

OBITUARIES

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FAY TESSENER

Funeral services for Fay Tessener, 75, of 607 Cleveland Avenue, Grover, were conducted Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. from First Baptist Church of Grover of which he was a member.

Rev. Phil Waugh and Dr. Bobby Gantt officiated at the rites and interment was in Cleveland Memorial Park in Shelby.

Mr. Tessener was a native of Cleveland County and a retired sawmill operator. He was son of the late William F. and Cleo Connor Tessener. He was married to Estelle Hope Tessener, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, Ed Tessener, Jr. of Charlotte; two daughters, Martha Ann Grant of Portland, Maine, and Pat Tessener of Reidsville; a sister, Parry Campbell of Saginaw, Mich. and four grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Grover First Baptist Church or Grover Rescue Squad.

BLONDEAN ROBERTS

Funeral services for Mrs.

Mountaineer

Days Slated

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the 1985 celebration will be a big craft fair, featuring exhibitors from all over the Piedmont Carolinas, live entertainment on a stage near the Governmental Facilities Center both evenings and bingo both evenings in the bay area of the fire department. One of the big exhibits in the festival will be Cale Yarborough's race car.

Tignor said that pottery making, stenciling, basket weaving, spinning wheels, cider making, butter churning, ice cream and popcorn stands, a car show, the New Year Shooters from Cherrystone, Senior Citizens, churn making, and exhibits of military equipment plus concession stands and putt putt golf would offer a variety of entertainment in the back parking lot across from Western Auto on Cherokee Street. Stage events, also to be in the same area, will feature gospel singing, beginning on Friday after the parade, country and western groups, a street dance, Cornfield Cloggers and Briar Creek Band.

In the field across from City Hall will be a petting zoo, antique tools and Indian crafts and Boy Scouts will exhibit knot-tying and other activities in the vacant lot behind Kings Mountain Post Office. The Employees Parking lot at City Hall will also be a beehive of activity as various departments of the city display their role in Kings Mountain Life with big public services displays entitled, "Community Awareness."

The lobby of the new City Hall will be filled with a Craft Fair which has attracted 48 exhibitors from a wide area of the state. Mrs. Irvin Allen, chairman of the Fair, said that only two fair booths remain to be rented for crafts and that interested citizens should contact her immediately. The Crafts Fair will be open on Saturday, Oct. 5th, from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m.

Proceeds from the Mountaineer Days celebration will benefit the Toys for Tots program of the Kings Mountain Fire Department which on Christmas 1984 benefited more than 400 children in the Kings Mountain area.

In addition to the events on tap in downtown Kings Mountain on Friday evening, Oct. 4th, a football game at KMSHS is expected to attract large crowds. Special ceremonies are planned on the battle anniversary, Oct. 7th, at Kings Mountain National Military Park at 3 p.m.

"We are getting excited about the upcoming Mountaineer Days and invite everyone in Kings Mountain to come out, enjoy themselves, and contribute to the festivities with their own exhibits of antiques and crafts," said Tignor.

Blondean Love Roberts, 54, of Route 5, who died Tuesday at home, were conducted Saturday at 3 p.m. from Ebenezer Baptist Church of which she was a member. Rev. D.C. Wilson officiated at the rites and interment was in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Roberts was the daughter of the late Jefferson C. and Lucy McClain Love. She was wife of Howard B. Roberts, who survives.

Also surviving are four sons, Howard B. Roberts, Jr., Donald L. Roberts, Edgar E. Roberts and Gary C. Roberts, all of Kings Mountain; a brother, Jefferson C. Love of Rome, N.Y., four sisters, Kathleen Love, Vivian Jones

and Marietta Hines of Newburgh, N.Y. and Margaret Robinson of Milton, N.Y. and six grandchildren.

MRS. DESSIE FARLEY

Funeral services for Mrs. Dessie Farley, 80, of Waynesville, who died Wednesday, September 11th, were conducted Friday from Crawford Funeral Home in Waynesville, interment following in Waynesville Cemetery.

Mrs. Farley was a native of Cherokee County, N.C., daughter of the late Fermon Farley. She was daughter of the late William F. (Bill) Smith and Elda Holland

Smith of Kings Mountain.

Surviving are her daughter, Miss Gerlene Farley, and one son, Edward Farley, both of Waynesville; two sisters, Mrs. Willie Cable and Mrs. Mable Smith Ross, both of Kings Mountain; two brothers, Leonard A. Smith and Clarence (Grassy) Smith, both of Kings Mountain; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

EMMA PEARSON

Funeral services for Mrs. Emma Hawkins Pearson, 92, of 403 Chestnut Street, who died Saturday in the Kings Mountain Hospital, were conducted Monday afternoon at 3 p.m. from Second Baptist

Church of which she was a member.

Her pastor, Rev. Eugene Land, officiated at the rites, assisted by Rev. John Harris. Interment was in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

Mrs. Pearson was a native of Rutherford County and a retired textile employee. She was widow of Stanley Robert Pearson.

Surviving are seven sons, Olland Pearson, Tillman Pearson, Flay Pearson, Everett Pearson, Arthur Pearson and Roy Pearson, all of Kings Mountain, and S.R. Pearson, Jr. of Bessemer City; two daughters, Mrs. Lona Mae Gaddy of Kings Mountain and Mrs. Roberta Cobb

of Detroit, Mich.; sister, Mrs. Ollie Connor of Kings Mountain; 14 grandchildren; 27 great-grandchildren and 10 great-great grandchildren.

CARD OF THANKS

Words just can't express the thanks and appreciation to friends and neighbors that were so kind and thoughtful during our bereavement. Also, many thanks to Dr. John McGill, Dr. Gangoo and Dr. Robinson. And to the nurses of Kings Mountain Hospital for their loving care they gave our loved one. May God bless each and every one of you.

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