## **Grover Churches Held Bible School** Commencement; 80 Awards Given

ed on Friday at the First Baptist

A picnic dinner was served on Charlotte. the lawn of the church at noon. Commencement exercises were fortune of fracturing a toe while held on Friday evening with the at work at the Minette Mills on awarding of certificates to 80 Monday. children for perfect attendance.

at the Shiloh Presbyterian church Watterson on Tuesday. Mrs. with the awarding of certificates Clyde Rhea and Mrs. Clyde Ranto those who had attended last dall are the leaders,

Circle No. 1 of Shiloh Presbyterian church met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. V. Kiser. Circle No. 2 of Shiloh Presby-

of Mrs. W. B. Harry. The meetings were weil attended. Miss Audrey Hope of Raleigh on duty in Cuba,

is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Hope. friends here Saturday.

Billy Ray Kiser, serving with the navy air force in Naples; Ita-

Mrs. R. B. Keeter, Mrs. Roy Houser, and Mrs. Bill Camp visited friends and relatives in Spindale and Rutherfordton on Wednesday. Gene Carner is spending sev-

eral weeks with Glenn Carner and Morris Carner of Evansville, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Ramsey

visited Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ram. Tate. sey of Gastonia, recently, Mrs. Lola Dillingham has been

sick for a few days. John Harry is at home after and Mrs. B. A. Harry, Sr. being a patient in Kings Moun-

GROVER — Bible School closdin the Shelby hospital.
d on Friday at the First Baptist Mrs. R. E. Hambright is a patient in the Memorial hospital at

Hunter Ramsey had the mis-

The Junior G. A.'s of the First Bible School closed on Sunday Baptist Church met with Faye The Intermediate G. A.'s met

B. Ellis are their leaders.

laughters Jane and Anne of Virterian church met at the home ginia Beach are spending several today. "Eighty-two percent of all you consider the population of

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lattimore Craig and William M. Bonner at ed," Miss Lowder declared, Mt. Holly on Saturday.

"Mag" Wells, and Mr. and Mrs. ly, spent the weekend with his Al Herndon and son, Gerald spent parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Ki Sunday with Miss Marie Herndon of Kannapolis,

Mr. and Mrs. Beck Wright and Monday afternoon, family are spending the week at

Crescent Beach and family are spending the week recently

at Crescent Beach. Sherwood Tate, USN, of Norhis parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C.

Donald Woods, USA, of Shaw Field, Sumter, S. C., spent the weekend with his wife and Mr.

The Sunbeans of the First Baptist church met with their leader, Mrs. Park Moore is a patient Mrs. Alvah Bridges, on Monday M. McCarter,

By Leola M. Byerly, Pield Rep. Gastomia Social Security Office

At the end of February 1953 with Hilda Herndon on Tuesday over 5,200,000 persons were draw-Mrs. James Blalock and Mrs. ing Pederal old-age and survivors curity payments because they insurance benefits, Miss Marga-Mrs. Benjamin H. Field and ret H. Lowder of the Gastonia ly income due to retirement or social security field office said death of the wage earner, "When weeks with her parents, Mr. and jobs are now covered by this pro- your individual neighborhood and Mrs. M. C. Hardin while Field is gram, and over 66 1/2 million per realize that about four out of five sons have been working long Miss Lola Faye Hardin attend enough in covered employment this insurance or are drawing ed the wedding of Miss Ruth or self - employment to be insur-

of Polkville visited relatives and the First Presbyterian church at This means, in most cases, that has on the community," Miss if the worker dies, his family Lowder declared. Mrs. J. L. Herndon, Miss could draw monthly payments,

afternoon. Mrs. Harry Roark took her Sunday class on a swimming par-

their daughter, Mrs. Jolly Dun- about this law, or wanting to file Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cockrell can, and Mr. Duncan of Marion a claim, to make inquiry there. David Carner spent several

folk, Va. spent the week end with Mrs. Carson Carner of Columbia. Frank Sheppard spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Newton of Casar.

Mrs. C. M. McCarter visited Roy Houser. Mr. and Mrs. Starr Chambers of Rock Hill recently.

Mrs. Edna Jackson of Shelby ces will probably begin in late spent the weekend with Mrs. C.

which would help offset the loss of income due to his death. Also, many of these workers who are nearing retirement age, will be able to quit work and still have a check coming in each month.

Miss Lowder said that monthly benefit amounts were increased by the Social Security Act amendments of 1950 and again in 1952, so that, as of January 1953, the average amount of monthly benefits to a retired wage earner without dependents is now about \$47.25 per month. For a retired worker with benefits based on earnings since 1950, the average monthly benefit is about \$65.

She pointed out that the econo-

mic security of the community is strengthened by these social sesupplant, in part, the loss of famipeople are either protected by benefits under this program, it is easy to see the direct effect it

The Social Security Administration field office, a part of the new U. S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, is locaty to the community center on ed at 212 West Second Avenue in Gastonia. Miss Lowder urges any-Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Tate visited one desiring further information Or see the representative from the Gastonia office who visits at days with his brother, Pfc. and the City Hall in Kings Mountain on the first and third Mondays of each month at 9:30 a. m.)

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Houser of Kings Mountain spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

A seasonal decline in hog prisummer. Pork prices have risen steadily so far this year.



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