## **Obituaries**

**JACK DOTY** 

NICELAND, Fla. - Jack H. Doty, 59, died Saturday, July 8, in Elgin Air Force Base Hospital.

A Cleveland County native, he was the son of the late J.F. and Bertha Shepard Doty. He was retired after 22 years of service in the U.S. Air Force.

He is survived by his wife, Ruby Scanlon Doty; one son, Jack H. Doty Jr. of Niceland; three daughters Susann Clary of Niceland, Brenda McCarty of Germany and Debie Neare of Texas; his stepmother, Marie H. Doty of Shelby; two brothers. J.D. Doty of Shelby and Charles Doty of Newton; two sisters, Margaret McSwain of Kings Mountain and Lucille Lee of Shelby; and 13 grandchildren.

Services were conducted Wednesday at Little Chapel Funeral Home in Walton Beach. Burial was in National Cemetery in Pensacola.

#### JESSE HEAVNER

CHERRYVILLE - Jesse Burlen Heavner, 77, of 602 South Styres Street, died Saturday, July 8, at Kings Mountain Hospital.

A Gaston County native, he was the son of the late Acie Lee and Ellen Hallman Heavner. He was married to the late Cleo Whitstine Heavner and was a retired carpen-

He is survived by one brother, Pete Heavner of Kings Mountain; and four sisters, Violet Ledwell, Nell Houser, Lorene Truitt and Mary Heavner, all of Cherryville.

Services were conducted Tuesday at 11 a.m. at Carpenter's Funeral Home by the Rev. Odus Shelton and the Rev. H.S. Scruggs. Burial was in Mountain Rest Cemetery in Kings Mountain.
ANNIE HESTER

CHERRYVILLE - Annie B. Hester, 75, of 317 North Cherry Street, died Sunday, July 9, in Newton.

A Gaston County native, she was the daughter of the late Matthew and Ida Whitworth and wife of the late John C. Hester. She was a retired winder at Burlington Rhyne Houser plant.

She is survived by two sons, Steve Hester and Hillard Hester of Kings Mountain; two daughters. Shirley Gales and Brenda Pruitt of Newton; one brother, Eugene Whitworth of Cherryville; three sisters, Gladys Ledbetter, and Dolly Hedgepath and Margie Hedgepath, all of Cherryville; nine ndchildren; and seven great-

grandchildren. Services were conducted Tuesday at 3 p.m. at Oak Grove Baptist Church by the Rev. I.B. Phillips and the Rev. J.D. Grasty. Burial was in City Memorial Cemetery.

## JOYCE F. PHIFER

Funeral services for Mrs. Joyce Foster Phifer, 63, of Phifer Road, who died July 10 at Charlotte Memorial Hospital, were conducted Tuesday at 4 p.m. at Harris

Rev. Lyn Sorrells officiated, and interment was in El Bethel Cemetery.

A native of Kings Mountain, she was the daughter of the late Sarah C. Cansler and Joe B. Foster and was widow of William Sanford Phifer. She was a former employee of L&L Hosiery. She was also a former employee of the old Kings Mountain Drug Store in Kings Mountain. She was a member of El Bethel United Methodist Church.

Surviving are two sons, Joseph Martin Phifer of Kings Mountain and William (Sandy) Phifer of North Wilkesboro; one brother, Dick Foster of Newberry, S.C. and four grandchildren.

## **HUBERT SLOAN**

Funeral services for Hubert Sloan, 70, of Route 4, who died July 3 at Cleveland Memorial

Hospital, were conducted Friday at 3 p.m. at Gethsemane Holiness Church by Bishop James Mintz, interment following in the church

with the State Highway Department in Shelby, was born in Hickory, son of the late Ike and Ada Sloan. He was a member of Pentecostal Holiness Church in

Survivors are his wife, Lula: sons, Leroy Sloan of Gastonia, Will Sloan, Eddie Sloan, both of Shelby, Sgt. Namon Sloan of Columbus, Ga.; daughters, Mrs. Yvonne Dawkins of Gaffney, S.C., Mrs. Lorene Stevenson, Mrs. Minnie Howell, boyth of Shelby; stepsons, Robert Webb, Rex Webb; stepdaughters, Miss Annie Mae Webb of Grover, Miss Tiny Webb; brothers, Richard Sloan and Earley Sloan of Brooklyn, New York.

### OPAL B. GREEN

Funeral services for Opal Barney Green, 74, of 7200 Midpines, who died July 6 at Cleveland Memorial Hospital, were conducted Saturday at 2 p.m. at Harris Chapel by Rev. Steve Grigg, Rev. T. F. Tupherow and Rev. George Leigh, interment following in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

A native of Kings Mountain, he was the son of the late Oscar Benjamin and Ouder Randall Green. He was husband of the late Bertha Morris Green and a retired textile employee. He was a veteran of World War II.

