adies Auxiliary Quilt Raffle

The Big Pine Volunteer Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary is selling tickets for a handmade quilt. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. Drawing will be held Sept. 24. For more information call Brenda Buckner at 649-2397.

Marshall Neighborhood Association

The Marshall Neighborhood Association will be meeting on Monday, Sept. 12 at 7 p.m. at the Balsam Beauty Shop. Anyone interested in helping with Christmas Tour of Homes or Christmas lighting in town are welcome to attend. Anyone who has questions may contact Darlene Sprinkle at 649-2848 or Susan Rector at 649-3251.

Support Group To Meet

A support group for crime victims will begin weekly meetings starting Thursday, Sept. 1 at 6:30. We all need each other. Open to all victims and family. For more information

Foster Family Reunion

The Foster family reunion will be Sunday, Sept. 4 at the Sleepy Valley Community Center, located 4 1/2 miles west of Hot Springs on Hwy 25-70. All descendants of William and Sara Rhinehart (Foster) are invited to attend and bring a covered

Bonny Hill School Reunion

The Bonnie Hill School Reunion will be held at the school and church hourse located at Upper Shutin Creek, on Saturday, Sept. 3. A covered dish dinner will be served and then a short program will be held. Prizes will be given to the oldest member and the the member traveling the farthest. All former students and families and teachers are invited to attend. For more information contact 622-7536.

Laurel VFD Fall Festival

The Laurel VFD Fall Festival will be held at the Laurel School on Sunday, Sept. 11, from noon until 6 p.m. There will be live entertainment from the Carolina Misty Band, the Spring Creek Cloggers and the Marshall Hillbilly Cloggers.

Weaverville Commissioners To Meet

The Board of Commissioners for the Town of Weaverville will hold a special meeting beginning at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 6. The meeting will begin with an closed session on personnel and will be followed at 7 p.m. with a discussion on the results of the water service study which McGill and Associates are completing.

Lion's Club Fireworks

The Hot Springs Lion Clubs will have fireworks on Labor Day, Sept. 5, if weather permits. There will be hot dogs, hamburgers and drinks from 4 until 8 p.m. There will be no admission, but donations will be accepted.

Madison Environmental Alliance

The Madison Environmental Alliance is holding its annual meeting and covered dish dinner on Saturday, Sept. 17, at 4 p.m. at the home of Louis and Myra Zeller. Anyone interested in joining is welcome. For directions call 656-2773.

Big Pine Auxiliary To Meet

The Big Pine VFD Ladies' Auxiliary will meet on Friday, September 9 at 7p.m. at the home of Alastair and Allegra Aylward.

American Legion Auxiliary Meets

The American Legion Auxiliary Club will meet Tues., Sept.6 at 7p.m. in the Legion Hall in Marshall.

American Legion Sale

American Legion Post 317 Ladies' Auxiliary will have a sale to benefit needy children. The sale wil be in the Legion Hall in Marshall on Sat., Sept.3.

Republican Party To Meet

The Madison County Republican Party will meet Thurs. Sept. B, at 8p.m. in the County courthouse.

Republican Party Picnic

The Madison County Republican Party will have a picnic at the Old Mill Wheel Sat., Sept.3, at 4 to 6 p.m..

Fisher-Fox Family Reunion

The Fisher-Fox Reunion will be held Sunday, Sept. 4, at Long Branch Church from 1 to 4 p.m.

Slagle Family Reunion

he Single Family Reunion will be held Sun., Sept.11, at Creek Wildlife Club off Reems Creek on Eller Cove

Obituaries

Charlie B. Rice

Charlie Burton Rice, 95, of Mars Hill died Aug. 27 in a Madison County

A native of Madison County, he was a son of the late Dolph and Callie Banks Rice and the husband to the late Cora Chandler Rice.

He is survived by two daughters, Rose Franklin of Weaverville and Mary Ruth Higgins of Landis; two sons, Harvey L. Rice of Winston Salem and Arnold W. Rice of King.

A brother, Hassell Rice of Mars Hill; six grandchildren and six greatgrandchildren.

Services were held Monday in the Bethel Baptist Church of which he was the oldest member and deacon. The Revs. Troy Rogers and Donald Gasperson officiated. Burial will be in West Memorial Park.

Mary S. Marshbanks

Mary Sams Marshbanks, 87, of Weaverville died Aug. 26 in her home. A Buncombe County resident for most of her life, she was the daughter of the late Benjamin Lee and Hattie McElroy Sams and the wife of the late Harvey Marshbanks.

She is survived by: two daughters,

Doris M. Eller and Irene M. Waddell of Weaverville; a son, Allen Marshbanks of Weaverville; a brother Robert L. Sams of Weaverville; five grandchildren and two greatgrandchildren.

