AME Church Conference

By Rev. E. A. Armstrong, Public Relations Director, Blue Ridge Conference.

Griffith Chapel A. M. E. Zior Church was host to the one-day session of the Blue Ridge A. M. E. Zion Church on the 21st of April, 1970.

Bishop Charles Eubanks Tucker of Louisville, Kentucky is the Presiding Bishop of the Fifth Episcopal District of The A.M.E. Zion Church. Griffith Chapel is one of its Churches.

Due to the illness of the Rt. Rev. Tucker, Dr. A. C. Cook, Presiding Elder of the Hender sonville District and Rev. J. A. Lipsey, Presiding Elder of the Asheville District presided over

Ministers and Laymen attended from the several chur ches of the Conference, which extends into Tennessee Georgia, in addition to N.C.

During this session, a total of \$6,305.76 was raised on connection assessments. Other offering receipts totalled the amount of \$77.05.

The Rev. Mrs. Mattie L. Ray is host pastor. All persons in attendance noted and com mended the atmosphere of wel-

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State Hwy. Patrol Basic School Graduating Class

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RALEIGH - Trooper Gerard Ball of Burnsville was a member of the graduating class of the 47th State Highway Patrol Basic School, conducted the University of North Carolina's Institute of Government

Note Of Thanks

deepest appreciation to so cial Thank You to those who made the trip to Durham to visit me.

Scout Fashion Show

The seventh and eighth grade members of Cadette Scout Troop #65 presented a Fashion Show to Junior Girl Scout Troop #88 at the Burns ville Elementary School auditorium on Thursday after no on, April 16th.

This program was planned and produced by the eighth grade members as their Challenge of Social Dependability. A Challenge in Cadette Scouting is a real life situation in which a girl's ability is tested in many different ways. There are four Challenges, each one

different and all exciting. They are steps to becoming a First Class Girl Scout.

Connie Hensley was narrator for the program and the girls modeling typical junior high school fashious were:

Debbie Butner, Susan laughrun, Dianne Allen, Katie King, Jan Hensley, Suzanne Edge Ellen Byrd, Robbie Brown, Gail Thomas, Vickie Edge, Julena Young, Ruth Jarrett and Karen McIntosh.

Co-Leaders are Mrs. Charles Gillespie and Mrs. Earl Young.



Cadette Scouts Present Fashion Show

I would like to express my many friends and relatives for their cards, flowers, letters and other acts of kindness during my hospital stay. A spe-

- Maxine Ballew

Announce ment

in Chapel Hill. Graduation ce-

The 37 members of the

class, now being assigned duty

stations throughout the state,

have undergone 14 weeks of

intensive training in all phases

of law enforcement and traffic

ed to Bryson City. The new

work with veteran officers dur-

ing a probationary period after

reaching their first duty stations.

troopers will be assigned

Trooper Ball will be assign-

control work.

remonies were held Friday.

The annual gospel sing is again being held for the Crippled Children's Fund at the Moore Auditorium on the can pus of Mars Hill College on Saturday, April 25th, at 7: 30 p. m. Everyone is invited to this entertaining and worth while event and there is no admission charge.

Groups taking part in the Gospel Sing are as follows:

Trailway Quartet of Boone, N.C.; Bob Ramsey & Hensley Sisters; Prayerway Quartet of Mars Hill, N.C.; Joyfulaires from Alexander, N.C.; Smith Family from Leicester, N.C.; Bee Log Quartet from Burnsville N. C.; Clark Trio from Ashe ville; Beaverdam Quartet from Asheville, and Little Ivy Trio from Mars Hill, N.C.

The event is sponsored by the Mars Hill Civitan Club and Ed Ball is Master of Ceremonis

Will Assist Vets

The N.C. Dept. of Veteran's Affairs, will have JackC. Winchester, District Officer, in the Courthouse with the County Service Officer at Burnsville, N.C. the second and fourth Thursday of each month from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. to assist with veterans and their dependents' benefits.

Mr. Winchester stated that veterans who had more than 180 days of regular creditable active service (other than for training purposes only), on or after February 1, 1955 are entitled to education or on-job training of 1 1/2 months for each month served up to months. In some cases entitled can amount to more than 1 1/2 months for each served, but not more than 36 months total under the new G. I. Bill.

He also urged all persons who had injury or illness or other conditions which origi nated in or was aggravated by service, apply for service connection soon as convenient following separation from active

duty. There are also benefits for dependents of veterans, under certain cases following veteran's death.

For more detailed information and to make application for any benefit you should contact your Veteran Service Of-

Hospital Happenings

ADMITTED:

Atlas Hensley Milton Lewis **Ibey Laws** Mae Robinson Bergin Anglin Woodrow Wilson E. P. Blevins Nora Bradford Stephen Hammond Albert Tolly Cordelia Silvers Nadine Cooper Vernie Presnell

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