

OBITUARIES

MRS. BESSIE HICKS GROVER - Mrs. Bessie Boheler Hicks, 83, of Carolina Avenue, Grover, died Saturday at Cleveland Memorial Hospital.

A native of Cherokee County, S.C., she was a homemaker and member of First Baptist Church. She was the daughter of the late Arthur and Mary Cobb Boheler and the wife of the late Warren S. Hicks.

She is survived by one son, Warren S. Hicks Jr. of Charlotte; three daughters, Lois Gold and Martha Turner, both of Grover, and Dorothy Haga of Annadale, Va.; one brother, Nelson Boheler of Gaffney, S.C.; two sisters, Lillie Mae Rollins of Grover and Letha McMillan of Winston-Salem; eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted Monday at 3 p.m. at First Baptist Church by Dr. Bobby Gantt and the Rev. Harold Hutchinson. Burial was in Grover Cemetery.

NED MCGILL

Funeral services for Ned Alexander McGill, 63, of Gastonia, former resident of Kings Mountain, were held Sunday afternoon from First ARP Church of Gastonia of which he was a member. Rev. Harry T. Schutte officiated at the rites and interment was in Gaston Memorial Park.

Mr. McGill died Friday in Gaston Memorial Hospital.

He was the owner and operator of AAA Fence Company and a veteran of World

War II. He was the son of the late Tholms Pressley and Elizabeth Harmon McGill and his wife was the late Alice Smith McGill.

Surviving are his daughter, Carolyn M. McRaney of Gastonia; sister, Martha F. Weir of Jacksonville, Fla. and a granddaughter.

McLean & Son Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

ANGLEEN WHITWORTH

Funeral services for Angileen Whitworth, 75, of West Orange, N.J., sister of Eleane Earl and Cleo Wilson of Kings Mountain, were conducted Sunday afternoon from Washington Baptist Church of Waco, interment following in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Whitworth was the widow of James D. Whitworth and was daughter of the late John C. and Eliza Oates Roberts of Cleveland County.

Also surviving are her son, Benjamin D. Whitworth of East Orange; three brothers, Eria and Theodore Roberts of Philadelphia and Edney Roberts of Shelby; four sisters, Gertrude Howell and Verline Roseboro of Waco and Allie Howell and Mary Lee Wilson of Shelby; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

She was a licensed beautician and a member of Union Baptist Church and Deaconess Board of Montclair, N.J.

McKinney's Mortuary was in charge of arrangements.

HUGH DAVIS
Funeral services for Hugh Lucas Davis, 58, of Route 1, who died Friday in the VA Hospital at Durham, were conducted Sunday afternoon at 4 p.m. from Masters Funeral Home Chapel with full Military honors following in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

Davis was the son of the late Henry and Mary Elizabeth Head Davis and was a retired gunnery sergeant with the U.S. Marine Corps and a member of First Free Will Baptist Church of

Gastonia. Surviving are his wife, Ruth Bennett Davis, one daughter, Ingrid Blanks of Gastonia, and two grandchildren.

Masters Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

GEORGE LEDBETTER

Funeral services for George Ollen Ledbetter, 69, of Route 2, Shelby, brother of Beulah Woods of Kings Mountain, were conducted Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. from Flint Hill Baptist Church by Dr. Garland Hen-

dricks, Rev. Ed. Sessom and Rev. Ed. Brown, interment following in the church cemetery.

Mr. Ledbetter died Friday in Cleveland Memorial Hospital after an illness of one month.

He was a retired electrician for the City of Shelby and a Cleveland County native, son of the late Furman and Minnie Pearson Ledbetter.

Surviving are his wife, Sarah Alice Burns Ledbetter; three sons, Robert Ledbetter of Shelby, Herman Ledbetter of

Spartanburg, S.C., and Dan Ledbetter of Rt. 2, Shelby; three daughters, Waynett Scruggs and Judy Dover, both of Rt. 2, Shelby, and Christie Ledbetter of Rt. 6, Spartanburg, S.C., three other sisters, Gladys Weaver and Blanche Yelton of Rt. 3, Shelby and Eric Bryant of Shelby; 15 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

The family designated memorials to Flint Hill Baptist Church.

Clay-Barnette Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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Dear Editor:

On behalf of all Head Start children and families currently being served in Cleveland County, I would like to take this opportunity to thank those agencies and individuals who contributed in some way to making National Head Start Awareness month a success. The generous contributions and services provided to our program are deeply appreciated.

Good public relations is very essential to our continued success. Your assistance in this effort in informing the people of the county of the availability of our services helped us to emphasize the positive impact that the Head Start program has in each community on the lives of children and families. Only through collaboration on the lives of children and families. Only through collaboration with agencies such as these can the public be made aware of the total range of comprehensive services we offer. Through our efforts, countless families have been given the opportunity to obtain assistance from our project.

Special thanks goes to: Kings Mountain District Schools personnel, Cleveland County Board of Education personnel, Shelby City Schools personnel, Number Three Elementary School personnel, Grover Elementary School personnel, Lattimore Elementary School personnel, Marion Elementary School personnel, North Elementary School personnel, Polkville Elementary School personnel, Graham Elementary School personnel, Shelby Daily Star staff, Cleveland Times staff, Kings Mountain Herald staff, Putt-Putt Golf and Games, Clevefont Mills, Plastic Oddities, Kings Mountain Jaycee Women, Shelby Negro Women's Club, Cleveland Memorial Library, Cleveland County Fair Association, Radio Station CCS, WOHS/WXIK, WBTV-Charlotte, Cleveland Technical College, Harris Teeter stores, Watt's Grocery, Costner's Grocery, Carolina Posters, Appalachian Posters, A&P Grocery, Laughlin's Stop & Go, and Patterson's Plantation House.

Thanks again for your participation! We certainly appreciate your cooperation in helping us highlight our 19th year of serving pre-school children by showing your support for the Head Start program.

PATTIE SCISM
DIRECTOR/EDUCATION COORDINATOR

Weather Report

October weather summary, compiled by Kenneth Kitzmiller:

	1983	1984
Total precip.	3.19"	1.37"
Max. one day	.86 (13th)	1.15 (21st)
Avg. precip.	.10	.04
Year to date	33.46"	41.95"
Minimum temp.	33 (27th)	37 (1st)
Maximum temp.	88 (4th)	86 (28th)
Avg. temp.	60.5	67.9

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