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BY H. L. FRACHISEUR

KENNETH G. DACY DACY ELECTRIC CO.

Kenneth G. Dacy, owner of the Dacy Electric company, General Electric dealer, buys, sells, trades or repairs anything electrical, located 95 Patton Ave., Asheville, has made for himself an enviable reputation as an exceptionally able and successful business executive and as a man of probity and reliability.

Mr. Dacy is deeply interested in public affairs and at all times can be counted upon to lend his interest and support to any movement or enterprise undertaken for the welfare of Asheville and her trade area.

Mr. Dacy is very active in civic affairs and in many ways has labored to further civic progress and to advance the well-being of his city, its people and its organizations. He is one of the loyal citizens that helped build Asheville and contributed greatly to making it the outstanding city it is today.

K. G. Dacy is a gentleman of estimable character and honorable instincts. A man of innate kindness, he is recognized as a leader in the business, civic and religious life of his city and is liked and respected by all, who enjoy the privilege of his friendship or acquaintance. He has won the highest confidence and esteem of his associates, as well as that of his many friends and customers of the Dacy Electric company, which has for many years stood as a pillar of strength in Asheville. It is a pleasure to congratulate Mr. Dacy upon his success in the business world and wish for him many more years of continued success with the people of Greater Asheville.

J. L. LAWRENCE, OWNER J. L. LAWRENCE, GROCERY

A leading resident of Greater Asheville, J. L. Lawrence, is prominent in civic and business affairs. He has always made himself a part of his community and state in a way that has endeared him permanently to the citizenship of all Greater Asheville.

Mr. J. L. Lawrence is owner of the J. L. Lawrence Grocery, member of A G Stores, located 219 Haywood Road, West Asheville, and has contributed to professional and business advancement. By long and honorable performance of many and various business trusts, he is entitled to the respect awarded to unquestioned integrity and fidelity to such duties; by faithful attention to his tasks and by a special devotion to the best interests of his customers, he has won the highest confidence and esteem of his associates, as well as that of the many friends and customers of the J. L. Lawrence Grocery.

No business is more important to a city that its grocery business and Mr. Lawrence is ready at all times to undertake any work in the best interest of the people. Few, if any, of Greater Asheville's businessmen have been more active or more genuinely interested in the welfare of all the people than J. L. Lawrence.

We congratulate Mr. Lawrence upon his success in the business world and the success he has attained in the grocery business, he well merits recognition for the splendid services he has so well rendered to the people. We are happy to wish for him every success in the coming years.

GUY A. WARD WARD'S DRIVE-IT-YOURSELF CO.

Guy A. Ward, executive of the Ward's Drive-It-Yourself company, late model automobiles and outboard motors, located 12 Sawyer, Asheville, has achieved substantial success and a reputation in his city and trade area as one of the foremost business leaders.

Mr. Ward has executive abilities and few men are more popular, and deserving so. In the course of his business he has the occasion to come in contact with

many citizens and to know him is to become enrolled among his friends. He has an inexhaustible fund of energy and good spirits, is unflagging in the pursuit of his business and is never dismayed by difficulty but always looks on the brighter side of any problem.

Apart from his business connections, Mr. Ward is active in civic affairs and various other phases of business life. He is an outstanding man who has fought his way to eminence and contributed greatly to the progress and betterment of his city and state. Sternly honest and courageous, he has made many friends who welcome him as a companion and esteem his character at its true worth.

Mr. Ward is a fine asset to his city and his straight-forward courage, his devotion to duty, his stern, uncompromising attitude against anything he considers wrong, his fair unusually efficient business methods is a betterment to all citizens. We are happy to congratulate Mr. Ward upon his success and wish for him the continued success he so justly deserves.

RALPH R. MCLEAN ASHEVILLE LIVESTOCK & IMPLEMENT CO.

