

OBITUARIES

JAMES E. LOWERY
BALTIMORE - James Edward Lowery, of 2214 Fatagora Street, died Saturday at his home.

A native of York County, S.C., he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Lowery. He is survived by his wife, Carrie Bell Lowery; two daughters, Johnnie Mae Smith and Linda McClain, both of Baltimore; three sons, James Edward Lowery Jr., Michael Lowery and Gregory Lowery, all of Baltimore; two brothers, Arthur Lowery of York, S.C., and Charles L. Lowery of Baltimore; and one sister, Mrs. R.L. Garvin of Kings Mountain.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 4 p.m. at Langhum Branch Baptist Church in York, S.C. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

The family received friends Wednesday from 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. at Galilee Baptist Church in York.

W. H. JENKINS
GRAHAM - William Howard Jenkins, 76, of Graham, formerly of Cherryville, died January 4 at 2:40 p.m. at Alamance County Hospital in Burlington.

A native of Easley, S.C., he was the son of the late William Howard and Alice Barber Jenkins and was married to the late Pearl Hord Jenkins. He was retired and the former owner of Jenkins Cleaners in Cherryville.

He is survived by one son, William L. Jenkins of Greensboro; two daughters, Mrs. Fern Pike of Graham and Mrs. Janet Williams of Johnson City, N.C.; one sister, Mrs. Patrick Curley of San Mateo, Calif.; seven grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

He was a member of First Presbyterian Church in Cherryville, where services were conducted Saturday at 1:30 p.m. by the Rev. David G. Coffey and Chaplain Jack H. Cooke. Burial was in Mountain Rest Cemetery, Kings Mountain.

JEAN JENKINS
Funeral services for Mrs. Jean McAbee Jenkins, 60, of 1230 Second Street, wife of Thurman Jenkins, were conducted Tuesday afternoon at 3 p.m. from North Gaston Church of God with Rev. Wade Eason and Rev. Wayne Hall officiating and interment following in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

Mrs. Jenkins died Saturday at Gaston Memorial Hospital.

She was a member of the North Gaston Church of God and was the daughter of the late Thomas and Alice Fredell McAbee.

Surviving, in addition to her husband, are four sons, David Lovette of Callahan, Florida; James Lovette of Walterboro, S.C.; Donald Lovette of Kings Mountain and the Rev. Thurman Jenkins, Jr. of Dallas; a daughter, Mrs. Jerry (Joann) Hall of Bessemer City; a brother,

Fred McAbee of Walterboro, S.C. 19 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

BRADY MARTIN
Funeral services for Brady Martin, 85, of Grover, were conducted Friday afternoon at 3 p.m. from the Chapel of Harris Funeral Home by Rev. Bobby Gantt. Interment was in Grover Cemetery.

Mr. Martin was a retired Grover merchant and son of the late James Madison and Martha Clarke Martin. He was a native of Spartanburg County, S.C.

He died Thursday in Shelby Convalescent Center.

Surviving are his sister, Miss Ethel Martin, of Grover.

The family has designated memorials to First Baptist Church, Grover, N.C., of which Martin was a member.

MARY J. ROSS
Mary Jackson Ross, 88, of

303 E. Parker St., died Thursday at home.

She was a native of York County, S.C., daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Abe Jackson and wife of the late Lee Ross and a member of the Deacons Board, Friendly Aid Society and Burial Aid Society at Mount Olive Baptist Church.

Surviving are two sons, Wesley Ross of Macon, Ga. and John Ross of Kings Mountain; four daughters, Alberta Thompson of the home, Eurnice Belcher and Plumer Thompson, both of Winston-Salem, and Artava Byers of Detroit, Michigan, sister, Lena Fields of Winston-Salem, 16 grandchildren, 32 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral rites were held Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. from Mount Olive Baptist Church by Rev. Willie Maddox, interment following in the church cemetery.

RODNEY ROBERTS
Funeral services for Rodney George Roberts, 71, of Route 1, Shelby, who died Friday in Cleveland Memorial Hospital, were conducted Tuesday afternoon at 4 p.m. from Washington Baptist Church at Waco of which he was a member.

The Rev. R.H. Rhedrick officiated and interment was in the church cemetery.

He was a native of Cleveland County and was employed by White Motor Company. He was a Mason. His parents were the late Cornelias and Lallie Borders Roberts.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ora Roberts; two sons, Barney Roberts of Kings Mountain and James Roberts of Newark, N.J., a brother, Leroy Roberts of Cherryville; three sisters, Sula Borders of Shelby, Corine Jarvis of Virginia, and Rosa Lee Wray of Lawndale; eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.



HELEN MARVIN



MARGIE ROGERS

Marvin, Rogers Seek Re-Election

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and I pledge to continue to update and improve the services of the Register of Deeds office", she said. "The citizens of Cleveland County deserve no less", she added.

Gubernatorial candidates are also filing this week. U.S. Con-

gressman Jim Martin said in Kings Mountain last week that he will file on Jan. 18th and Lieutenant Governor Jimmy Green announced that he would file in Raleigh Friday. Launch Faircloth filed Jan. 3 for the office of Governor of North Carolina for the May 8th Democrat primary and John Ingram filed Jan. 5th.

Sale Of More Property Approved By City Board

The sale of a fifth and sixth parcel of property in the downtown redevelopment district was approved by the city board of commissioners Monday night.

