

Wilson Rites Thursday At 2

Funeral rites for Mrs. Rosie Wilson, of route 1, will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. from Mt. Pisgah Baptist church with Rev. J. H. Lewis officiating.

Mrs. Wilson died Tuesday morning in the Kings Mountain hospital.

She is survived by eight daughters, Mrs. Lula Earl of Belmont, Mrs. Geneva Smith and Mrs. Anna Bell Bank of Lawndale, Mrs. Hazel Bridges and Miss Marie Wilson of Waco, Mrs. Lillie Mae Ross of Boiling Springs, Mrs. Margaret Leary and Mrs. Susie Smith of Kings Mountain; three sons, Ernest Wilson of Shelby, Clarence Wilson of Dayton, Ohio, and Will Wilson of Gastonia; two sisters, Mrs. Annie Floyd of Harrisburg, Pa., and Mrs. Ophelia Sanders of Gastonia; two brothers, Charlie Worth of Gastonia and Raymond Worth of Richmond, Va.; 46 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren.

IMPROVEMENT GROUP

Job opportunities in downtown Kings Mountain were discussed by the members of the Kings Mountain Improvement Association who held regular meeting Sunday at Vestibule A.M.E. Zion church. Next meeting of the group will be on April 6th at Ebenezer Baptist church.

Morgan Rites Friday At 3:30

Funeral rites for Mrs. Mary Aiyne Morgan, 59, of 1616 Shelby road, will be held Friday at 3:30 p.m. from Westover Baptist church.

The body will remain at Harris Funeral Home until the hour of service. The family will receive friends at the funeral home Thursday night from 7 until 9 p.m.

Rev. Archie Chapman and Rev. Floyd Willis will officiate at the final rites, and interment will be in Mountain Rest cemetery.

Mrs. Morgan died Tuesday night at 11 p.m. in the Kings Mountain hospital. She had been in ill health for several months.

She was daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson. She was a member of Westover Baptist church.

Surviving are her husband, William Henry Morgan; one daughter, Mrs. Robert Ramsey of Lincoln; one brother, J. L. Johnson, Jr. of Eastley, S. C.; and one sister, Mrs. Julia Shytle of Kings Mountain. Also surviving are three grandchildren.

TUESDAY FIRE

Fire razed a frame dwelling in the Compact community Tuesday afternoon. Bethlehem Volunteer Fire Department answered the alarm. Origin of the fire was not determined.

Fulton To Attend Erskine Program

William Sage Fulton, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fulton, Jr., 613 East Ridge St., has been invited to Erskine College March 7-9 for Scholarship Weekend on the basis of his outstanding high school record and college board scores.

He will be one of more than 60 high school seniors participating in the weekend of special tests and interviews to determine the recipients of top academic scholarships to Erskine for the 1969-70 academic year. The weekend will begin with a reception at the home of Erskine President and Mrs. Joseph Wightman Friday night, March 7, followed by scholarship competition Saturday, entertainment Saturday night, and church services Sunday.

Dr. Berkeley To Speak Here

Dr. William T. Berkeley, Jr., Charlotte medical doctor who recently returned from Saigon where he spent the month of November teaching and operating in two hospitals there, will address a joint study group from the two Lutheran churches of the city Sunday at 7 p.m. at St. Matthew's Lutheran church.

The study is sponsored by St. Matthew's and Resurrection Lutheran churches. A covered dish supper at 6 p.m. for both congregations will precede the program. The study on Southeast Asia is open to the public.

Dr. Berkeley is father-in-law of Mrs. W. T. Berkeley, III, the former Kay Mauney of Kings Mountain.

Born in the coal regions of West Virginia, Dr. Berkeley was reared in Durham where he graduated from Duke University in 1940 and graduated from Georgetown Medical School, Washington, D. C. in 1943. He took his residency at Georgetown University Hospital and took specialized studies in plastic and reconstructive surgery at New York Hospital at Cornell Medical Center. He entered private practice in Charlotte in January 1951.



SPEAKER — Mrs. A. R. Craig of Rutherfordton will speak at World Day of Prayer services Friday morning at 11 a.m. at First Presbyterian church.

