

OBITUARIES

MRS. GRADY RHEA, SR.
Funeral services for Mrs. Dora Dixon Rhea, 93, of 1149 Lake Shore Drive, who died Wednesday in the Kings Mountain Convalescent Center, were conducted Friday at 2 p.m. from First Presbyterian Church of which she was a member.

Dr. Eric Faust officiated at the service and interment was in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

Mrs. Rhea was a native of Cleveland County, retired textile employee, and daughter of the late Lee and Martha Hawkins Dixon. She was widow of Grady Alexander Rhea, Sr.

Surviving are six sons, James Rhea, Bobby Rhea, J.D. Rhea and Jack Rhea, all of Kings Mountain, Clyde Rhea of Grover, and Bill Rhea of Morrow, Ga., four daughters, Mrs. Doris Hamrick and Mrs. Linda Sanders, both of Kings Mountain, and Mrs. Wilma Hinson and Mrs. Hazel Folding, both of Douglas, Ga., three sisters, Mrs. Lillian Huss of Coral Gables, Fla., Mrs. Ida Thomasson and Mrs. Lydia Tucker, both of Halifax, N.C., 24 grandchildren, 24 great-grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

JESSIE KERR
Graveside services for Miss Jessie Kerr, 102, former Kings Mountain resident, were held Tuesday at 4 p.m. from Elizabeth Baptist Church Cemetery in Shelby by Rev. Jeff Brendle.

Miss Kerr, who lived in Kings Mountain many years ago, died in Lowman Nursing Home, White Rock, S.C., on Sunday. She was a native of Wellford, S.C., retired seamstress, and member of Rose Hill Presbyterian Church.

She was daughter of the late Robert and Catherine Borders Kerr.

Surviving are two sisters, Miss Pearl Kerr of Laurens, S.C. and Mrs. Julia Johnson of Greer, S.C.

CARD OF THANKS

The Family of Dora Dixon Rhea would like to thank the many friends and neighbors for all their thoughtful kindnesses and for the excellent care and consideration that Drs. Durham, Lee and Crowley and their staff provided.

MRS. INEZ RAY
Funeral services for Mrs. Inez Morgan Ray, 63, of 112 Water Oak St., who died Thursday in the Kings Mountain Hospital, were conducted Saturday at 11 a.m. from the Chapel of Harris Funeral Home.

Rev. James Hamrick and Rev. David Engle officiated and interment was in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

A native of York County, S.C., Mrs. Ray was the daughter of the late William and Lela Ramsey Morgan. She was widow of Claude Ray.

She is survived by one son, Dick Ray, of Austin, Texas, and one daughter, Mrs. Claudine Cobb of Kings

Mountain; one brother, Odus Morgan of Leesboro, Fla. and one sister, Mrs. Eva Baker of Richmond, Va., nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

EMMA OATS BARNETT
Funeral services for Mrs. Emma Oates Barnett, 81, of Route 4, who died Saturday night in Rutherford Nursing Center, were conducted Monday at 3 p.m. from Faith Baptist Church of which she was a member.

Rev. Harold Upton, Rev. Play Payne and Rev. Bob Hicklin officiated and interment was in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

Mrs. Barnett was a native

of Cleveland County and a retired textile employee. She was daughter of the late Bud and Mary Starnes Oats and widow of Clifford Barnett.

Surviving are two sons, Buddy and Charles Barnett of Kings Mountain; five daughters, Irene Robinette of Lincolnton, Ailene Dellinger of Spartanburg, S.C., Shirley Gillespie and Elaine Guin, both of Kings Mountain, and Betty Henson of Grover; one brother, Robert Oates of Kings Mountain; two sisters, Jessie Camp of Shelby and Gennie Rippey of Lowell; 18 grandchildren, 32 great-grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

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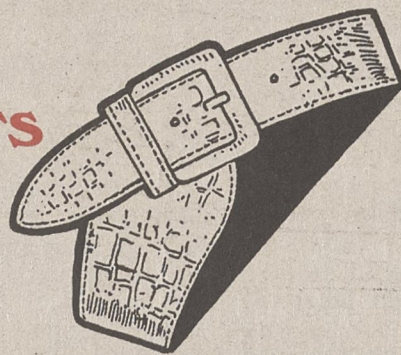
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AARP Meeting Tuesday

Notes from the Kings Mountain Chapter of AARP. The regular monthly meeting will be held Tues., Apr. 21 at 3 p.m. at the Kings Mountain Depot Center. Norman King will be in charge of the program. Thelma Hicks is in charge of the May program.

All members are asked to take a can of canned goods to be distributed to the poor as an Easter project.

Final paper work for the chapter's national charter has been completed and the chapter hopes to receive its charter on May 13.

AARP volunteers went to Morganton April 8 to participate in a workshop.

Members are reminded that the Senior Games will be held May 3-7 at Gardner-Webb College. Entry fee is \$2 each. The games are open to persons ages 55 and over.

The senior center is in need of van drivers. Anyone ages 55 and over with a chauffeur's license and who can work five hours a day with low income pension are asked to call Monty Thornburg at 734-0447 and schedule an interview.

Mary Wells became a member of the local AARP chapter on April 9. Mrs. Wells is the wife of the late Rev. Fred Wells.

Each member is asked to bring a friend to this month's meeting.

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