

W. B. Burton's Rites Conducted

Funeral rites for William Baxter Burton, 76, were held Sunday at 3 p. m. from Patterson Grove Baptist church, of which he was a member.

Mr. Burton died Saturday following an extended illness. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Burton.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Hattie Arnold Burton; two sons, David Burton of Kings Mountain and Odell Burton of Gastonia; three daughters, Mrs. Winslow Spurling, Mrs. Harold Hoynecutt and Mrs. Willie Wright, all of Kings Mountain; a brother, June Burton of Shelby; a half-sister, Mrs. Ross Biddix of Kings Mountain; 13 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Rev. Fred Hicks, Rev. Flay Payne, Rev. Buddy Williams and Rev. W. H. Redmond officiated at the final rites and interment was in the church cemetery.

Letter To Editor

The Editor:

I would like to express my sincere appreciation for the forthright editorial in Thursday's Kings Mountain Herald. We are deeply grateful for your support of our project, Teaching Bible in the City Schools, and certainly believe that the community will respond to our needs to continue this project.

Thank you very kindly for your effort in our behalf.

Cordially yours,
PAUL K. AUSLEY,
Chairman Teaching Bible in the City Schools.

Lawson Allen In New Post

LAURINBURG, N. C. — W. Lawson Allen has been appointed coordinator of student services at St. Andrews Presbyterian College.

Mr. Allen, formerly vice-president of Gardner-Webb College, works with the dean of students, business manager and dean of the faculty as liaison officer. He shares jointly with the associate dean of students the concerns for program activities and use of student facilities.

"We are very happy to have Mr. Allen complete the staff planned for the student services area," Dean of the Faculty Price H. Gwynn, Jr., said in announcing the appointment.

"He brings rich experience to the campus of St. Andrews College," Dr. Gwynn said. "As director of the student center, his leadership in business management and in personnel relations will be invaluable in coordinating the programs of services and activities," he added.

A native of Swain County, Mr. Allen earned his B. S. degree from Western Carolina College and Master's in religious education from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas. He studied also at Wake Forest College, University of Tennessee and Southern Baptist Seminary, Louisville.

Mr. Allen is listed in "Who's Who in American Education" and is active in church affairs and civic groups including Lions Club and Rotary Club.

The University of Illinois fencing team is learning to dance the twist. Head coach says it's ideal exercise to loosen muscles.

To The Editor:

Concerning our high school bonds for Kings Mountain, I do hope that the bonds will carry. I think the reason that our State bonds were defeated were that they were out of line for North Carolina because there were too high. I believe if they had been 35 million instead of 65 million that they would have carried. I hope that our school bonds will carry here when we vote on them.

I have always voted for good schools. When I went to school, we only attended three months a year, and walked six miles a day (three miles each way), back in the 1890's. I am very glad that our children have better opportunities than we did then.

I think that if the unjust sales tax had not been put on food and medicine, and our State bonds had been smaller, they would have carried. If they had put the tax on whiskey, wine, and beer, where it belongs, I think that the State bonds would have passed. I wrote Mr. Bob Morgan, our Senator, and he wrote me a nice letter saying that he would do everything in his power to keep the tax off of food and medicine. But I think the ABC supporters put so much pressure on our representatives that they did not give it much attention. Do you know that North Carolina liquor stores sales last year was \$8.2 million according to the Biblical Recorder and wine and beer were approximately the same? Together this makes \$16.4 million on whiskey, wine, and beer, and would have built more than 16 high schools a year. I hope that we will get this unjust tax where it belongs.

Respectfully yours,
W. D. WEAVER.

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AF Recruiting Drive Begins

"The Air Force Recruiting drive is aimed at the high school graduates," local Air Force Recruiting Sergeant May stated today.

"We'd like to clarify this point as much as possible," he explained, "because today's high school graduate is the target of so much advertising and publicity... much of it conflicting... that he gets confused on this point."

The Sergeant stated that this is what 'sets the Air Force apart in a class by itself.' "We make no bones about it," the Sergeant went on. "We want high school graduates. While it's true that sometimes we take non-graduates, in every case they must make the same score... often a higher score, than the graduate on our entrance tests."

Sergeant May cautioned today's graduates to 'beware of imitations' of the Air Force enlistment system which allows an applicant to aptitude test before enlistment in order to determine what type of training he is best suited for. "Just because it melts like the seventy cent spread does not mean it's butter," he explained. "By the same token, just because it sounds like the Air Force enlistment system doesn't make it the same thing."

Further information concerning the Air Force enlistment may be obtained without obligation, from the Air Force Recruiting Office, 2nd floor, Postoffice, in Gastonia. In Kings Mountain at the Postoffice each Wednesday morning until 10:00.

N. C. Population To Five Million In 1966-67

While the exact time is unpredictable, North Carolina's population is expected to hit the 5 million mark in 1966 or 1967.

"Certainly, it should not be no later than the first half of '67," says Dr. Selz C. Mayo, head of the Department of Rural Sociology at North Carolina State College.

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More New Foods On Market

Frozen pies and tarts — orange juice flakes — meals in a box — Who would have thought it 20 or 30 years ago?

In the U. S. Department of Agriculture's utilization laboratories, located in four regions of the country, scientists are working on sweet potato flakes, a par-boiled wheat product called bulgur, a bean powder that does away with soaking and boiling, whole egg powder, vegetable chips, and dried honey.

And there's help on the way for the housewife who despairs of the time it takes to prepare the so-called convenience foods. To make instant foods live up to their name, researchers are looking for ways to cut down the cooking time of dehydrated potato and vegetable products. Really "instant" foods, they say, are not too far away.

Already on the market, though sold mainly to outdoors men and institutional users, are freeze-dried foods — foods that have been dehydrated under vacuum while frozen. These foods — meats, fruits, vegetables, even casserole dishes — keep on the cupboard shelf for long periods of time. And there is no shuffling or toughening of the product. When reconstituted, they are just as tasty, just as plum as they were in the beginning.

Dehydrofrozen foods are already on the market. To use these, simply add water, thaw, and cook. They taste much the same as other frozen foods.

When firemen in Ettingham, ran out of water battling a fire, a young fellow saved the day by pulling the flaming section of the house loose with the steel cable of his auto wrecking truck.

John Warwick or Wesley Bush

About this question: "Winter time means home heating time and, of course, more exercise for the fire engines. What bothers me most is the difference in value between our present home and the cost of replacing it. Can homes be insured to full replacement value rather than to depreciated value?"

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"Twist" Results In Injuries

Hospital Care Association has paid its first claim for a member injured doing the Twist.

The first Blue Cross casualty, Patrice Plummer, 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Plummer, Route 1, Chapel Hill, was hospitalized at Watts Hospital for six days for surgery and treatment of a fractured kneecap suffered while doing the new dance craze at a teen-age party.

Her family's Blue Cross coverage with Hospital Care paid the \$232 hospital bill in full.

Patrice, freshman at Hillsboro High School, has almost completely recovered from the injury and is now participating in all normal teen-age activities except physical education — and the Twist.

Patrice now has reservations about the dance sensation that has drawn frowns from orthopedists. Her mother, a licensed practical nurse who is taking an operating room course at Watts Hospital, quotes Patrice as saying after the accident, "I don't want to hear anyone even mention the Twist again!"

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of shareholders of
KINGS MOUNTAIN SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION

will be held at the offices of the association, Kings Mountain, N. C., at 2 p. m., Tuesday, February 13, 1962, for the presentation of annual reports, election of directors, and for the transaction of such other business as might properly come before the shareholders.

BEN H. BRIDGES,
Secretary-Treasurer
1:25 - 2:1

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