

Lt. Hunter Wins Honor

BALBOA, C. Z. — First Lieutenant Hillard C. Hunter Jr., son of Mrs. Dorcas M. Hunter, 105 Davidson St., Kings Mountain, N. C., is a member of the 24th Special Operations Wing in the Canal Zone that has been honored for its humanitarian aid to thousands of survivors of the devastating May 1970 earthquake in Peru.

Lieutenant Hunter's unit, which operates from Albrook and Howard Air Force Bases, has received the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award. A component of the U. S. Air Forces Command, the wing was cited for internationally significant achievement during the multi-nation disaster relief operation.

Supported by 24th ground per-

sommel staging out of Lima, wing C-123 Provider aircrews overcame numerous difficulties that included flying over uncharted and some of the world's most rugged terrain to help airdrop vital supplies to the survivors and evacuate the injured. More than 50,000 persons were killed and some 200,000 were missing or injured during the disaster in the hard-hit Huailas Valley and the central quake area about 250 miles north of the Peruvian capital city.

Lieutenant Hunter is a pilot at Howard. He will wear a distinctive service ribbon to mark his affiliation with the 24th.

A 1962 graduate of Compact High School, he received his B.S. degree in economics in 1968 from North Carolina A&T State University where he was commissioned through the Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps program.

Broyhill Draft Bill Adopted

The House of Representatives yesterday adopted an amendment to the draft law, proposed by Congressman James T. Broyhill of Lenoir, which would exempt from the draft any young man if a member of his immediate family was killed or died in service or as a result of service-connected injuries. The Broyhill amendment was adopted by a vote of 130-41 during consideration of a bill to extend the draft and increase military pay and benefits.

"I am extremely pleased that my amendment could be adopted by such an overwhelming margin personally acquainted with jority," Broyhill stated. "I have many families who have suffer-

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Suggs, Jr., 114 Sadie street, announce the birth of a daughter, Wednesday, March 31, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald C. Wray, 109 Ark St. announce the birth of a daughter, Friday, April 2, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Eugene Gantt, 321 N. Pine St., Gastonia, announce the birth of a daughter, Saturday, April 3, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Derek Lee Byrd, 1103 A. Sims Circle, announce the birth of a daughter, April 3, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Thomas, Jr., 303 E. Virginia Ave., Bessemer City, announce the birth of a

daughter, Saturday, April 3, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Black, Box 525, announce the birth of a daughter, Sunday, April 4, 1971, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Lovelace, 805 Phillips Dr., announce the birth of a son, Monday, April 5, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Peterson, Rt. 1 Kings Creek, S. C., announce the birth of a son, Monday, April 5, 1971, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo C. Melton, 310 Crocker Rd., announce the birth of a daughter, Tuesday, April 6, Kings Mountain hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Vo Adell Rollins, 522 S. Mulberry St., Cherryville, announce the birth of a son, Tuesday, April 6, Kings Mountain hospital.

CARD OF THANKS

The Phillips family wishes to acknowledge all act of kindness extended to the family during the illness and passing of our husband and father, Mr. Roy Phillips.

Especial thanks to the staff of Nurses and Orderlies on West Station of the Kings Mountain hospital, and to Drs. Hendricks, Durham and Lee.

To each and every friend and neighbor we wish to extend our heartfelt thanks for each act and deed during our time of bereavement.

The family of
Mr. Roy Phillips



AT LACKLAND — Airman John M. Berryhill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie E. L. Berryhill of 603 E. Boston Ave., Bessemer City, N. C., has received her first U. S. Air Force duty assignment after completing basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. The airman has been assigned at Travis AFB, Calif., for training and duty in the supply services field. Airman Berryhill is a 1970 graduate of Bessemer City High School. His wife is the former Margie Greene from Bessemer City.

Holy Week Services Set

Holy Week services are continuing this week at St. Matthew's Lutheran church. Two services of Communion will be observed on Thursday — at 4 p.m. and at 7:30 p.m.

The Service of Tenebrae will feature the Good Friday service at 7:30 p.m.

At the Easter morning worship hour at 11 o'clock, Rev. Charles Easley will use the sermon topic, "If A Man Die, Shall He Live Again?"

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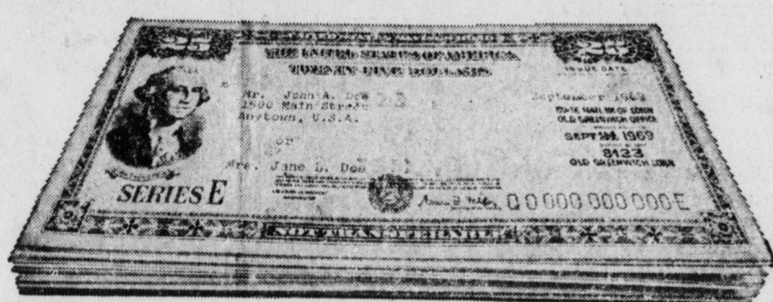
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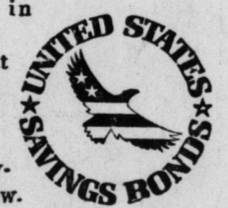
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Our television commercial seems to be falling on deaf ears.



We've had a lot of comments on our television commercial. People tell us it's charming. And warm.

And they love our little "star," Jeff.

But as much as we appreciate your comments, we'd rather have something else.

We'd rather have your money.

You see, the whole point of our commercial is to raise money to build a chapel.

A nondenominational chapel. So the kids at the Morganton School for the Deaf will have a place to pray.

Right now we're forty-eight thousand dollars short of that goal. And our television commercial, which has been running for several weeks, has gotten us a disappointingly small

amount.

And it's our fault. Because even though the television and radio stations gave us a lot of free time to get our message across, we didn't make that message clear enough.

So let's clear it up right now:

There are 618 kids in Morganton, North Carolina, who have been deprived of their hearing. And that's unfortunate. But what's even more unfortunate is the fact that they're being deprived of the word of God.

Please help them. Contributions are tax deductible. So send a nickel, send a dime, send a dollar, send anything to Chapel for the Deaf, Inc., c/o Hargrove Skipper Bowles, Box T-3, Greensboro, North Carolina 27402.

Hear?