

## Final Rites Held For Mrs. Parker

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Grover Baptist church in Grover, for Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Parker, 73, widow of the late William T. Parker, of Kings Mountain, who died Wednesday morning around one o'clock at a Charlotte hospital after several years illness.

Dr. Smoot Baker, pastor of the church, officiated, assisted by Rev. W. L. Pressly, pastor of Boyce Memorial A. R. P. church, of Kings Mountain, of which she was a member. Burial was in Grover cemetery.

She was a native of Kings Mountain but had been a resident of Grover for the last 22 years. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William (Billie) Ware.

She had been living with a daughter in Grover since the death of her husband.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Arthur B. Davis of Grover, two stepchildren, W. G. Parker, of Shelby, and Mrs. W. C. Laney of Brookford, two brothers, Luther and Calvin Ware, of Kings Mountain, one sister, Mrs. J. F. Hambright, of Grover, and seven grandchildren.

India leads the world in peanut production.

### FACTS ABOUT BEER

## From the Census of Manufactures

The U. S. Census of Manufactures supplies what is probably the most authoritative index of an industry's place in the national economy.

Preliminary reports for 1947, the first business census since 1939, are now being released by the Government. They show that the brewing industry makes a valuable contribution to the nation's welfare and economy.

The Government report shows that in 1947, the brewing industry paid out \$292,000,000 in both wages and salaries, spent \$509,000,000 for materials, supplies, containers, fuel and contract work, and another \$111,000,000 for new plants and equipment—making a total of approximately \$912,000,000.

The brewing industry employed 82,524 persons—63,668 of them being engaged in production and other related operations. This latter group averaged \$3,300 per year per worker—one of the highest wage averages to be found in any American industry.

For three centuries beer and ale have contributed to moderation and temperance in America. The Census report confirms that economically, too, beer's legal sale and manufacture is an American asset worth preserving.

UNITED STATES BREWERS FOUNDATION

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## Kings Mountain Boys Sweep Gaston Derby

GASTONIA.—Two brothers raced in the championship heat Saturday afternoon in the third running of the Gaston Textile Soap Box Derby, and it was the older brother, Gene, who won out over Darrell Austin of Kings Mountain.

The Austin boys are the sons of Frank Austin of Kings Mountain. Gene placed second in the second annual event last Summer, barely being edged out by Johnny Richardson, of Belmont.

Darrell automatically clinched second place, and placing third and fourth respectively were two Gastonia lads, Bobby Gray and Curtis Williams. It was the third race for nine-year-old Curtis.

A crowd of around 600 saw the third annual Derby, sponsored by the Gastonia Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Since the Charlotte Derby was held earlier this season, a winner here missed out on a chance to compete for a chance to enter the national finals in Akron. However, those in the top-four bracket received trophies and various prizes.

Judges were T. T. Morris, Morris Motor Company; Evan Glenn, Smith Chevrolet; and Richard Earl Thomas, Thomas Motor Company.

Buddy Coffey of Lincolnton won the workmanship trophy.

## Burlington Bullets Win 22nd Straight

The Burlington "Bullets" won their 22nd consecutive victory of the year without defeat on Monday afternoon by beating the Negro All-Stars by a score of 14 to 2. Hugh Tompkins racked up his 11th win of the year as against 4 defeats. Tompkins fanned six batters while walking 5. Jr. Hartsoe and Jim Cobb led the hitting with 3 hits in 4 trips to the plate.

All-Stars	AB	R	H
Taylor, 1b	4	0	1
Cherry, 2b	3	0	0
D. Bennis, rf	3	1	1
Bialock, p, ss	3	0	1
Rhodes, lf	2	0	1
Roseberry, 3b	2	0	0
J. Bennis, c	3	0	1
Adams, ss, p	3	0	1
L. Brown, cf	1	0	0
P. Brown, p	0	1	0

Burlington	AB	R	H
Smith, 2b	5	1	3
Hartsoe, ss	4	2	3
K. Spencer, c	5	2	3
Cobb, 1b	4	2	3
McDaniel, cf	3	2	1
Valentine, lf	3	1	1
Morgan, rf	3	1	0
Hope, rf	1	0	0
B. Spencer, 3b	4	2	2
Tompkins, p	2	1	1

Burlington	021	371	0	14	17	3
All-Stars	100	000	1	2	6	3

### BULLETS TAKE PAIR

The Burlington Bullets won number 19 and number 20 by beating Grover's Indians July 21 at Grover and nipping Forest City last Friday 10-9. There Junior Hartsoe notched his 9th and 10th wins.

Burlington	102	311	000	8	9	4
Grover	400	010	000	5	6	3

B. Spencer, Hartsoe and K. Spencer Moore, Hambright and Keeter.

Burlington	080	200	050	10	12	5
Forest City	600	111	000	9	5	3

B. Spencer, Hartsoe and K. Spencer; Cosley and Grant.

## Negro News

By Mrs. Cannie Gordon

Mrs. Ollie Reed of Gastonia visited her mother last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burleson Lee Watson announce the birth of a son last Saturday, July 23.

Rev. F. B. Falls is a patient at the Shelby hospital.

TRINITY AME ZION CHURCH

P. B. Falls, Minister  
Sunday—  
10:00 Sunday school.  
11:00 Morning service.  
7:00 Christian Endeavor.  
7:30 Evening service.  
Wednesday, p. 30 p. m., Mid-week prayer service.

GOOD HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. A. M. Foster, Pastor  
Sunday school 10 a. m.  
Morning worship 11 a. m.  
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.  
First and third Sundays.

MOUNT ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. R. L. Garvin, Pastor  
Preaching every first and third Sundays.  
Sunday School, 10 a. m.  
W. M. Briggs, Supt.  
Morning worship 11 a. m.  
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.

STYON CHAPEL AME ZION CHURCH

Rev. J. D. Hamilton, Pastor  
Sunday school 10:00 a. m.  
R. J. Brown, Supt.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor 7:00 p. m.  
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.

MOUNT OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. J. A. White, Pastor  
Sunday school 10 a. m.  
J. A. Ross, Supt.  
Morning worship 11 a. m.  
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.  
Second and Fourth Sundays.

ADAM'S CHAPEL AME ZION CHURCH

Rev. S. I. Clement, Pastor  
Sunday school 10:00 a. m.  
A. A. McClain, Supt.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.

VESTIBULE AME ZION CHURCH

Rev. S. I. Clement, Pastor  
Sunday school 10:00 a. m.  
G. G. Bailey, Supt.  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
Afternoon service 2:30 p. m.  
First and third Sundays.

UNITY AME ZION CHURCH

P. B. Falls, Minister  
10:00 Church school.  
11:00 Morning worship.

ST. PAUL METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. J. W. Gamble, Pastor  
Church school 10:00 a. m.  
Mrs. Daisy L. Smith, Supt.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.

EBENEZER BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. D. A. Costner, Pastor  
Sunday school 10:30 a. m.  
Everett Ramsey, Supt.  
Morning Worship 11:30 a. m.  
B. T. U. 6:30, Howard Roberts.

president.  
Second and fourth Sunday.

GALLILEE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. J. W. Gamble, Pastor  
Church school 10:00 a. m.  
J. V. Barrie, Supt.  
Morning worship 11 a. m.  
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.  
First and third Sundays.

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