



Rev. Mr. Willis Interred Here

Funeral rites for Rev. W. M. Willis, 98, retired Associate Reformed Presbyterian minister, were conducted Saturday afternoon at Bon Claiken, ARI assembly grounds, where he had resided since retirement.

IN REVIVAL—A revival is now in progress at the Church of God, corner of Proker and Gaston Streets, with the Rev. Claude Crain of Rutherfordton, evangelist, doing the preaching. Services are being held each evening at 7 p.m. along with special singing. The public is welcome.

Dixon Chevrolet Team At Preview On New XP-887

The management of Dixon Chevrolet, Inc. have just returned from Charlotte where they received first details on the new Chevrolet small car to be introduced late this summer.

Charlie Dixon expressed enthusiasm for the new car — currently code-named XP-887. "The new little Chevrolet is an exciting and positive answer to the demonstrated need for a small, economical, durable, safe, comfortable and well-styled car built in America to American tastes," he said.

Also attending the day long meeting from Dixon Chevrolet, Inc. were J. T. McGinnis, Sales Manager, Richard Jones, Parts Manager, Douglas Yarbro, Service Manager, and salesman Robert Goforth, Paul Dwyer, Mickey Bell, and W. F. Stone, Jr.

"Chevrolet invited the full management team of our dealership to the meeting so we can get a fast start on preparations to give maximum sales, service and parts assistance to every customer the day the new little car goes on sale," Charlie said.

The Chevrolet dealer said the "little car that does everything well" will come in a full line of four different 2-door models, all with front bucket seats as standard equipment.

Offered will be a four-passenger sedan, a four-passenger hatchback coupe with a fastback roof line, a four-passenger station wagon and a one-passenger panel delivery truck.

MORE ABOUT Campaign

Continued From Page One) gainst government taxing church property being used for worship and work. And he said he will oppose any effort to do it on a statewide basis.

He also called for a program with more teeth to clean up pollution. "In recent months we have heard a lot about keeping the air clean," he said, "but that doesn't mean we should neglect our clean water."

Previously he went on record to lower the voting age to 18, provided it's backed up with an in-school educational program, awareness at the elementary school level, coupled with stronger enforcement of the laws against dope pushers. He also favors an orderly alignment of the school district lines that will enable Kings Mountain students to attend school in Kings Mountain without paying a tuition. Some now living in the city are actually in Gaston County and must pay the tuition fee, as well as pay Gaston County school taxes.

Plunk has also favored a study of liability insurance rates, favors repeal of the tax on soft drinks, and gasoline, and moving license plate fees back to where they were a year ago, and general broadening and expansion of mental health facilities.

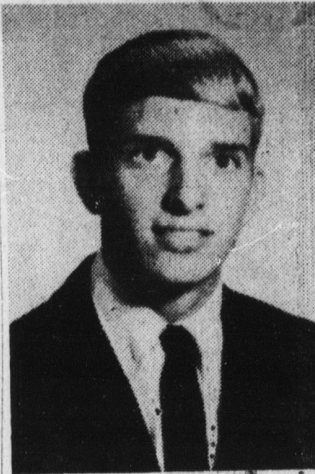
MORE ABOUT Education

Continued From Page One) the 1969 act, which put board of education members on an elective non-partisan basis, rather than by appointment of the General Assembly.

The State Board of Elections agreed, Mr. Gilbert said, instructing him to obtain opinions to that effect from Attorney Whisnart and County Attorney C. C. Horn. These opinions were received on April 3.

The Mauney Falk act provides for partisan elections. "That's the way it will be Saturday. The three candidates are vying for two nominations.

BENNETT HOSPITALIZED James L. Bennett is a patient at Dixon Heart Center of Charlotte Memorial hospital suffering from a blockage of the heart. A pacemaker was applied to his heart Tuesday night and his brother, Dorus L. Bennett reports his condition as fair.



Officer Dodge Said Assaulted

A Kings Mountain city patrolman, Robert Dodge, was reportedly assaulted by a man allegedly involved in a disturbance in the vicinity of West School Tuesday afternoon.

Ben C. Kendrick, 59, of Grover has been identified as the man taken to jail and charged with carrying a concealed weapon, assault on an officer and resisting arrest. Bond was set at \$400.

According to Police Chief Thomas McDevitt, his department received a complaint around noon that a man was cursing and threatening youngsters with a pistol on West Mountain Street near the school and Patrolman Dodge, a motorcycle policeman, was dispatched to the scene. The man was reportedly approached at Dixon Chevrolet by Officer Dodge who spoke to him and the man in turn struck the officer in the mouth with his fist. During the scuffle, a pistol reportedly fell from the man's pocket.

