did For Me I Am Recommending It To All My Friends," Declares Veteran Locomotive Man. Tells About His Own Case.

Hundreds of railroad men are praising Retonga and among them the latest is Mr. E. B. McMillan, well-known retired locomotive engineer of the N. C. & St. L. Ry., who for 44 years ran between Nashville and Chattanooga.

"After what Retonga did for me I am recommending it to all my friends," declares Mr. McMillan, who resides in the Watauga Apts., on Park Ave., Nashville, Tenn. "For about seven years I was subject to attacks of irregular bowels and after these attacks I felt so weakened that sometimes I could hardly navigate at all. My appetite went back on me and what I

did eat did not seem to digest properly. I felt fagged out, restless and out of sorts from head to foot. I spent lots of money on treatments and medicines but seemed to get nowhere.

"Retonga gave me prompt relief after everything else I tried had failed. My appetite returned food seems to agree with me and I sleep fine every night. I am ready for a hearty breakfast now, and another day with my friends up town. I feel better than in years, and Retonga deserves the credit."

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STATE COLLEGE ANSWERS TIMELY FARM QUESTIONS

QUESTION—How can I control the red mite in my poultry flock?

ANSWER—Where the red mite has become well established, the following procedure should be followed to destroy them. First, remove the perch poles so that the poles and their supports can be well treated. All dried manure should be removed. If the perch poles are not detachable they should be made so. Second, sweep down the inner side walls of the house and remove all litter from the nests, floor, and away from the vicinity of the house.

When the mites are found only in the nest and vicinity of the perch poles, treating these areas may be sufficient, but in case of widespread infestation, the entire house, including the roof boards and floor, should be treated.

Some good mite exterminating products are crude petroleum, commercial carbolineum, coal tar stock dips, and a combination of equal parts of waste motor oil and kerosene. Crude petroleum and carbolineum, when used for the perch poles and nests, are most effective if applied full strength with a brush, but if it necessary to use these products for the entire house, it is best to dilute with kerosene, using equal parts of each. Waste motor oil and kerosene, although cheap and effective, do not have the lasting effect of carbolineum or crude petroleum.

QUESTION—How should I cultivate my roses?

ANSWER—Roses respond favorably to shallow cultivation. The upper two inches of soil should be cultivated frequently enough to keep the beds free of weeds and the surface soil loose. Deep cultivation is not advisable.

If the weather is dry, roses should be watered thoroughly. This should be done by letting the water run from the hose over the bed for at least an hour. The soil should be thoroughly soaked in this way, then not watered again until the surface soil shows signs of drying. Sprinkling is almost useless, or worse than useless. To conserve moisture and reduce the labor of cultivation, the soil between the

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Massie, who have spent three weeks in Florida returned home the latter part of last week.

Miss Chris Rucker has returned to her home in Shelby after spending the week-end with Mrs. T. O. Wilson and family.

Mrs. Grover Wilkes, Mrs. Nell Johnson and Mrs. Paul Ellis were in Asheville Sunday, going over to hear the concert by Lauritz Melchior and the thirty piece orchestra that accompanied him.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Myers and Son, Jimmy, who have been with the parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bain, for several weeks, have returned to their home in Bryson City.

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Hampton have returned to their home after spending a three weeks vacation in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jones went to Rutherfordton Saturday to attend the funeral of Gerald Houser, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Houser of Asheville, who died Friday morning from head injuries received when struck by a car.

Miss Evelyn Sherill spent the week-end in Whittier, guest of her sister, Mrs. S. R. Roane, and Mr. Roane.

Miss Rebecca Sue Cannon spent Sunday and Monday in Asheville with her aunt, Mrs. Sam Williams, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bryson, Jr., and Mrs. A. M. Anderson went Tuesday to Chattanooga to attend the graduation of the Bryson's daughter, Miss Mary Cecil Bryson, who is a member of the graduating class of the School of Nursing at Erlanger Hospital. The graduation exercises will take place Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sims and son of Detroit are spending some-time here, having been called here by the illness and death of Mrs. Sims' mother, Mrs. Tabitha Dillard.

Mrs. D. M. Hall who was a patient at Harris community hospital for sometime has recovered sufficiently to go to the home of her brother, Dan K. Moore, where she will be for the next few weeks.

Mrs. Roscoe Poteet returned Sunday from Brevard where she has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Poteet and family.

Miss Frances Harper left Tuesday for her home in Clover, S. C., after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Jackson Dunn and family.

rose plants can be covered with a mulch during the hot summer months.

Dr. Wilkes Gets Southern Railway Appointment

Dr. Grover C. Wilkes recently received notice of his appointment as assistant surgeon of the Southern Railway in this area. He will serve employees of the Southern any where that he is called, but especially in the Murphy Branch division. He has been issued free transportation over all lines of the System. Dr. D. D. Hooper is senior surgeon for the Southern in this area.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Parris, Jr. left Sunday for Ocracoke Island, where they will reside for the next few months. Enroute they stopped in Chapel Hill and visited Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Hall, Jr. Messrs. Mike Strong and Walter Hartmann, who have been in Chillicothe, Ohio for a few weeks, returned to their homes the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Carl Jones and sons of Rosman, are spending several days with her mother, Mrs. R. H. Mull, before leaving for Summerville, S. C., where they will make their home. Mr. Jones is employed there as a sawyer at a lumber mill. Formerly of East LaPorte, Mr. and Mrs. Jones resided at Rosman for the past two years. Mrs. Jones is the former Miss Lucille Mull.

Easter Sunrise Service

There will be an Easter Sunrise (5:33 a. m.) service at Parris cemetery in Dillsboro. Rev. W. N. Cook will conduct the service. Any one having relatives or friends buried there and would like an evergreen wreath or flowers for the graves can call Mrs. P. W. Kincaid, phone 247W. Everyone is cordially invited to attend this service.

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Leap Year Dance Draws Big Crowd

Cullowhee — Some 500 students and guests attended the Leap Year dance given Friday night at Western Carolina Teachers college by the Women's House Government association.

A noticeable feature of the dance was the absence of corsages on the girls' gowns. The girls had agreed not to wear them, in view of the high prices of flowers; they felt that many girls, whose escorts could not afford flowers, would not come, or would feel out of place.

During intermission a "petticoat dance," suggested by an old superstition concerning red petticoats and Leap Year was presented.

Sammy Beck and his Skylanders played for the dance. Decorations consisted of red and white crepe paper and many-colored balloons.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends for their kind expressions of sympathy and for the beautiful flowers sent at the time of the death of our loved one.

The children and grandchildren of Mrs. Tabitha Dillard.

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