Long Hours For Volunteers

total of 78 hours and 40 minutes in service to the month of February.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as Executor of the Estate of Odie Blanton, deceased, late of Cleveland County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent to present them to the undersigned on or before the 16th day of August, 1978, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned. This 14th day of

February, 1978. John Weaver 914 Grover Rd.

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five hours, 45 minutes; Virginia Hinnant, five minutes. hospital patients during hours, 15 minutes; Esther Holbrook, six hours: Helen They included: Beth McGinnis, 28 hours, 40 mirutes; Marilyn Neisler, volunteered a total of 18

Ten members of the Baker, three hours; Arlene seur, four hours; Hazel Kings Mountain Hospital Barrett, two hours, 15 Sexton, 28 hours, 15 Auxiliary volunteered a minutes; Diane Barrett, minutes; and Margaret Stoterau, four hours, 80

> Leigh Am Barrett, member of Candy Stripers, one hour; Christine Ram- hours, 20 minutes.

Leila Rudisill Wins Contest



LEILAH, RUDISILL

Leila Helen Rudisill recently won first place in an essay contest sponsored by the Joseph McDowell Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolu-

The contest was for students in grades five through eight in Henderson and Polk County Schools. Topic of the contest was "Growng Up In Colonial America."

Leila is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Rudisill of Hendersonville and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Baker of Kings Mountain

A Surprise Party For Wiley Blanton

J. Wiley Blanton, 69 on Tuesday, was surprised by the 53 children on School Bus 160 with a busdecorated orange and brown birthday cake and a handsome gold watch as he arrived at West School to transport his second load of students home for the

Mr. Wiley, retired mail carrier, will retire after this school term as a veteran bus driver.

Lynn Gore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Gore, presented the watch to Blanton on behalf of all the pupils.

Parents of students assisted in serving gold and brown cupcakes and soft drinks, as Mr. Blanton admired his gifts and accepted birthday congratulations from Principal Joe Hedden and other birthday greeters.

Mrs. Gore said the

DEATHS

LONNIE H. HOPPER

Funeral services for Lonnie H. Hopper, 75, of Grover, who died Sunday afternoon in Kings Mountain Hospital after declining health, were conducted Wednesday at 2 p. m. from Antioch Baptist Church of Grover, interment following in the church cemetery.

Rev. Perry Montgomery officiated at the rites.

Surviving are two sons, Grady Hopper, of Grover, and Lonnie Hopper, Jr. of New Orleans, La.; three daughters, Mrs. Peggy Borgia of New York City. Mrs. Pauline Geib of Mannheim, Pa. and Mrs. less Betty Truhlar of Chicago, and Ill.; two sisters, Mrs. Thelma Mackey of Rock Hill, S. C. and Mrs. Minnie James of Charlotte; and 18

MRS. MARY E. COLE

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Everhart Cole, 78, of 806 W. Gold St., widow of Clyde Hord Cole, were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 2 p. m. from First Baptist Church of which she was

a member. Mrs. Cole died suddenly Monday afternoon.

She was daughter of the R. Everhart.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Floyd Dover and Miss Virginia Cole, both of Kings Mountain; her brother, James Everhart of Kings Mountain; her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Watson of Deep Gap, N. C., two grandchildren and two grandchildren.

Rev. Clyde Bearden officiated at the rites, and interment was in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

Harris Funeral Home was in charge of arrange-

MRS. ROSA PERRY Funeral services for Mrs. Rosa Bell Perry, 78, who died Feb. 26 in Kings Mountain Hospital after suffering a heart attack, were conducted Friday from St. Matthew's AME Church in Raleigh, interment following in National

Mrs. Perry was a retired practical nurse. She was daughter of the late Moses and Lillie Hammie Umstead. She had been a resident of Kings Mountain Convalescent Center.

Surviving are three grandchildren, Mrs. Judith Long and Miss Janette Perry of Philadelphia, Pa. and Miss Florence Perry of Raleigh.

Withrow Funeral Home was in charge of arrange-

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oungsters had kept the surprise celebration a "well guarded secret" and had been planning the event for several months. Mr. Blanton, longtime Kings Mountain citizen, is a popular bus driver at the

elementary school, according to the kids, who have become his fan club. 'We sure are gonna miss him next year," said one of the excited youngsters as

the bus drew near on the parking lot Tuesday at 8 p. m. amid shouts of "Happy Birthday, Mr. Blanton.'

West School Parent-Teacher Association sponsored a highly successful 'Whing Ding" Friday, raising \$8,000 for school benefit.

Teachers dressed up as "hillbillies" to perform in a show straight from the stage of "Hee Haw" to the delight of the young people and other guests. Larry Morrow is presi-

dent of the P-TA. BENEFIT SET

Kings Mountain Hospital Auxiliary is planning a big bridge benefit on Tues.

Apr. 11, at Kings Mountain Woman's Club at 7:80 p. m. for benefit of the hospital landscaping program.

Committees were appointed at a meeting of officers Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Charles Adams.

Mrs. Henry Neisler is president of the auxiliary.

POLICE AUXILIARY

Ladies Police Auxiliary will meet Mon., Mar. 15, at 7 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Ralph Grindstaff, 916

PARK PROGRAM

James Gulledge, supt. of Crowder's Mountain State Park, is guest speaker at today's Kings Mountain Rotary Club luncheon at the KM Country Club. Gulledge will show slides and talk on park development plans. Rotarian Jim Ware arranged the program.

Place a small twist of lemon peel in each compart-ment of your ice tray. Then freeze, using the cubes in favorite beverages.



DELORES EARLENE McDOWELL

ENGAGED - Mr. and Mrs. William McDowell of Kings Mountain announce the engagement of their daughter, Delores Earlene, to Lorrain Luckey, son of Mrs. Virginia Luckey and the late Harvard Luckey of Charlotte. The bride-to-be is a graduate of Kings Mountain High School and Appalachian State University and is employed by the Kings Mountain School System. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Mount Holly High School, served in the U. S. Marine Corps four years and attends Central Piedmont Community College. He is employed by Duke Power Company. An April 9 wedding is planned.



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