

Oak Grove Residents Retire From KM School System

On July 1, a double retirement from the Kings Mountain District School System will occur.

Louise Wright and Janie Rue Ware will make it official and hang up their aprons for the last time.

Louise began her duties 18 1/2 years ago in the Kings Mountain Senior High School cafeteria. Her first manager was Stella Ware and her second was Joyce Hord. In 1974, she began her work in the cafeteria of Kings Mountain Junior High School. This was before the school was entirely completed.

Louise's specialties are really great stuff-cookies, cakes, stickies, brownies, rolls, cornbread and French bread. She must have been extremely popular with the kids.

She advises that for a few years she also helped out with the meats. Hours were from 7:30 until 1:30 Monday through Friday. Her last manager was Mary Fitts.

Louise and husband, Stokes, have resided in the Oak Grove community for 42 years. They had five children. The oldest, Charles, is married to the former Martha Herndon. Charles and Martha have 2 boys, Chuck and Jason. They will soon be moving to Greenville, S.C.

Bill Wright is married to Tony Gilstrap and resides in the Pisgah area near Crowders Mountain.

Marty is married to Jerry Blanton and also resided in the Oak Grove community. Marty and Jerry have 2 children, Laura and Stephen.

Howard, the youngest child of Louise and Stokes, is deceased.

When asked how it feels to retire after all these years of working, Louise replied, "It won't hit me until everybody else starts back to work next fall, and I don't go."

Louise has been quite active in food related organizations. She has

served as president of the Cleveland County Food Chapter. She has been a member of this group for quite sometime and also served as secretary. Until her retirement, Louise has been a member of the scholarship committee and at one time was chairman. Each year a student from Shelby High and a student from Kings Mountain High each receive a \$500.00 scholarship.

Louise advises that she will spend most of her summer working in the garden.

Janie Rue Ware retires officially on July 1 from 10 years of service at East School on Cleveland Avenue. Her manager was Sara Queen. Jane Rue's service took place in the cafeteria, where she was known as the main dish cook. She explains that this means that she was responsible for cooking the meat dishes or the main course dish.

"I like to cook the simple dishes best, such as macaroni and cheese and taco salads," said Janie Rue.

When she first began her work in the Kings Mountain District School cafeteria, Martha Wright was over Kings Mountain's cafeterias. Her beginning position was a part time fill-in job. She took the first available full time position, which happened to be at East School.

Janie Rue and husband Clyde have lived in the Oak Grove community since 1943. They have 1 son, Thomas Wray, who live in Charlotte. When asked what she is going to do now after retirement, she replied, "I'm going to loaf and maybe take crocheting and knitting courses at the Senior Center in Shelby. "I think I'll like retirement."

Clyde and Janie Rue put up 80 pints of garden peas this week.

Jay and Carolyn Patterson recently visited with their daughter

Oak Grove

JUNE BALLARD



Gina at Ocean Isle. Gina moved approximately a month ago from Holden Beach.

Congratulations to Elaine Brooks and Barbara Hayes upon moving into their new three story home. This new home is situated on twenty acres on Luther Road in the Oak Grove community.

Last week we reported on the L.A. Stars and some of their victo-

ries. This week we have more of the same. This must be some more fantastic ball team.

Last Saturday and Sunday the Gayle Cross Memorial Tournament was held at the Hornets Nest Park in Charlotte, N.C. The L.A. Stars went through undefeated, winning the Division 3 Tournament. The journey to victory included defeating Presswood Construction 20 to 10, Carolina Travelers 20 to 3, S.I.S. 20 to 13, and Golf Tech 9 to 0.

This tournament was held in memory of Gayle Cross, who worked with children and was killed in a boating accident 13 years ago on Lake Norman.

All money raised and donated to a scholarship fund for senior girls.

On Tuesday, prior to the tournament, the L.A. Stars defeated Ground Cover by 8 to 0 at Shelby City Park.

June 17-18 will see our L.A. Stars in Bryson City at another tournament. Good luck, girls, we're pulling for you!

By the way, since they are going so good, I thought we would list their names again. They are: Barbara Hayes, Betty White, Cookie Cook, Joy Anderson, Elizabeth Lancy, Becky Appling, Leigh Ann Pender, Peggy Ledford, Kathy Dover, Kim Bailes, Debbie Fite, Tracy Fortison, Terry Switzer, A.J. Simmons, and Susan Briggs.

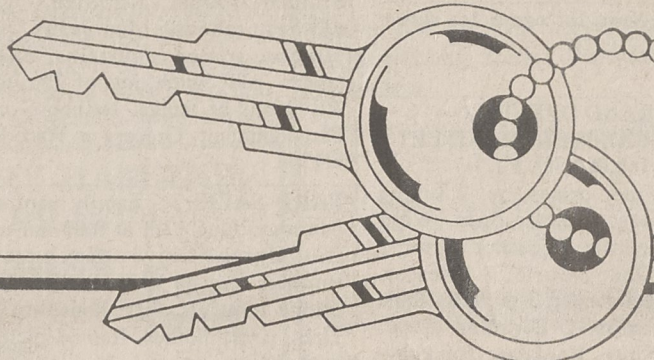
Congratulations to Anita Ware. This young lady received Appalachian State University's

Ronny Brooks Leadership Award for service to the university. A special young person to us all!

