

### Deaths, Funerals

**MARVIN A. CLARK**  
Marvin A. Clark, 59, of 129 Linden Avenue, Asheville, died Friday morning, Nov. 12, 1971 in an Asheville rest home after a long illness.

A native of Carrboro and a resident of Asheville since 1937, Mr. Clark retired three years ago due to ill health. He had been a sales representative with Associated Transport Co. for 25 years. He was a member of St. Paul's United Methodist Church and the Western North Carolina Traffic Club.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Edith Fleming Clark; a son, William A. with the Army at Ft. Bragg; a daughter, Mrs. Mary Ann Engles of Bruceton, Tenn.; two sisters, Mrs. Edward Sparrow of Durham and Mrs. Bynum Ruggsbee of Carrboro; and two grandsons. He was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Ron Sprinkle, of Marshall.

Services were held at 3 p.m. Sunday in the chapel of Morris Funeral Home.

The Rev. James E. Rink officiated. Burial was in Forest Lawn Cemetery at Enka.

Palbearers were James Roland, William J. Bradford, Robert Taylor, Harry Giezantner, Jack Whitson and Charles S. David, Sr.

**CHRIS P. SORENSEN**  
Chris P. Sorensen, formerly of Marshall, died on Nov. 11, 1971 in a Ft. Lauderdale hospital, following a brief illness.

Mr. Sorensen owned and operated the Sorensen Bentwood Corporation in Marshall from 1953 through 1958 when the operations were moved to Marion, Va., after which Mr. Sorensen retired to Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. Mr. Sorensen moved here from Pawcatuck, Conn., having been involved in some form of the wood business throughout his lifetime ending with his bent wood operation which was started in Connecticut in the late 1800's. Mr. Sorensen was born in Hadsund, Denmark on Oct. 8, 1889 and came to the United States in 1913, settling in Omaha, Neb., from when he moved to Littlefork, Minn., living there until 1939. Following the big hurricane of 1939, he relocated in Connecticut serving the U.S. Forestry Department in recovering fallen timber. During those years, he was mainly engaged in logging and milling operations, owning and operating several lumber and dimension mills. During World War II, he was an inspector of housing for the military and eventually was a specialist in the manufacture and development of gliders. Sorensen is survived by his widow, Asta Ibsen Sorensen of Ft. Lauderdale; four children, Ted Sorensen of Pipersville, Pa., Herbert Sorensen of Newington, Conn., Earl Sorensen of Asheville and Helen Sorensen McElyea of Candler and four step children. One brother, Martin Sorensen of Argentina also survives.

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**Personality Inventory**  
There is nothing more attractive today than individuality. But do you really know yourself? Many people who have achieved success find that one of the best ways to begin is by taking a personality inventory. Draw up a list of questions such as those suggested below. Answer them as honestly as possible. Then ask a close friend for an opinion of your answers.  
If some of the answers don't please you, at least you will have begun to develop an awareness of the areas you will have to improve. If you can answer the questions in the affirmative, however, you probably are an attractive person in your social as well as your business life.  
Your personality inventory:  
(1) Do I enjoy meeting people? Why?  
(2) Do I speak sincerely and enthusiastically?  
(3) Is my voice pleasant to the ears of my listeners?  
(4) Does my facial expression help to convey my spoken message? How often do I smile? How often do I frown?  
(5) Am I confident about my appearance?  
(6) Do my grooming and neatness attract others to me?  
(7) Am I sincerely sympathetic to the problems and predicaments of others?  
(8) Do I look at others as they speak to me, and do I speak to them? Do I fearfully listen?  
(9) Have I developed annoying mannerisms, and do I try and correct them?  
(10) Do I attract the respect of others by keeping my word?  
(11) Do I enjoy making up suggestions of my own. Do they function from the inside, and do they help you develop confidence for a more attractive future?

## Election Of ASCS Committeemen; Nominees Named

**JESSIE ROBINSON**  
Jessie Lee Robinson, 88, of Locust Grove Road, Weaverville, died Tuesday, Nov. 16, in an Asheville hospital after a short illness.

He was a retired farmer. Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Homer Radford of Mars Hill, Mrs. M. E. Darling of Hartford, Conn., and Mrs. William P. Link of Enka; five sons, Robert of Leicester, Donald of Enka, Troy of Oteen, Claude of Atlanta and Frank Robinson of Weaverville; 30 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday in Locust Grove Baptist Church.