Bobby R. Bridges, 824 Cleveland Ave., plans to build a 100x50 metal building to house a parts distribution center on the east side of N. City Street and Roy E. Huffstetler, 808 Hillside Dr., plans to build a convenience store at the northeast corner of Cansler and King Streets.

Bridges Auto Corner and Services, Inc. will employ 10 persons, Mr. Bridges told the city commission. Bridges said construction will begin as soon as the deed is conveyed by the city. Construction costs are estimated

at \$80,000. Bridges will pay \$2700 for the 22,310 square foot property which is Parcel 74.

Huffstetler plans to build a brick building with possible gas pumps on the 14,000 square foot of property, Parcel 76, he has purchased for \$800. He estimated costs will be \$40,000. He said the building will be of brick, wood and glass and estimated that construction will begin Feb. 1.

Community Development Director Gene White said he is elated that so many citizens are taking advantage of the opportunity to purchase good property in the downtown area for business development and at a price they can afford. Only one bid is required but the person making the bid must be ready to begin construction. Small businesses are taking the opportunity, said White, to build now and offset high interest costs.

White said the parcels would be conveyed to the new owners as soon as the legal advertisements are published.

Four-Year Term Sought

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1987 - The inside city seats of Mrs. June Lee and Doyle Campbell would be available for four years.

1989 - The outside city seats of Bill McDaniel and Paul Hord Jr. and the inside city seat of Kyle Smith would be available for four years.

Board chairman Bill McDaniel pointed out that the next session of the General Assembly is the two-week "short session" in which legislators consider only the budget and unfinished business.

Houser To Run In 1985

John Houser, native of Grover and vice president and city executive of Southern National Bank of Gastonia, has announced he will run for mayor of Gastonia in the 1985 campaign.

Houser, who has been mentioned as a possible candidate for Gaston County Commissioner, said this week he won't run for the commission job but plans to run for mayor against Mayor T. Jeffers next year.

Houser, a 1951 graduate of Grover High School, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Houser of Grover.

David Carlyle Beam of Cherryville, son-in-law of Wray and Alma Plonk of Kings Mountain, serves as vice chairman on the Gaston Board and is expected to run for re-election. Beam is married to the former Jeanne Plonk of Kings Mountain.

Belk Stevens

Cleveland Mall
Shelby, N.C.

MEN'S GLOVES
Leather & Knit - Reg. \$16.00 To \$22.00

Sale **\$10⁸⁸** To **\$15⁸⁸**

BOY'S KNIT SHIRTS
Sizes 4 To 7 - Reg. \$9.00 To \$10.00

\$6⁸⁸

MEN'S WHITE COLLAR DRESS SHIRTS
Hathaway*Christian Dior - Reg. \$27.50 To \$35.50

\$19⁸⁸
SAVE UP TO 44%

Entire Stock
FALL & WINTER DRESSES
Missy*Petite*Half Sizes - Reg. \$24.00 To \$120.00

Reduced **40% To 50%**

Special Group
MEN'S DRESS SLACKS
Andhurst*Haggard*Levi - Reg. \$27.00 To \$28.00

\$17⁸⁸

Entire Stock
MISSY SKIRTS
By Sweetbriar - Excellent Selection Of Fall Plaids & Solids
Reg. \$16.00 To \$34.00

Sale **\$9⁸⁸** To **\$19⁸⁸**

Entire Fall Stock
MEN'S SUITS & SPORTCOATS
Andhurst*Bill Blass*Cricketeer*Izod - Reg. \$75.00 To \$235.00
1/2 OFF

Sale **\$50⁰⁰** To **\$154⁶⁷**

Prophecy*Jantzen*Koret*Personal - Reg. \$28.00 To \$94.00

Sale **\$15⁸⁸** To **\$55⁸⁸**

Special Group
LADIES FASHION BELTS
Assorted Colors - Widths & Styles - Reg. \$3.00 To \$20.00

Sale **\$1⁸⁸** To **\$10⁸⁸**

Entire Stock
WARM SLEEPWEAR & LOUNGEWEAR
Our Own Brand Plus Many National Brands

Reduced **20%**

Special Group Of Cubic Zirconia - Assorted Styles
LADIES EARRINGS & PENDANTS

Reg. \$26.00 **\$10⁸⁸**
Reg. \$32.00 - \$34.00 **\$12⁸⁸**
Reg. \$43.00 **\$18⁸⁸**

By Present Co. In Assorted Colors - Reg. \$18.00
JUNIOR SWEATERS

SAVE 34% Sale **\$11⁸⁸**

GIRL'S ACRYLIC SWEATERS
Sizes 7 To 14*4 To 6X In Assorted Styles - Reg. \$12.00

Sale **\$7⁸⁸**

Crew & V-Neck Styles - Reg. \$13.00 To \$18.00
MISSY ACRYLIC SWEATERS

Sale **\$8⁸⁸** To **\$11⁸⁸**

Assorted Colors In 4 To 6X*7 To 14*Preteen
GIRL'S SADDLEBRED OXFORD SHIRTS

Reg. \$13.50 **\$8⁸⁸**
Reg. \$14.50 **\$9⁸⁸**

Reg. \$11.00 To \$21.00
GIRL'S WARM SLEEPWEAR

Sale **\$8⁸⁸** To **\$16⁸⁸**