It seem that Norman and Raymond Blanton's scarecrow has been outclassed. It has been brought to my attention that the scarecrow in the garden beside New Camp Creek Church is dressed in a black sports coat and black derby hat. I guess its' appropriate to dress up a church scarecrow.

Judy Davis, the Electronics Department Manager at Wal-Mart, Shelby, recently attended the annual Wal-Mart Stockholders Meeting in Bentonville, Arkansas. She was there 3 days. While there she toured Mr. Walton's home and the Wal-Mart warehouse facilities.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keith Brown of Smith's, Alabama announce the arrival of their daughter, Lacie Rochelle Brown, Friday, June 9.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Stewart of the Dixon Community and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Brown of Smith's, Alabama.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. George T. Stewart of the Dixon Community and the late Mr. Stewart and Mrs. Mildred Williamson and the late Ponia Williamson of Smith's, Alabama.

Mrs. Brown is the former Kathy Stewart.

Other members of the Brown family are their children, Beth and Chris Sutton and Ryan Brown.

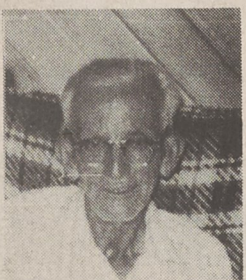
It's A Boy For Walkers

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Walker of 5031 Avenida Del Sol, Raleigh, announce the arrival of their son, Zachary Klye Walker, May 26. He weighed seven pounds, one ounce and was 20 inches long.

Grandparents are Charles and Margaret Walker of Scotland Drive and Tom and Betty Moore of Raleigh.

Mrs. Walker is the former Debbie Moore.

