

Deaths And Funerals

CARL DOUGLAS ANDREWS
Carl Douglas Andrews, 63, of Route 1, Supply, died Jan. 4 at The Brunswick Hospital. He was formerly of Chadburn.

The funeral was held Feb. 7 at Worthington Funeral Home Chapel, by the Rev. Ray Lundy. Burial was in Powell Cemetery, Fair Bluff.

Survivors include two sons, Wayne D. Andrews of Lumberton and Walter Lee Andrews of Middletown, Ohio; his mother, Clara Edwards Andrews of Chadburn; six brothers, William Andrews of Clayton, Ga., Johnny Andrews of Chapel Hill, and Frank Andrews, F.W. Andrews and Robert Allen Andrews, all of Chadburn; three sisters, Eva Jewell Little of Fair Bluff and Alice Nobles and Louise Terry, both of Chadburn; and five grandchildren.

ALFRED ROY TONEY
Alfred Roy Toney, 73, of Boiling Spring Lakes, died Feb. 5 at Doshier Memorial Hospital, Southport. He was a retired lockmaster with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and a former mayor of Boiling Spring Lakes.

A private graveside service was held Feb. 8 at Greenlawn Memorial Park, Wilmington, followed by a memorial service at Southport Presbyterian Church. Officiating were Dr. Murray Page and the Rev. Frank Elliott.

Toney was born Nov. 16, 1917, in Tien Tsin, China, a son of the late Vallie Emerson and Hannah Rita Vangler Toney. He moved to Boiling Spring Lakes from Montgomery, W.Va., in 1973. He was a World War II veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corps. He was an elder of Southport Presbyterian Church, a member of the Masonic Lodge in Racine, Ohio, the Chapter Council and Commandery in Pomeroy, Ohio, and Oak Island Chapter No. 371, Order of Eastern Star, past worthy patron in Ohio and W.Va., a life member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and a member of the Coast Guard Auxiliary.

Survivors include his wife, Elizabeth Orr Toney of the home; a son, Alfred Roy Toney Jr. of Cross Lanes,

W.Va.; four daughters, Rebecca Parsons of Conyers, Ga., Mrs. Bill J. (Mary Elizabeth) Barton of Parkersburg, W.Va., Mrs. David (Dorothy) Holmes of Culoden, W.Va., and Mrs. Harold (Mae Marie) Deel of Asheville; a stepmother, Dora Toney of Point Pleasant, W.Va.; two brothers, Howard Toney of Nitro, W.Va., and Vallie Tony Jr. of Mission, Texas; three sisters, Mrs. Hugh (Mae) Miller of Houston, Texas, Mrs. Walter (Martha Blanche) Justice of Columbus, Ohio, and Mrs. Bill (Frances) Roberts of Tampa, Fla.; and 15 grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made to Boiling Spring Lakes Volunteer Rescue Squad or Fire Department or Southport Presbyterian Church.

ELWOOD RUSSELL SARGENT

Elwood "Al" Russell Sargent, 82, of Wadesboro died Feb. 5 in Anson County Hospital, Wadesboro. He was a retired control room operator with Carolina Power & Light Company's Blewitt Falls Plant at Lilesville.

The funeral was Feb. 7 in Forestville United Methodist Church, Lilesville, conducted by the Rev. Barry Sutton, pastor, and the Rev. Mack Armstrong. Entombment was in the church cemetery.

Born Aug. 18, 1908, in Virginia Beach, Va., he was the son of the late Benjamin Franklin and Augusta Bender Suderman Sargent.

Survivors include his wife, Edna Morgan Sargent of the home; a son, Elwood Russell Sargent Jr. of Salem, Va.; a stepson, Bill Snyder Jr. of Cary; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Preston (Betty) Kelly of Fayetteville; a half brother, Vance Sargent of Glendale, Calif.; a half sister, Mary Ellen Wilkins of Shallotte; four grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Forestville United Methodist Church, Lilesville, N.C. 28091.

JOHN GOODMAN FULFORD
John Goodman Fulford, 74, of Route 4, Supply, died Feb. 8 in the New Hanover Regional Medical Center, Wilmington. He was a retired seafood dealer.

The funeral was Feb. 11 at Sabbath Home Baptist Church, Supply, with the Rev. Tommy Fields, the Rev. Sidney Britt and the Rev. Weston Varnum officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Fulford was born in Supply on April 6, 1916, the son of the late John L. and Rebecca Fulford. He was a member of Sabbath Home Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Jettie Mae Phelps Fulford of the home; a son, Freddie Fulford of Supply; a daughter, Geraldine Elliott of Supply; two brothers, Ellis Fulford and Eunice Fulford, both of Supply; two sisters, Curtie Caison and Christine Coleman, both of Supply; five grandchildren, Jeremie Elliott, Jarrett Elliott, Gretchen Elliott, Shannon Stone and Jodi Fulford; and a great-grandson, Blake Stone.

