# Obituaries

#### **Deweese Infant**

ville, died Feb. 16 in an Asheville hospital.

Surviving, in addition to the parents, are a brother, Jesse Carrol Deweese of the home; the paternal grandparents, Donald and Betty Deweese of Marshall; and, the maternal grandparents, Garfield and Wanda Jones of Asheville,

Graveside services were held Friday in Holcombe Branch Cemetery.

# **Myrtle Tatham**

Myrtle R. Tatham, 83, of Andrews, died Feb. 16 in a Swain County hospital.

A Madison County native, she had lived in Cherokee County for most of her life. She was the wife of John G. Tatham, who died in 1980.

Surviving are a son, Vergin M. Tatham of Charlotte; 13 grandchildren; and, 14 greatgrandchildren.

Services were held Friday in Valley River Baptist Church, of which she was a member. The Rev. Tom Watson officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery.

#### **Henry Gentry**

Henry Clayton Gentry, 77, of Hendersonville, died Feb. 17 in a Hendersonville hospital.

A Madison County native, he was formerly employed as an electrician at J.P. Stephens and was a member of Shaws Creek Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Violet David Gentry; a daughter, Clara Simmons of Hendersonville; and, a grandchild.

Graveside services were held Saturday in Shepherd Memorial Park. The Rev. Earl Barton officiated.

## **Paul Peek**

Paul Edd Peek, 64, of Charlotte, died Feb. 17 at his residence.

A Madison County native, he was a son of the late Rev. Anthony Wayne and Rose Hampton Peek. He was a member of Peek's Chapel Baptist Church. He was a graduate of Mars Hill College, American University of Biarritz in France, University of Tennessee and attended N.C. State University. He formerly taught in the Madison and Buncombe county school systems and retired from West Mecklenburg High School. He was a veteran of World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Jeanne Peek; a daughter, Rosemary Peek of the home; and, two brothers, William W. Peek of Garner and Clyde Peek of Charlotte.

Services were held Saturday in the chapel of McEwen Funeral Home, Charlotte. Burial was in Pleasant Hill Presbyterian Church cemetery.

#### **Nola Hensley**

Nola Rice Hensley, 77, of 107 Old Weaverville Road, Woodfin, died Thursday at her residence.

A Madison County native, she had

County, he was a fifth-grade at Mars Upper English Cemetery. Hill Elementary School

Surviving are his parents, Ed and Alexander Deweese, Infant son of Johnnie C. and Terrie Jones Deweese of 176 Wooten Cove Road, Weaver-ville, died Feb. 16 in paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Vates Ponder of Mars Hill; and, the maternal great-grandfather, Fred Bailey of Burnsville.

> Church, of which he was a member. The Revs. Edward Ehresman and Jake Fender officiated. Burial was in

past 30 years. She was a daughter of the late George and Lizzie Riddle Norton and the wife of John Gentry, Services were held Wednesday in Bright Hope-Laurel United Methodist who died in 1960. Surviving is a sister, Lou Georgia

**Bertha Gentry** 

Bertha Norton Gentry, 93, of Ridge

A Madison County native, she had

Street, Candler, died Sunday in an Asheville health care center.

lived in Buncombe County for the

The Revs. Lloyd Ponder and Champ Rice officiated. Burial was in Pisgah View Memorial Park.

**Glenn Duckett** 

Glenn Floyd Duckett, 75, of Ellabell, Ga., formerly of Hot Springs, died Saturday in a Savannah, Ga., hospital. Bowman Funeral Home is in

charge of arrangements.

#### **Arthur Cook**

eight grandchildren. Services were held Friday at

A native of Marshall, he had lived

in California since 1964. He was the

former owned of Blanco Radiator

Surviving are his wife, Aurora

Cook: three sons, Arthur Jr., Jim and

Carl Cook, all of Vallejo; two sisters,

Victoria Ward of Marshall and

Christina Strevell of Florida; and,

Repair and owned Cooks Radiator.

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## **Card Of Thanks**

We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors for the kindness shown during the sickness and death of our loved one. A special thanks to the Rev. Lunnie Metcalf, the Rev. Champ Rice and the staff of Bowman Funeral Home. May God bless you all.

The family of Glenn Worley

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Ball of Candler. Skyview Funeral Chapel. Burial was Arthur H. Cook, 69, of Vallejo, Services were held Tuesday in the Calif., died Feb. 17 in a California at All Souls Catholic Cemetery, Vallechapel of Bowman Funeral Home. hospital. EXTRA LOW FOOD LION Fresh Cut Whole Or **Rib Half - Sliced FREE!** BOSTON Fresh Pork Loins C Prices in this ad good thru Sunday BUTT Lb. A.N .b We Reserve The Right To Limit Quantities On All Items. Fresh Grade A 4 Lb. Bag - Fresh Florida ORANGES H 3 Lb. Bag - Sunkist ESH FRO Lb. ORIDA SUNSHING 100% Pure Fresh Green GROUND BEEF YOUND C Busch Coors

lived in Buncombe County for most of her life. She was a member of New Bridge Baptist Church, the daughter of the late Willard and Texas Tabor Rice and the wife of Furman G. Hensley, who died in 1973.

Surviving are a son, Donald W. Hensley of Woodfin; a grandchild; and, a great-grandchild.

Services were held Saturday in the chapel of West Funeral Home. The Revs. David Coleman and Worth Emory officiated. Burial was in West Memorial Park.

# **Thomas Ponder**

Thomas Edwin Ponder, 10, of Route 3 Mars Hill, died Sunday in a Winston-Salem hospital.

A lifelong resident of Madison

Always Remembered -**Joshua Adam Mayhew** May 25, 1981-Feb. 27 1985 Even though it has been

three years since you left us you are never forgotten but remembered daily with a smile and lots of times with a tear.

You were only three years old but so wise. So giving, caring, and considerate of others. You were a part of us, a part that will live forever.

Thank you for sharing your love with us and for being you. We miss you as much