One of Asheville's most popular and most successful business leaders is Ralph R. McLean, executive of the Asheville Livestock and Implement company, 70 N. Lexington Ave. Mr. McLean has been in business in Asheville for a number of years and is a most prominent figure in the business life. But he is not only a prominent business leader but a leader in different phases of public activity and is highly esteemed and respected.

In many and varied fields of endeavor Mr. McLean has achieved well; and his labors are of great value to his fellow citizens. He is chiefly respected and stands high in their affection because of his kindly and generous qualities of character and personality, his eagerness to help others and his warm-hearted human sympathies and understanding.

Mr. McLean is indeed a leading factor in the development of his city and is ready at all times to do his full share and more when any worthy community project is underway and he never refuses a call for aid when his services can be of help. Mr. McLean has a wide circle of friends and people always find it a pleasure to know and work with him for he always does more than his part, willing to give of his ability, his strength and means for the good of his city and state.

We take pride in complimenting Mr. McLean upon his success in the business world and wish for him many more years of successful business with the people of Asheville and her great trade area.

GUEST OF NIECE

Mrs. James B. Hastings of Chapel Hill, Tenn., is a guest of her niece, Mrs. R. E. Mumpower.



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In Memoriam

PFC. JAMES H. GARRIS
Funeral services for Pfc. James H. Garriss, 27, killed during the invasion of Normandy June 23, 1944 were held Sunday at 2 o'clock at Berea Baptist church. The Rev. Troy Lunsford, the Rev. A. D. Smith, and the Rev. Wayne Williams officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers were Lee Bradley, Clarence Brank, Minford Kilby, Carl Burch, James Wilson and Herman Morgan. The body was taken to the home Saturday afternoon.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Dora Banks Garriss; a daughter, Jimmie Elaine; the father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Garriss of Farmville; three sisters, Mrs. Louise Dixon of Oteen and Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. M. R. Lovick of Kinston and Mrs. Lloyd Griffin of Jacksonville, N. C., a brother Horace of Long Island, N. Y.

Pfc. Garriss entered the service in June, 1941, and trained at Camp Wheeler, Ga., and Fort Bragg. He served in North Africa and Sicily before participating in the invasion. He was a member of the ninth division, 47th infantry.

Formerly of Farmville, he had lived in the Swannanoa and Oteen sections since 1934.

Rockwell-Ballew post, American Legion, conducted graveside services.

Harrison funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

MRS. J. P. MATHEWS

Mrs. J. P. Mathews, 69, died Friday night in an Asheville hospital following a long illness.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Mountain View Baptist church in the North Fork section of Black Mountain with the Rev. Eugene Byrd, officiating.

Survivors include the husband; a daughter, Mrs. L. O. Poteat; two sons, James Mathews of Swannanoa, and Fred Mathews of Black Mountain; three brothers, George Burnett and Robert Burnett of Black Mountain; Austin Burnett of Waynesville; two grandchildren, Nancy and Kenneth Poteat.

Pallbearers were W. S. Holcombe, Thad Burnett, D. C. Hamby, F. E. Stepp, T. B. Morris, R. P. Abernathy.

Harrison funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

MRS. CORDIE K. MOSER

Funeral services for Mrs. Cordie King Moser, 73, who died at her home, 73rd road, were held at Swannanoa with the Rev. T. J. ... officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers were Latt McMahan, Ed McMahan, Charles Y. Fortune, Albert Richardson, L. O. Vess and James Wilson.

Surviving are the husband, D. L. Moser; six sons, Artus, Fred, David L., Caswell and Richard, all of Swannanoa, and Virgil of Biltmore, Robert A. Cordell and Mrs. W. Paul Young of Swannanoa; two sisters, Mrs. Florence Clevenger of Canton and Mrs. Nora Sprouse of Oteen and a brother, Annon King of Swannanoa.

Harrison funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

BACK ON VISIT

Anna Marie Bunnell of Fayetteville, N. C., is spending this week and next in Black Mountain. She is visiting various girls with whom she was in school last year.