Services were held Monday in the Forks of Ivy Baptist Church, of which she was a member. The Revs. Paul Morgan, E.S. Morgan and J.H. Smith will officiate. Burial will be in Mars Hill Cemetery.

Card Of Thanks

The family of Nola B. Kent wishes to express its thanks to their friends and relatives for their prayers, kindness, flowers and food during the recent loss of our loved one. A special thanks to Bowman Funeral Home the Revs. Jimmy Buckner and Albert Whitiner and the singers, The Master's Family.

The family of Nola Kent

Miah D. T. Walton

Miah Lee Trader Walton, 80, of Hot prings, died Aug. 24, in a Haywood County nursing home.

A native of Baltimore, Md., she had lived for 30 years before moving to Spring Creek. She was a member of the First Congregational Church of W. Haven, Conn.

She is survived by: her husband, Charles M. Walton, Sr.; a son, Chuck Walton of Greensboro; two daughters, Nancy W. Straub of W. Haven and Marcia Lee Hungunine of Barstow, Calif.; 12 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Services were held Thursday in the chapel of Anders-Rice Funeral Home. The Rev. Joe Tiernan officiated

Fred Lovin

Fred Lovin, 69, of Erie, Pa., died Aug. 23.

A native of Madison County, he was a son of Cora Lovin of Asheville and the late Van Lovin.

He is survived by wife, Emma Lovin; three sons, John, Roy and Eddie Lovin of Erie; three daughters, Linda, Louise and Marsha Lovin of Erie; two brothers, George and Clyde Lovin of Mars Hill; four sisters, Pearl Barnes of Hendersonville, Ollie Hensley of Burnsville, Minnie Ashbury of Knoxville, Tenn., and Pansy Bailey of Candler; and eight grandchildren.

Services were held Saturday in the chapel of Capps Funeral Home. The Rev. Howard Ogle officiated. Burial was in the Penley Cemetery.

Mattie L. Cantrell

Mattie Letterman Cantrell, 95, of Marshall, died Aug. 24.

A native of Greenville, Tenn., she had lived in Madison County most of her life. She was a member of the White Rock Presbyterian Church. She was the wife of the late Auther E. Cantrell, who died in 1971.

She is survived by three daughters, Pearl Roberts of Bryson City, Ruth Stockton of Farmville, Va., and Helen shelton of Weaverville; nine grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Services were held Saturday in the chapel of West Funeral Home. The Rev. Greg Dickens officiated. Burial was in the Ashelawn Gardens of Memory.

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Cystic Fibrosis Benefit To Be Held September 4

Six quartets will be featured in the love offering will be taken.

three and a half hour program, including: The Singing Wilburn Family of Nashville; the Happy Hearts of Osteen; the New Hope Quartet of Robbinsville; the Rebel Creek Quartet Ed J. Ball will serve as master of the Nashville of Nashville; the Rebel Creek Quartet Ed J. Ball will serve as master of the Nashville of Nashville; the Rebel Creek Quartet Ed J. Ball will serve as master of the Nashville; the Rebel Creek Quartet Ed J. Ball will serve as master of the Nashville; the Rebel Creek Quartet Ed J. Ball will serve as master of the Nashville; the Rebel Creek Quartet Ed J. Ball will serve as master of the Nashville; the Rebel Creek Quartet Ed J. Ball will serve as master of the Nashville; the Hamiltonian the Nashville; the Nashville; the Rebel Creek Quartet the Nashville; the from Mitchell County; the Mt. Olive

The 13th arrival Cysta Pibrosis Baptist Choir of Mars Hill; and the ospel Sing will be held Sept. 4 at 7:30 Yancey County Singing Evangelists.

The singers will appear by invitation only, Admission is free, but a

Church News

Women's Aglow To Meet

Women's Aglow Fellowship will meet tonight, at 7 p.m. at the Rock Cafe in Marshall. Refreshments will be served after the meeting. For more information call Cathy Phythian at 649-2014 or Donna Hagan at 649-3132.

Big Laurel Homecoming

Big Laurel Baptist Church will have homecoming on Sunday, Sept. 11. Services will be from 10:00 a.m. to noon. Special singers will be a part of the services. Everyone is invited to at-

Ponder's Chapel Homecoming

Ponder's Chapel will have its homecoming on Sunday, Sept. 18. Services will begin at 10:45 a.m. followed by lunch after the service. Afternoom worship services will start at 2:30 p.m. Rev. D.E. Lytle invites everyone to attend.

SCIATICA



The sciatic nerve proceeds from the lower back area down through the entire leg. Pinching of the sciatic nerve is accompanied by a dull, deep, throbbing pain in the lower back and continues in hot, sharp stabbing flashes over the buttocks to the thighs, down the calf of the leg and into the heel and loes.

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