In Memory Of: Willie Greason

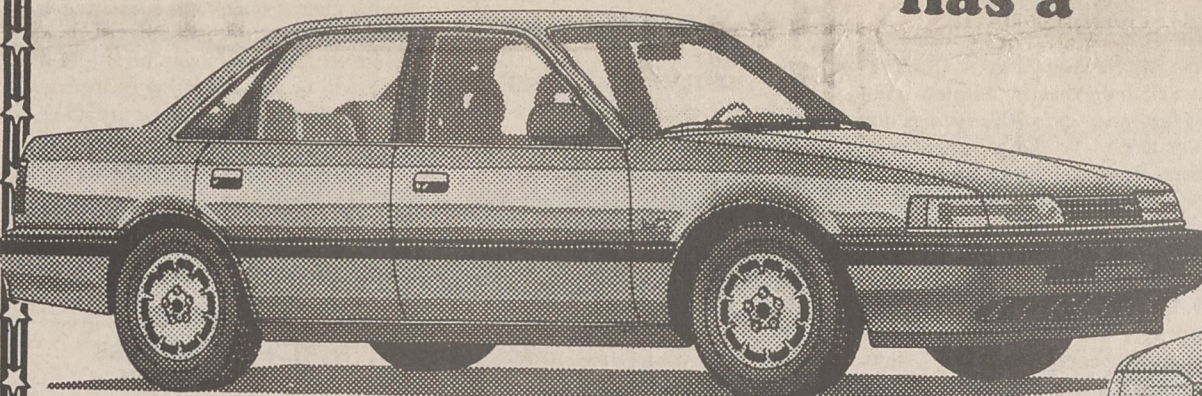


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Even though, he's now in God's hands
We'll remember the simple things he loved of life
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And the memories of a man
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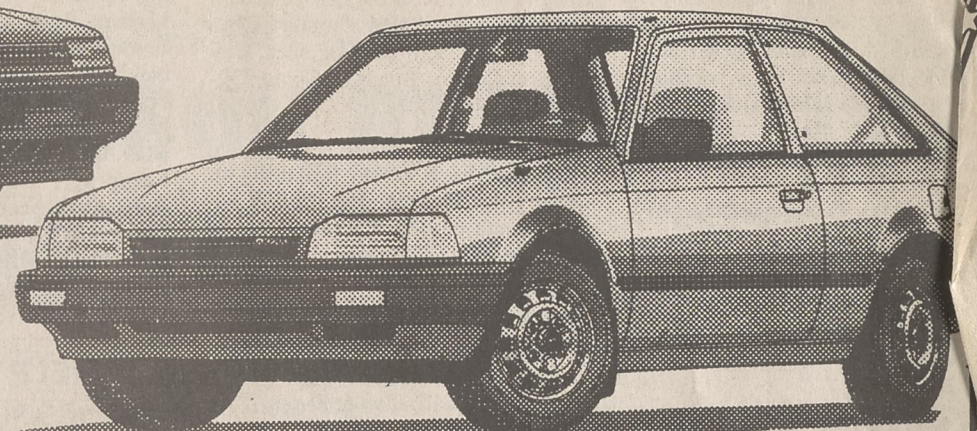
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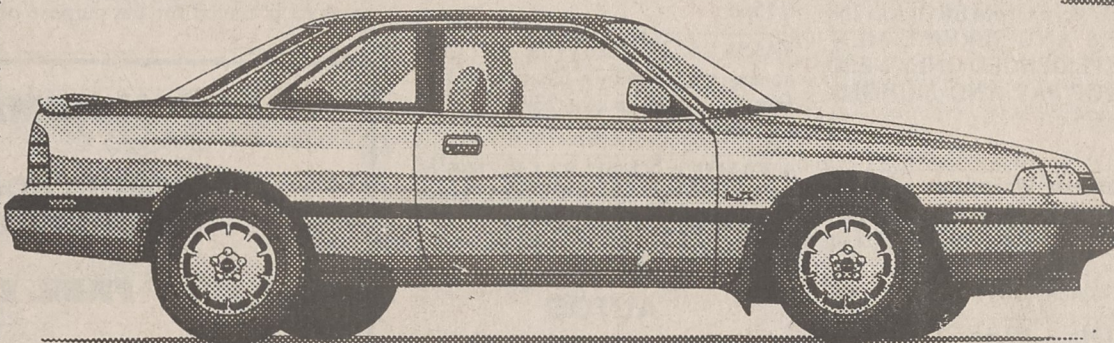
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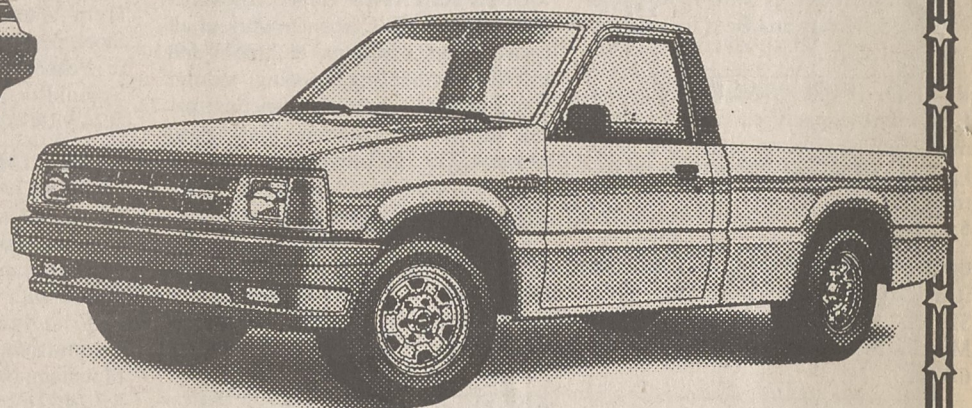
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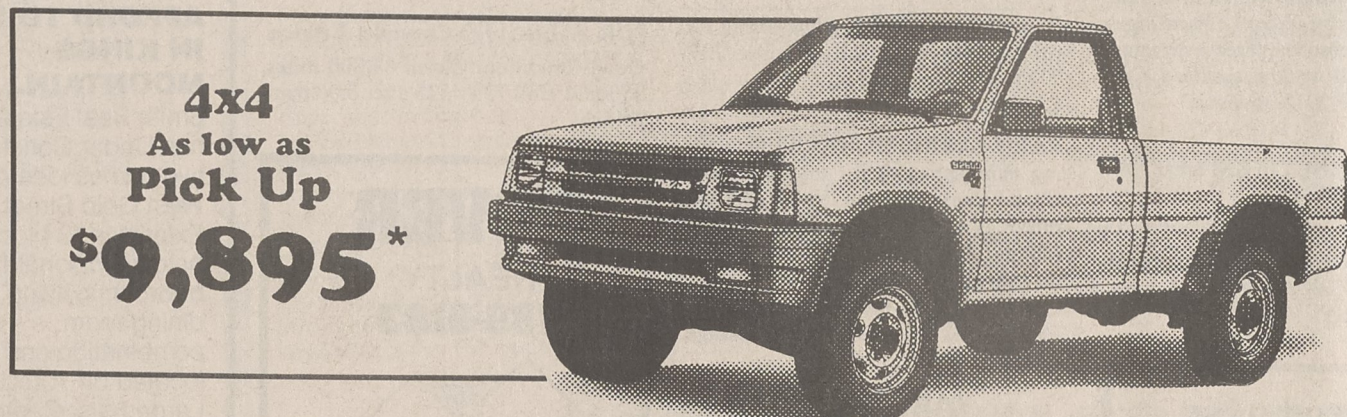
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