Surviving are his son, Herman Green of Kings Mountain; his .daughter, Mrs. Janice Proctor of Kings Mountain; three brothers, Odus Green, Donald Green and Randall Green, all of Kings Mountain; three sisters, Mrs. Virginia Grigg of Kings Mountain, Mrs. Flo Beverly of Kings Mountain and Mrs. Margaret Neal of Gastonia; three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

## **OLIVER BRIDGES**

Funeral services for Oliver Bright Bridges, 75, of Route 3 Chestnut Ridge Church Road, who died July 8 at Cleveland Memorial Hospital, were conducted Sunday at 4 p.m. at Chestnut Ridge Baptist

Church of which he was a member. Rev. Mitchell Pruitt officiated, terment was in the church

A native of Gaston County, he be son of the late Ben R. and Pear Bridges. He was a foreman for Hoeland Construction Company. He was married to Ruby Putnam Bridges.

Surviving, in addition to his wife, are four sons, Donald Wayne Bridges of Pensacola, Fla., Bobby Kenneth Bridges of Shelby, Dean Bridges of Jackson, N. C. and Roger Bridges of Kings Mountain; one brother, Carl Bridges of Kings Mountain; three sisters, Mrs Audrey Webster, Mrs. Edna McSwain and Mrs. Eva Ware, all of Kings Mountain; seven grand-

#### children and one great-grandchild. MILDRED BALLARD

Funeral services for Mildred (Mitch) Ballard, 68, of 405 Gillespie St.., who died at her home July 5, were conducted Friday at 3 p.m. at Harris Chapel by Rev. Kenneth George, interment in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

A native of Cleveland County, she was the daughter of the late Thomas Franklin and Laura Amelia Lawing Ballard. She was a retired textile employee and a member of Grace United Methodist Church.

Surviving are one brother, Charles Ballard of Kings Mountain; and five sisters, Carrie Guyton of Great Falls, S.C. and Eva George, Roberta Ellison, Pauline Ware and Gertie Roper, all of Kings Mountain.

YEAR AGO

#### KM Weather Report JULY 5-11

Average Temperature	81.4	78.5
Maximum Temperature	97 (10th, 11th)	98 (8th)
Minimum Temperature	67 (8th)	57 (5th)
Year To Date	29.18	15.71
Maximum One Day	.12 (7th)	2.40 (8th)
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#### **ANN WHITESIDES**

Funeral services for Ann Hawkins Whitesides, 62, of 906 Boyce Street, who died Wednesday at home, will be conducted Mr. Sloan, a retired custodian Thursday at 3 p.m. at Grace United Methodist Church of which she was a member.

> Rev. Frank Gordon and Rev. Hoyle Whitesides will officiate, and interment will be in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

Mrs. Whitesides was a native of Cleveland County, daughter of the late Preston Audie and Nettie Pearson Hawkins. She was employed by Ruppe Hosiery Inc. She was wife of Robert (Whitey) Whitesides.

Surviving, in addition to her husband, are their son, Alan Whitesides of Kings Mountain; one brother, Tommy Hawkins of Kings Mountain; seven sisters, Mrs. Betty Crawford, Mrs. Myra Hagens, Mrs. Linda Tignor, Mrs. Mildred Bumgardner, Mrs. Etha Bumgardner, Mrs. Peggy Davis, all of Kings Mountain, and Mrs. Lois Ellis of Grover; and one grandchild.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Cleveland County, 201 W. Marion St., Shelby, N. C.

## VIOLA S. CRAWFORD

Funeral services for Mrs. Viola Smith Crawford, 77, of 306 Linden St., Grover, who died Wednesday at Cleveland Memorial Hospital, will be held Friday at 3 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Grover of which she was a member.

Dr. Van Murrell and Dr. Paul Sorrells will officiate and interment will be in Cleveland Memorial

Widow of James Monroe Crawford, she was the daughter of the late Charlie Jenkins and Harriet Leona Evans Smith and was a retired textile employee.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Hoarce Tate, Mrs. Cora Fields and several nieces and nephews from Anniston, Ala.

The family will receive friends Thursday night from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at Harris Funeral Home.

#### ON DEAN'S LIST

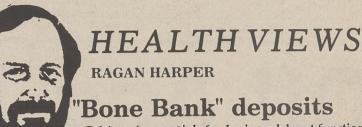
Angela P. Bozeman is listed on the Chancellor's and Dean's List at Fayetteville State University for the spring semester. Chancellor's List students earned a 3.80 gpa or above on a 4.0 scale. Dean's List students earned a 3.20 gpa or

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