EDWARD M. BABSON
Edward M. Babson, 57, of Route 1, Ash, died Feb. 6 at his residence.

The funeral was Feb. 9 at New Britton Baptist Church, Ash, with burial in the church cemetery.

LLOYD STACY MCKEITHAN
Lloyd Stacy McKeithan, 76, of Star Route 2, Ash, died Feb. 10 in The Brunswick Hospital, Supply. He had retired after 20 years as a chief petty officer in the U.S. Navy.

The funeral was held Feb. 12 in the Brunswick Funeral Service Chapel, Shallotte, with the Rev. Maurice Milligan officiating. Burial was in Brunswick Memorial Gardens, Shallotte.

McKeithan was born in Exum on March 5, 1914, to the late Alexander and Rebecca Ann Simmons McKeithan. He was preceded in death by his wife, Lillie Frances King McKeithan, on April 13, 1990.

Survivors include a son, Harold McKeithan of Shallotte; a daughter, Linda Yvonne Williamson of Tabor City; a brother, Roy McKeithan of Ash; and four grandchildren; Ricky S. McKeithan, Michael Darren McKeithan, Becky Williamson and Amy Williamson.

BERTHA MILLIGAN COX
Bertha Milligan Cox, 75, of Tabor City, died Feb. 10 in Loris Community Hospital, Loris, S.C.

The funeral was Feb. 12 in Sandy Plain Baptist Church, with the Rev. Robert Gaskins and the Rev. Bill Williams officiating. Burial was in Norris Cemetery.

Mrs. Cox was born in Columbus County, a daughter of the late Christenberry and Miriam Rhodes Milligan. She was the widow of James Hazelton Cox.

Survivors include a son, Winston Cox of Tabor City; three daughters, Muriel C. Chestnut of Conway, S.C., Carol Knight of Palm Harbor, Fla., and Pat Brown of Wilmington; a brother, Roland Milligan of Tabor City; four sisters, Ruby Canady and Mattie Suggs, both of Nakina, Dora Ward of Leland and Thelma Butler of Fayetteville; nine grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

IONA HOLDEN McCLUNG
Iona (Mickie) Holden McClung, 75, died Feb. 2 in Imperial Beach, Calif.

The funeral was Feb. 7 at Pinkham-Mitchell Mortuary, with entombment in Glen Abby Memorial Park, Bonita, Calif.

Born May 17, 1915, in Brunswick County, she was a daughter of the late Rufus D. and Janie Gertrude Pigott Holden.

She was a registered nurse for 30 years, serving hospitals in Lumberton, Camden, S.C., and Texarkana, Texas, and retiring from Imperial Beach Clinic.

Survivors include her husband, Walter F. McClung of the home; a daughter, Gail Pettus of San Diego, Calif.; a son, Rocke McClung, serving with the U.S. Air Force in the Philippines; a brother, Ernest D. Holden of Ocean Isle Beach; two sisters, Evelyn Gunnerson of Supply and Lucille Kirby of Shallotte; two grandchildren; Heather McClung and Jason McClung; several nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

Calabash Presbyterian Church
Worship Services Sunday 9:30 AM
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The Family Of Snode Lancaster would like to express our deep appreciation to our friends for all their love, support and gifts of cards, flowers and food during the loss of our loved one.

Thank you,
Joyce Robinson, Phillip Lancaster, Norma Manessa

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

Lenten Workshops Set

A series of Lenten workshops sponsored by Calabash Presbyterian Church continues Tuesdays at 10 a.m. through March 26.

The sessions are held at the church office, which is located at the back of Calabash Barber Shop, said the Rev. Francis Womack, pastor.

"This is a hands-on study of the symbols of Lenten," he said. "We are making banners and other items that help us understand the meaning of Lent."

Ruth Cheney is coordinating the workshop series, which is open to all interested individuals.

Turkey Dinner Set

Bethel United Methodist Women will sponsor a turkey dinner Friday, Feb. 15, at 11 a.m. at the church on U.S. 17 in Bolivia.

Plates will include turkey, dressing, potato salad, string beans, cranberry sauce and rolls and are \$3.50 each.

Plates will be available to eat in or to take out. For take-out orders, call 253-4066.