Chief McDevitt describing the weapon as a .22 caliber revolver, fully loaded. The chief also said the man was carrying a box of shells.

A second officer, Thomas Reynolds, arrived on the scene and the man was taken to jail.

Chuck Hoyle Is Selected For Academy

Joseph Charles "Chuck" Hoyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hoyle of Kings Mountain, Route 2, has been notified that he has been selected for admission to the U. S. Air Force Academy from the list of qualified alternates to enter the corps of cadets in July. His appointment came through Congressman James T. Brodyhill.

"Chuck" will report to the Academy in Denver, Colo. on June 29. A member of the senior class at Kings Mountain High School where he will graduate June 3, he is a senior counselor for DeMolay, president of the Math Club, member of the student council and National Honor Society. He lettered in football and also played baseball.

He is 17 years of age and is a member of David Baptist Church.

Rauch Speaks To Lions Club

State Senator Marshall Rauch was the featured speaker at the Lions Club meeting on Tuesday. Speaking on the subject "Issues For 1970," he criticized the increases in taxation imposed by the last General Assembly, saying that he would continue to vote against increased taxation.

Rauch itemized ways by which he would improve government services with a lower tax rate.

On the subject of education he foresaw that the University status would be revoked from some of the newer state universities to bring more order and sense to the system.

"Insurance rates for automobiles should not be fixed by the state," he said, "but the maximum rates should be set and let free enterprise do the rest."

President Ray-Holmes noted that the broom sale was going well and more brooms are available.

Lions John Reavis and Jim Downey were confirmed as president and secretary respectively to take office on July 1.

Love Services Scheduled Today

Clayton Charles Love of Burlington Rd. Charlotte, died April 28 in a Columbia Hospital following a six-week illness during which time he was a patient in Presbyterian Hospital.

Funeral services will be held today at Love Chapel, United Methodist Church at Stanfield, his boyhood church. Dr. Eugene Peacock, assisted by the Rev. James Miller and the Rev. C. L. Morton will officiate. A committal service will be held at 4 p.m. today in Sharon Memorial Park Chapel in Charlotte.

Son of Wade H. Love of Stanfield and the late Belle Barbee Love, he was a member of First United Methodist Church in Charlotte. He was a veteran of World War II, a 1941 graduate of Davidson College and a special sales representative for Continental Trailways.

Survivors include a brother, Wayne Love of Stanfield, who is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. George Morrow of Kings Mountain. Other survivors include his father; his widow, Mrs. Mele C. Love; a son, Clayton C. Love, Jr. of the home; a daughter, Rebecca, of Greensboro; four brothers, Everett and Wayne of Stanfield, Russell and Paul Love of Charlotte; two sisters, Mrs. McLean Furr of Stanfield and Mrs. Henry McLeney of Charlotte.

MRS. MAUNEY HOME Mrs. Jacob F. Mauney returned home Wednesday after two weeks of treatment at Cleveland Memorial Hospital, Shelby. She had suffered a heart attack.

George R. Walls Passes Monday

George Rasy Walls, 73, retired textile worker who resided at 602 N. 14th Street, died Monday at 5:20 a.m.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday from Sisk Funeral Chapel with the Rev. W. A. Costner and Rev. Frank Goldsmith officiating. Burial was in Mt. Pleasant Baptist church cemetery.

He was the son of the late Lath Walls and Minerva Center Walls.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Gosnell Walls; one son, Thomas Walls of Charlotte; daughter, Mrs. Maybell W. Martin of Bessemer City; one brother, Herman Walls of Marietta, S. C.; sister, Mrs. Tessie Cox of Greenville, S. C.; one grandchild and two great-grandchildren.

MORE ABOUT Kiwanians

Continued From Page One) accompanied by Mike Hardin; imitation by Calvin Bell; and song and dance by Angelia McAbee.

Division II, which includes first and second graders; song and dance by Kim Gladden; reading, Margaret Carol Bennett; ballet, Ann Harbinson; vocal solo, Kim Dixon, accompanied by Mrs. Allen Dixon; baton routine, Robin Harry; tap dance duet, Penny Easley and Sandra Stockton.