FROM PENNSYLVANIA

Miss Christine Spracker and her mother of Port Allegany, Pa., drove down the first of the month for a visit with Miss Myrtle Johnson.

MISS MORGAN ENTERTAINS

Miss A. J. Morgan was hostess to the Hatchin' Patch club last Friday night at her home. Following an evening of sewing refreshments were served to Mrs. Burrell Hoscher, Mrs. Chet Sobol and Mrs. Carl Myers.

VISIT THE WRENNS

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Watkins and Miss Minnie Johnson of Raleigh, N. C., spent last week with

Mrs. Betty Wrenn and family, Mrs. Watkins and Miss Johnson are Mrs. Wrenn's nieces.

HEARD AT HICKORY

The Rev. H. W. Baucom of Black Mountain supplied at two churches during the past two weeks. On Sunday, July 11, he preached at the Baptist church at Hickory, N. C., and on July 18 at a Baptist church southeast of Lumberton.

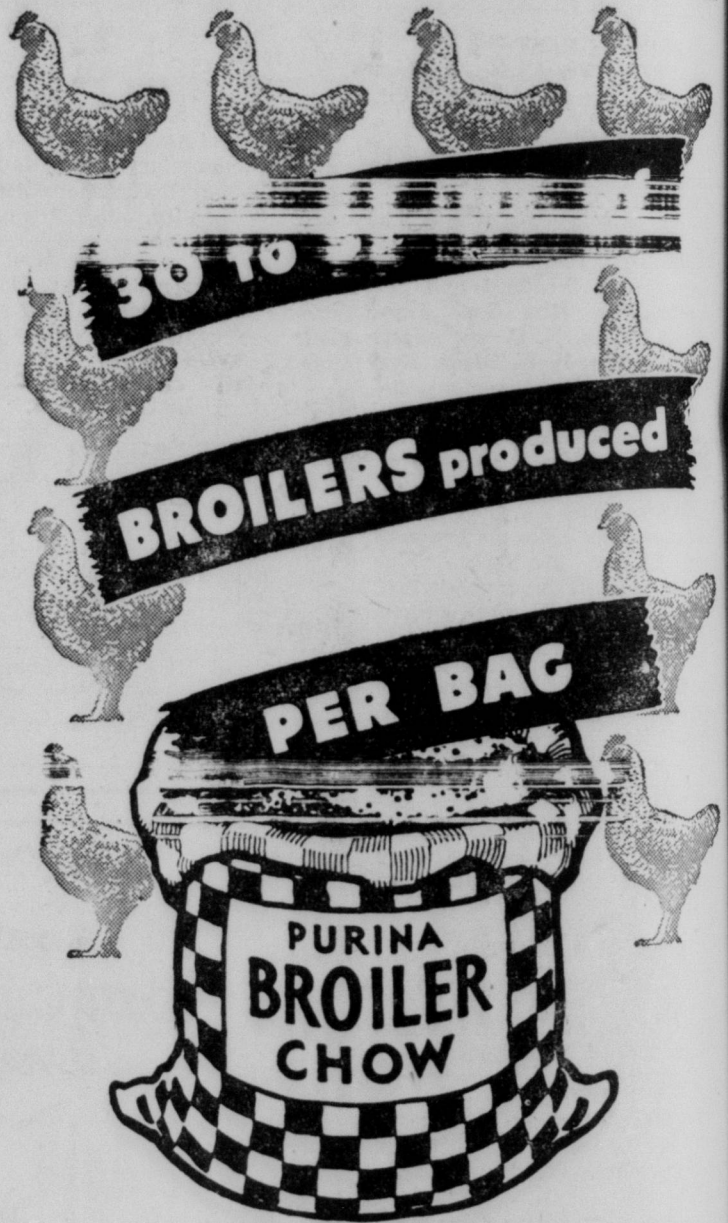
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