The Revs. Clell Fisher and Horace Honeycutt will officiate. Burial will be in West Memorial Park. Palbearers will be Robey Haney, Bascomb Honeycutt, Brooks, William and Tom Robinson, Carl E. Murray, Jim Kilpatrick and Jimmy Arrowood.

**MRS. ORA JOHNSON**  
Mrs. Ora Johnson, 65, of Rt. 1, Mars Hill, died unexpectedly Wednesday morning, Nov. 17, in an Asheville hospital.

She was a lifelong resident of Madison County.

Surviving are the husband, Jeter Johnson; two daughters, Mrs. Gerald Griffin of Macon, Ga., and Mrs. Phillip Mull of Weaverville; a son, Finley Johnson of Mars Hill; five sisters, Mrs. Ada Hunter of Cartersville, Va., Mrs. Kate Scott and Mrs. Zura Metcalf, both of Mars Hill, Mrs. Faye Messer of Asheville and Mrs. Lillian Thurman of Harrison, Tenn.; nine brothers, Carl, Hobert, George, Alonzo, Zeb, Eugene, Charles, Calvin and Curtis Edwards, all of Mars Hill; and seven grandchildren.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday in Trinity Baptist Church.

The Revs. Homer Tomberlin, David Roberts, and Wesley Sprinkle will officiate. Burial will be in Mars Hill Cemetery. Palbearers will be Howard, Hugh, Lionel, Leonard, Bobby and Harold Dean Edwards, David Metcalf, and Allen Hunter.

It's now time for Madison County farmers to vote their choice for ASCS Community Committeemen says Emory Robinson, Chairman of the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

Ballots were mailed to farmers on Nov. 18 and they must be properly voted and returned to the County ASCS office by Dec. 1 in order to be counted, Robinson said.

Farmers in each ASCS Community will vote on its own slate of Community Committee Nominees. Farmers may vote for no more than three of the nominees listed on their ballot or they may vote for "Write-Ins" so long as they do not mark their ballot for more than three persons. A farmer who fails to receive a ballot through the mail may secure one by visiting the ASCS Office in Marshall. An eligible voter is a person of legal voting age (18 years or older) who has an interest in a farm as the owner, operator, tenant or shareholder. The spouse of a farm owner or operator is eligible to vote if their name appears on the farm deed as joint owner.

Votes in this election will be tabulated publicly by the County ASCS Committee on Monday, Dec. 6, in the ASCS Office beginning at 8:30 a.m. The three farmers receiving the most votes will be declared the elected ASCS Community Committee for 1972 in the order of Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and Regular Member. Fourth and Fifth place winners will serve as first and second alternate members of the committee.

Following are the slates of nominees for the 16 ASCS Communities in the County: Community A-1 Cecil Briggs, Carl Cantrell, Bert Flynn, Sidney Hensley, Hermon Pegg, Everett Rice; B-2 Clarence B. Cutshall, G. M. Cutshaw, Keith Gosnell, Walter Gosnell, Bobby Gunter, Glen Hensley; C-3 Vance Edwards, Arnold Garrison, Howard Green, Grant McDaris, Hardie Merrill, Carson Roberts; D-4 Warren Anders, Ralph W. Briggs, Wayne Eatmon, Evely Robinson, Hix Robinson, Grover Tomberlin; E-5 J. Walter Cody, George Hamlin, Jennings B. Murray, Roger V. Murray, James F. Ramsey, James Shelton; F-6 Nealey Randall Buckner, D. J. Randall, Buckner, D. J. Graham, Conley T. Sprinkle, Chester Teague; G-7 Bob Boyd, Cleophus Davis, Floyd Henderson, Berlin W. Payne, Frank Payne, Jr., Glen Riddle; H-8 Handy Allison, Hugh Balding, Albert Caldwell, Joe Duckett,

Cline Fowler, Jimmy Moore; J-9 Wallace Cook, Eugene Goode, Perry Gowan, Boyd Strickland, Charles E. Wills, Eugene Wills; K-10 Joe Bullman, Joe Chandler, Ruben Gosnell, Homer Griffie, Wayne Griffin, Earl Rice; L-11 Wayne Burnette, Jasper Jenkins, Cash Phillips, Aaron Ponder, Temple Shook, J. E. Woody; M-12 Clement Buckner, Leonard Buckner, Loy Buckner, John W. Henderson, Ted Massey, Sam