Honoring Seniors

Baptist churches and organizations across Brunswick County will be honoring senior citizens with sweet-heart banquets, luncheons and dinners during Valentine's Day week, Feb. 11-16, according to Ouida Hewett, chairman of the Christian Social Ministries Committee of the Brunswick Baptist Association.

"I urge you to plan, work with and do for our seniors this week," she said. Examples of action might include visiting a shut-in, taking a meal, flowers or a plant for them to enjoy, running an errand for a senior, or calling a senior on the telephone.

Seniors To Meet

The Creative Christians of Shallotte First Baptist Church will meet Thursday, Feb. 28, at 11 a.m. in the church fellowship hall for its monthly luncheon program.

A "Poor Boy" lunch is planned at 12 noon by the food committee led by Lila Hester. M.A. Abernathy will lead a session on crafts for spring.

All seniors age 55 and up from the surrounding area are invited to attend, said Orrian Holden, president.

Those planning to attend are asked to call Mable S. Hewett, 754-6037, for reservations.

John Watkins of Shallotte Point spoke at the January meeting.

St. Luke Lutheran Church
Worship Service Sunday, 10:00 A.M.
Sunday School at 9:00 a.m.
Meeting In Shallotte Middle School
754-7816

CEDAR GROVE AREA NEWS

Salute Role Models This Month

BY BARBARA T. HEWETT

I'd like to salute my mother, Cora Lee Turner, and the Choirs Confederation in the first of a series of salutes to individuals and organizations during Black History Month, a time for recalling the accomplishments of America's forgotten and

oppressed brothers and sisters who made their contribution unwillingly in slavery, whose descendants instead of picking cotton with bleeding or frostbit hands now help to pick presidents.

Hats Off To Mom
Cora Lee Turner and her husband, the late Leroy Turner, a native of Statesville, are the parents of 11 children. I am the only one who remains in North Carolina.

Of these children, two are correctional counselors, in Maryland and New Jersey; two are schoolteachers in North Carolina and Maryland; three are postal clerks and carriers in Virginia and Connecticut; two are nurse assistants; one is a merchant mariner and another a Class A welder.

This Feb. 12 she celebrates her 81st birthday, with her daughters traveling from distances to be with her.

Singers Deserve Credit
The Choirs Confederation was hosted Feb. 10 by the church where it originated nearly a half century ago, Piney Grove Free Will Baptist Church of Bolivia.

One of the earliest cultural resources in Brunswick County, it was organized solely for the purpose of uniting in songs of praise. Deserving

recognition for their participation are these churches: St. John, Zion Hill, Piney Grove, Rutland Chapel, Southport First Baptist, Big Macedonia, Little Macedonia, Cedar Grove, St. James, Bethlehem, Kendall Chapel and Christian Chapel.

Also, hats off to Richard Randolph, the deacon who helped found the group and continues in a leadership role; layman Hodges Morgans of Cedar Grove and Jackilyn Bellamy of Kendall Chapel.

Past leaders who are now deceased included Phlander Roosevelt, Hankins I and Dollie Evans.

The public is always invited to attend the choir's monthly programs.

Hewett To Speak
Cedar Grove is fortunate to have in its midst a young minister of such stature as to be asked to speak at the Ocean View Associational annual "mass" meeting, Ruben Gregory Hewett, son of Ruben and Evelyn Hewett, natives of the area.

Tune In
Listen to WVCB (1410 AM) in Shallotte on Thursdays at 3 p.m. and Saturdays at 10:15 a.m. for the Cedar Grove Area News. On Sunday evenings, tune in for the Moments of Inspiration gospel music program.

Birthday Greetings

Happy birthday to Cora Lee Turner, James Emanuel Livingstone, Janice Bryant, Trenzy Williams, Herbert Williams II, Lorraine Williams, Sylvia Kim Marlowe, Louise Bryant Rourk, Wayne Flowers, Mazelle Laura Bryant, Rodrick Gause and Tiffany Bernard.

Weekly Scripture

This week's Scripture comes from Daniel 7 and continues the prophetic sayings, "I saw in the night vision and behold one like the Son of Man came with the clouds of heaven and came to the Ancient of Days, whose hair of his head was like pure wool, his garment white as snow, his feet were as fine polished brass, his throne was like the fiery flame and his wheels as burning fire.

A fiery stream issued and came forth from before him; thousands and thousands ministered unto him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood before him: the judgment was set and the books were opened.

Thank You

My family and I would like to thank all the friends, co-workers, churches and a lot more who have gone out of their way to help us in our deepest time of need. God bless each and every one of you.

The Byrd Family

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