## OBITUARIES

CPL JAMES RAY
Services for Cpl. James Leonard Ray, 25, who was killed in Vietnam May 16. were hetd at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday in Bowditch Un:on Church at Micaville. The Rev. Sam Moore and the Rev. Roscoe Br'ggs officiated. Burial were in Carroway Ceme. tery Graveside military tery. Graveside military r.tes
were conducted by a detachment were conducted by a detachment from Fort Jackson; S. C., who served as pallbearers.
He was a graduate of Yancey H gh School and had been in $m$ litary service since September 1986.
Surviv ng are the widow, Mrs. Shirley Wheeler Ray of Spruce Pine; the mother, Mrs. James Ray of Micav lle; two sisters, Mrs. Robert Hall of Middletown, Cinn. and Mrs. Bob Ingram of Spruce Pine; three brothers, Dan, Lloyd and Phillip Ray, all of Micaville; and the grandmother, Mrs. John Ray of Micaville

JEFFERY HAROLD KING
Jeffery Harold King, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy King of Burnsville Rt. 4, died at $11: 55 \mathrm{p}$. m. Friday in an Asheville hospital after a sixmonths illness.
Surviving in addition to the parents are two sisters, Tammy and Vanessa, both of the home; and the grandparents, Mr. and

Mrs. Trcy King of Burnsville Rt. 4, and Mr. and Mrs. Grant McCurry of Burnsville. Funeral services were held at $2: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Sunday in Elk Shoal Union Church. The Rev. Niram Phill'ps officiater and burial was in King Cemetery.
mRS. LaURA fox Mrs. Laura Fox, 83, of Bald Creek, died Thursday, May 18th, n Yancey Hosp tal, after a long illness. She was the widow of the late John S. Fox, who died in 1949.
She is survived by five daugh. ters, Mrs. A. F. Carr, Mrs. Ray Robertson, Mrs. Otis Proff:tt of Bald Creek, Mrs. Bill Mcintosh of Alexandria, Va., and Mrs. C. D. Lloyd of West Palm Meach, Fla.; five sons, Love, JaBeach, Fla.; five sons, Love, Ja-
mes, and Ralph of Burnsville, mes, and Ralph of Burnsvilue,
Russell of Utica, Mich. and WillRussell of Utica, Mich. and William L. Fox of Bald Creek; one sister, Mrs. Pansy Allen of Hildebran, N. C.; one brother, Frank Phipps of Jonesboro, Tenn.; 24 grandchildren and 29 great-grandchildren.
Funeral services were held Saturday at $2: 30$ p. m. at Bald Creek Methodist Church. The Rev. Thomas Weeks off ciated. Burial was in Holcombe Cemetery.
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Mr. Peterson was a retired died at $4: 40$, 68 , of Burnsville. died at $4: 40$ a. $m$. in a local hospital after an illness of six Mr.
Mr. Riddle, who had been in the shoe repair business in the Burnsville area 45 years, was a son of the late John A. and Augusta ollis Riddle. He was a native of Mitchell County.
Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Mary Gouge Riddle; two daughters. Mrs. Bruce Byrd of Fort Walton Beach, Fla., and Mrs. Earl Blankenship of Asheville; two sons, Jack of Titusville, Fl a and Ben L. Riddle of Asheville: two brothers, J. W. and Ernest R'ddle of Spruce Pine; and nine grandchildren.
Funeral services were held at $3 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Monday in the chapel at $3 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Monday in the chapel of Ho me Bro ins Thneral Hofficite Rev. Lee Talmadge officiated and burial was in Academy Cemetery.
Pallbearers were Ed Hensley, Joe Freeman, Bradiey Shuford, Roy Ray and Glenn and Jalto McMahan. Ohio Railroad. Shio Railroad.
Surviv.ng, in addition to Mrs. Bennett, are five other daughters, Mrs. Gaither Renfro of Green Mountain, Mrs. P. P. Prather of Greenwood, S. C., Mrs. Bill Furches of Jonesboro, Tenn. Mrs. Clinton Reed of Elizabethton, Tenn., and Mrs. Raymoud Constable of Akron, Ohio; two sons, Geater and France Peterson, both of Erwin, Tenn. a brother, Ben Peterson of Reltimare: 7 , 7 gran Ped ch ldren and five great-great-
grandchildren. Frandchildren.
Funeral services were held at $2: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Sunday in South Bend Free Will Baptist Church. The Revs. Charle Miller, Calvin Barnett and Frances Radford officiated and burial was in Peterson Cemetery.
Pallbearers were Joe, Ike and Fred Peterson, Clesen Letterman, Howard Beam and Voyd McCurry.

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## Thanks

OLIVER PETERSON
Oliver Peterson, ${ }^{9} 101$, if the Horton Hill section of Yancey County, died at 5 p. m. Friday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Fult Bennett, after an illness of several years.

## Home Ext. Class To Meet

The Burnsville Home Extension Club will meet Thursday afternoon, the 25 th, at $2: 50$ with Mrs. C. O. ㅌlis.

## Notice

French Broad Electric Membership Corporation will be closed Tuesday, May 30th, for Mem. orial Day.

## Clinic Postponed

The clinic scheduled to be held in the Burnsville Health Center Monday, the 29 th, has been postponed, due to the fact that Mrs. Ballard will be working at the Glaucoma Clinic in Spruce Pine on that day.
"Poppy Day"
Let us remind you again of "Poppy Day", which will be observed nationwide on Saturday. the 27th. The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Earl Horton Post will be on the streets of Burnsville al dav Saturdav to receive your money in exchange for a poppy made bv तisabled veterans This money will be used to aid disab re veterans and their familis. ed veterans and the'r families let's be generous in our gits to these men who have done so much for us.