In Division IV, fifth and sixth grades, will be: rhythm band, composed of William Williams, Chris Bell, Kenneth Self, Hoyle Randle, Kim Sinclair and Debra Stroup; tap dance, Sharon Pruette and Janice Goforth; piano solo, Bonnie Hinnant; poem recitation, Douglas John Simcox; dance, Jackie Wray, Susie Blanton, Tony Mote, Mary Ross, Teresa Howell, Sandra Moore, Ronald Hamrick and Gene Sipes.

Division V, high school, band, The Musical Review, composed of Mike Boone, Frank Barber, Mike Smith and Ed Goforth; piano solo, Douglas Feemster; vocal solo, Deborah Burns, accompanied by Cindy Alexander; organ solo, Dennis Huffstickler.

Orientation Day Slated May 8

Richard Greene, principal of East School, has sent a memorandum to parents of students who will be in the first grade next year reminding them of orientation day which will be held in the East School lunchroom on Friday, May 8, at 1:30 p.m.

All boys and girls who will be in the first grade at East School should attend with at least one parent. Birth certificates and medical forms may be brought to the orientation if they were not taken to the pre-school clinic, he said.

Youth Summer Job Applications Open

The Mayor's committee on Student Summer Employment will be at the Armory again Saturday to accept application from high school and college students for summer employment.

The committee will attempt to "marry" applicants to summer jobs and, in the instance of college students, to jobs in the fields in which they are studying.

Franklin L. Ware, chairman, said 56 have already registered, 40 girls and 16 boys.

Parents of college students unable to visit the Armory personally should provide the committee addresses of their children who wish summer employment. He said application forms will be mailed them.

CBD Contract Now Signed

The City of Kings Mountain entered into an historic agreement with the Kings Mountain Redevelopment Commission Wednesday in the Mayor's Office.

Mayor John Henry Moss signed for and in behalf of the City and Redevelopment Commission Chairman, Carl F. Mauney, executed the agreement for the Commission.

The Cooperation Agreement paves the way to commence work on the \$2,000,000 Central Business District Urban Renewal Area with the agreement that the City will provide their share of the project. This will amount to almost \$500,000 over the next four years to improve streets, sidewalks, and utilities in the downtown area.

However, a major portion of the city share is planned to be provided in alignment of the east and west extensions of Gold Street which will be accomplished by the State Highway Commission as a step towards completion of the Thoroughfare Plan for the City. The most significant project improvement to be accomplished by the City will be the undergrounding of all utilities in the downtown area.

Joe Laney, Redevelopment Commission Director pointed out that this is the last item needed for submission of the final plan for the Downtown Project to the Atlanta Regional Office of the Department of Housing and Urban Development. He anticipates initial land acquisition activities to begin in approximately two months which will start actual work on this long awaited project.

This agreement is the first of its kind to be executed in Cleveland County and Mayor Moss pointed out this is another significant

John Dawkins Dies Tuesday

John C. Dawkins, 48, of 209 N. Canisler St., died Tuesday night in Kings Mountain Hospital.

Son of Mrs. Jule Dawkins of Kings Mountain and the late John Dawkins, he had been employed by Kerns Brothers Trucking Co. in Kings Mountain for 27 years.

Survivors include his widow; one son, Sgt. John C. Dawkins, III of the U. S. Army in California; one daughter, Mrs. Gunetha Falls of Kings Mountain; two sisters, Miss Beatrice Dawkins of Kings Mountain and Mrs. Elizabeth Roberts of Gaffney, S. C.

The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 Thursday night at J. W. Gill & Son Funeral Home.

The body will lie in state at the Mt. Zion Baptist church where the final rites will be conducted at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon. Rev. Howard Shipp will conduct the rites and burial will be in Mt. Olive Baptist church cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Luce Jenkins traveled by jet Wednesday to Memphis, Tennessee for a few days visit with their son and daughter-in-law, Bill. He is a medical student at Memphis.

step towards his goal of working for a quality life for all the Citizens of Kings Mountain.

Time on Neptune Because the planet Neptune rotates at high speed, its day is 15 hours and 48 minutes long. It takes 167.79 of our years for the planet to make one revolution around the sun.

Fast-Growing Tree Paulownia or princess tree (named after Anna Paulowna, princess of Holland) is the fastest-growing commercial wood tree in America. A seedling can grow 20 feet in a season.

Forced Diets In 1336, King Edward II of England ruled that certain servants, merchants and artisans could eat only one meal of meat or fish a day. In 1443, in Scotland, pies and baked meats could be eaten only by a baron or higher-ranking nobleman.

Never Assumed Duties William R. King, elected U.S. vice-president in 1852, never assumed the duties of his office. His death occurred soon after he was administered the oath of office.

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