Roberts; N-13 Dale Balding, Arthur Fowler, Vern Holt, Cecil Pangle, Fred Trantham, Hardy Willett; O-14 L. F. Boone, Wayne Clark, Johnnie R. Coates, Lloyd Coates, Zack Coates, Woodrow Dill; P-15 Jim Ammons, R. J. Ammons, Lattie Ballard, Paul P. Briggs, Sr., Dewey Phillips, Seam Roland; Q-16 Claude A. Cody, Edward Hoyle, Don Peek, Woodard Riddle, Howard Roberts, and J. B. Roberts.

### Securing And Use Of Marketing Cards

Operators of tobacco farms within Madison County may secure their marketing cards by visiting, calling or writing the ASCS Office at Marshall according to announcement by Ralph Ramsey, County ASCS Executive Director.

In making this announcement, Ramsey explained that burley producing Counties within North Carolina had been instructed to issue this year's tobacco cards in person rather than through the mail for the following reasons: (1) This is the first year in which poundage only cards have been used; (2) To give ASCS Personnel an opportunity to explain the purpose and use of the three poundage entries on the cards to the operator; (3) To inform producers of data to be entered on his card after each sale or transaction; (4) To permit a break down of the farm's poundage quota when two or more cards are issued; (5) and, to answer any questions concerning the over or under marketings including lease and transfer of quotas.

It is most important, Ramsey said, that each farm operator and tobacco producer understand the effect any overmarketing or undermarketing can have on the farm's poundage quota for next year. It is also important that the operator or producer check his weight shown on his sales bill against the data entered on his card at the warehouse to see that no error has occurred in his unused

quota balance. To protect themselves producers should carefully follow the procedures for marketing tobacco, thereby safeguarding their marketing cards from misuse. Any tobacco marketings above 110 per cent of the farm quota will be considered excess tobacco and the farm operator will be responsible for a marketing quota penalty of 54 cents per pound on such overmarketing. The producer will also be subject to penalty and quota reduction if the marketing card is used to sell tobacco from another farm. The marketing card is to be used only for marketing tobacco from the farm for which it is issued.

Ramsey said that ASCS's main concern is to see that farmers understand the rules so that they may market all the tobacco they are entitled to market.

In conclusion, he stated that the County ASCS Office in Marshall is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. each week day except Saturday and certain holidays and that farm operators should arrange to secure their cards during those hours and that persons sending others for their cards should send writer authorization by such persons.

### The Sick

Emmette Plemmons of Marshall, is undergoing treatment in Memorial Mission Hospital.



**TWO JUNIOR LEADERS, Rhonda Sprinkle, left, and Nancy Treadway, visited at Grapevine Monday night to tell interested parents the value of 4-H. Both are cheerleaders and active members of the Junior Class at Marshall High School. Rhonda is active in the Hayes Run 4-H Club. Nancy is active in the Marshall Helping Hands 4-H Club. They volunteered to help with 4-H programs at Grapevine when needed.**



Clyde Martin

**Martin New Deputy Director State Blind Commission**

Recent major administrative appointments at the N. C. State Commission for the Blind in Raleigh, include the naming of Clyde Martin as Deputy Director of Business Affairs.

Martin, the son of the late Rev. and Mrs. Jake A. Martin of Madison County, is a veteran state employee and veteran officer of the U. S. Air Force. Martin retired from the Air Force, after 26 years of service, with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. He then began his career in state government, which has included jobs with the Department of Administration's Federal Surplus Property Division and the

Department of Corrections. Just prior to joining the Commission, Martin served for five and one-half years as controller at Appalachian State University at Boone.

Martin is a native of Marshall. He and his wife, the former Lillian Jones of Weaverville, have four children who are: Richard, 30, a nuclear engineer in Pittsburgh; James, 26, a certified public accountant in Charlotte; Betty Jean, 23, a graduate student at Appalachian State and Charles, 21, a senior at North Carolina State University. The family is Baptist. Martin is a member of the Cary Civitan Club and the Wake Community Lions Club.

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