Day Of Prayer Service Friday

Mrs. A. R. Craig of Rutherfordton, president of the Women of the Church of the Synod of North Carolina, Presbyterian Church, U. S., will be the principal speaker at World Day of Prayer Services Friday morning at 11 o'clock at First Presbyterian church.

The service is under sponsorship of the women of First Presbyterian church and the community is invited to attend.

Mrs. Craig, whose late husband was pastor of the Rutherfordton Presbyterian church for a number of years, has served on the Board of Women's Work for the Presbyterian Church and as president of Kings Mountain Presbyterian Women of the Church. She served with her husband in a number of pastorates throughout the Southern Presbyterian church. They both were missionaries to China early in their church careers. They have one daughter.

Mrs. Beam's Brother Passes

Funeral rites for Bernard H. Hamell of Lincolnton, brother of Mrs. Ben F. Beam, were held Saturday at 1:30 p.m. from Warlick Funeral Home in Lincolnton, interment following in Hollybrook cemetery.

Mr. Hamell died Thursday in VA hospital at Salisbury after six week's illness. Mr. Hamell had been in declining health since suffering a stroke last September.

Before his retirement he was associated with Bell-Schrum Company of Lincolnton. He was a member of United Church of Christ.

Surviving besides Mrs. Beam are his wife, Mrs. Irene Schrum Hamell; and a sister, Mrs. R. H. Ligon of South Hill, Va.

Mr. Hamell was a veteran of service during World War I. He was son of the late Mary Harris and William Crawford Hamell. He was a member of the 29th Division of the Richmond Blues of Virginia.

Rev. Frank Synder officiated at the final rites.

North School Open House Set

North school will open its new addition to the public for an open house on Sunday, March 16th.

Supt. Donald Jones said school patrons and the interested public are invited to attend the open house and take a tour of the 12-classroom addition.

Plans for the open house were discussed at Monday's city board of education meeting.

In other action, he board: 1) Set May 15th as the deadline for out-of-district students to pay their tuition. Of 48 students in his category, 12 have paid the 60 tuition in full, 20 have made payment and the rest have made partial payments. The board specified that school assignments for next year be held until full payment is received. 2) Authorized the superintendent to attend a five-session workshop for superintendents to be held on Thursdays at Western Carolina University in Cullowhee.

3) Elected James E. Herndon, Jr., delegate, along with the superintendent, to the national school board convention in Miami, Fla. April 12-15.

4) Discussed replacement of a gym floor at the Compact plant but didn't decide on kind of flooring, pending further study. A water leak caused the "howling up" of the floor.

5) Authorized the advertisement for sale of surplus school property, including a 1951 Chevrolet pickup, a 1957 Chevrolet pickup, a 1951 Chevrolet passenger car, a 1951 Ford ton-and-a-half truck and a 1946 Dodge bus.

6) Granted a 20-day extension to elementary teacher, Mrs. Nelle V. Biser, who has been hospitalized. Mrs. Biser has been discharged from the hospital and continues to improve at her home.

7) Closed the regular meeting by taking a tour of the Bethware school plant. The board began last month a practice of meeting at a different school each month for purposes of observation. Principal E. J. Evans took the group on the tour of the buildings.

Galilee Church

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completed and ready for dedication by September 1. The present church plant was built in 1909. Land for the new structure was provided by Carl F. Mauney and a building fund drive was started for the proposed new plant in 1963.

Rev. T. A. Powell has been pastor of Galilee and St. Paul churches since 1967. He came to the local churches from Hamlet. A graduate of Ridgeview high school of Hickory, he was educated at Philander Smith college, Morristown college, and Garmon Theological Seminary in Atlanta, Ga. He has done graduate study at the University of North Carolina and the University of New York and is a candidate for a master's degree.

Miss Black

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social studies and science for 46 years.

Surviving are three sisters, Mrs. L. B. Biggers of Gastonia, Mrs. W. D. Baker of Kings Mountain and Mrs. M. L. Houser of Goldsboro; three brothers, Dr. C. S. Black of Winston Salem, J. H. Black of Charlotte and George Black of Bessemer City.

Active pallbearers were all Kings Mountain high school teachers who worked with Miss Black over the years. They included Bill Bates, Donald Parker, D. B. Blalock, Myers Hambricht, Fred Withers and Bill Cashion.

Flowerbearers, also Kings Mountain high school teachers, were Miss Helen Logan, Mrs. Paul Ausley, Mrs. W. T. Weir, Mrs. M. C. Poston, Mrs. J. H. Patterson, Mrs. Wanza Davis, Miss Alice Averitt, Mrs. John H. Gamble, Mrs. Charles Baird, Miss Willie McGill and Mrs. Bill Bates.

Grady Howard

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the May 24th county-wide referendum?

"Not more than 40 cents" is the guess of Supt. Donald Jones. Mr. Jones said following budget figuring and thorough study the amount will be pinpointed and voters will know the exact amount before they go to the polls.

The discussion came up at Monday's board of education meeting.

Currently, Kings Mountain district levies all of a 20-cent supplemental tax authorization.

"The county system is planning to ask for 49 cents", Supt. Jones told board members. He said the Kings Mountain system stands to gain more funds from a tax levied county-wide and distributed on a per pupil basis, rather than having a 40-cent tax levied on a district basis.

"If they (the county) asks for that amount, we'd almost have to do the same," he added.

No attempt was made by board members to arrive at a figure Monday night. Voter interest will become greater on this point as the election date approaches, Jones speculated.

Condemnations

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eral methods he employed in arriving at the values.

For "before taking" values, one method was personal checks with both buyers and sellers of properties in the lake area prior to knowledge the Buffalo Creek lake would be built.

For both "before" and "after" value yardsticks, he examined the Lake Norman area.

"Reasoning that Lake Norman was much larger, I compared those results and cut the after-taking values in half for the Buffalo project," Mr. Hoyle noted.

Some properties, he noted, were rated more valuable after lake property had been deducted than the full tract had been before.

"None was asked to accept that thesis," Mr. Sargent commented, "and cash payments were offered all."

Jaycees Induct Five Members

Don Taft, president of the Mecklenburg Jaycees of Charlotte, was guest speaker at Tuesday night's meeting of Kings Mountain Jaycees at Riverview Inn.

"A community needs the Jaycees," said Mr. Taft for he pointed to the club's main function — service.

"A good Jaycee," said the speaker, "is a man who looks for something that needs to be done and does something about."

"There's always an opportunity for service," continued Taft. "All a man has to do is to get involved with what you think is right and follow it through," he added. Present as visitors were Dr. Blalock, Pete Connet, Freddie Hambricht, Dennis Bridges, Bill Hammock, Bill Ware and Don Ware.

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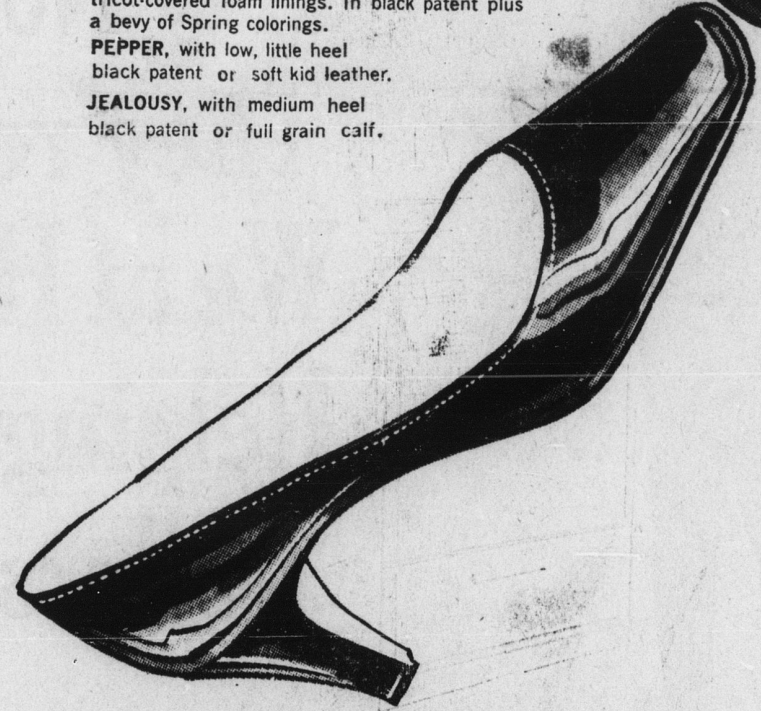
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