

## Obituaries

### CLIFTON TIMMS

Clifton Eugene "Chick" Timms, 65, of 124 Timms Circle, died October 30, 1992 at home.

A native of Gaston County, he was married to Jessie Bishop Timms and was son of the late Benjamin F. and Lula Mae Eskew Timms. He was a retired air-conditioning and heating technician. He was a member and deacon of Macedonia Baptist Church. He was a World War II Army veteran.

Surviving, in addition to his wife, are two sons, Morris E. Timms and Ronald C. Timms, both of Kings Mountain; one daughter, Gail Smith of Kings Mountain; one brother, Morris Timms of Kings Mountain; seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

The funeral was conducted Sunday at 3 p.m. at Macedonia Baptist Church. Rev. David Philbeck and Rev. Tom Patterson officiated. Burial was in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Cleveland County, 201 W. Marion St., Shelby, 28150.

### KAY SUMAN

Kay McGinnis Suman, 62, of 125 Redwing Drive, died November 28, 1992 at home.

A native of Gaston County, she was the wife of Paul Suman and daughter of Lorene Cornwell McGinnis of Kings Mountain and the late J. M. McGinnis. She was formerly employed as Customer Service Manager at Kinmont Industries. She was a member of Resurrection Lutheran Church.

Surviving, in addition to her husband and mother, are one son, Joe Cornwell of Charlotte; one daughter, Diane Cornwell Russell of Kings Mountain; one brother, Michael McGinnis of Destin, Florida; and three grandchildren.

The graveside service was conducted Friday at 3 p.m. at Mountain Rest Cemetery. Rev. John Futterer officiated. Burial was in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

### JANIE JACKSON

Miss Janie Jackson, 90, of South Gaston Street, Kings Mountain, died October 30, 1992 at White Oak Manor.

A native of Gaston County, she was the daughter of the late Wallace Thompson and Lelia Lavenia Falls Jackson. She was a retired textile employee and a life-long member of Boyce Memorial A.R.P. Church.

She is survived by a brother, Howard Jackson of Kings Mountain; and one sister, Nina Jackson Hoyle of Shelby.

The funeral was conducted by the Rev. William Barron Sunday at 2 p.m. at Boyce Memorial A.R.P. Church. Burial was in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

### FLOYD R. PAYNE

Floyd R. Payne, 82, of Apt. 13-A, Battleforest Apts., Kings Mountain, died November 3, 1992 at his home.

A native of Gaston County, he was the son of the late James R. and Georgia Baxter Payne. He was a retired employee of Lithium Corporation and a member of Central United Methodist Church. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

He is survived by his wife, Myrtle Rice Payne of Kings Mountain; one brother, Otto Payne of Kings Mountain; and two sisters, Jennie Crenshaw of Kings Mountain and Eva Avery of Dubach, La.

The funeral will be conducted by the Revs. Robert Little and Maurice Clayton Friday at 11 a.m. at Central United Methodist Church. Burial will be in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

The family will receive friends Thursday from 7-9 p.m. at Harris Funeral Home.

### DONNA JEAN GORDON

CHARLOTTE - Donna Jean Gordon, 42, of 1499 Albemarle Rd., formerly of Rock Hill, S.C., died October 30, 1992 at Charlotte Presbyterian Hospital.

She was the daughter of Willie Mae Starnes and the late James William Gordon.

Surviving, in addition to her mother, are her stepfather, Robert Starnes; and one sister, Cathie Gordon, all of Indian Trail.

The graveside service was conducted Monday at 11 a.m. at Laurelwood Cemetery in Rock Hill. Rev. Don Lisk officiated.

### CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our sincere thanks to the doctors from McGill Clinic for the care given to our loved one while in Kings Mountain Hospital. Thank you to the staff of Extended Care for their tending loving care given to her. We want to say many thanks and we love each one of you.

The family of Mae Eaker

## Goforth explains system

Kings Mountain Middle School Principal John Goforth explained how the local school uses computer-based learning systems as a panelist at the 23rd annual conference Wednesday of the North Carolina School Boards Association in Raleigh.

AT KMMS, Goforth is currently working with Jostens Learning Corporation on the installation of a 60-station distributed network. Goforth was formerly principal of East Elementary where students in grades 3, 4, and 5 utilized Jostens

Learning's Basic Learning System for reading and math lessons over a distributed network.

Supt. Dr. Bob McRae and Board of Education Chairman Ronnie Hawkins also attended portions of the meeting.

McRae was nominated by the local board for Superintendent of the Year. The winner is to be announced on Thursday's banquet at Sheraton Imperial Hotel and Convention Center in Research Triangle Park.

## Kings Mountain Weather Report

	Oct. 28-Nov. 3	Year Ago
Total precipitation	1.74	.02
Maximum one day	1.15 (2nd)	.02 (1st)
Year to date	49.67	43.38
Minimum temperature	50 (28th)	56 (3rd)
Maximum temperature	74 (29th, 30th, 3rd)	84 (25th)
Average temperature	62.4	56.1



**HALLOWEEN CUTIES** - Third grade students of Evelyn Kiser at Bethware School dressed in Halloween costumes Friday. Front, left to right, are Jennifer Scism and Ashley Hamrick. Back, Christin Moore, Amy Pullen, Tamra Ashe and Chad Bridges.

## HUNT

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Country, which was my great hope. They intended to beat me in Gaston by adding 3,085 Democrat voters to 810 Republicans, a 3.8 to worked a lot over there and my theme was that I was going to be their neighborhood representative because I live so close to them. I think the people accepted that."

Weatherly ran first in Gaston County with 2,302 votes to 2,100 for Hunt and 2,095 for Lutz.

In Cleveland, Hunt led with 16,637, followed by Lutz with 16,168 and Weatherly 15,601. Weatherly won six precincts and also received the most transfer and absentee votes. He ran away with the Bethware precinct with 1,058 votes to 811 for Lutz, 736 for Hunt, 604 for Withrow and 808 for Allen. Weatherly also won in Boiling Springs, Casar, Mulls, Shanghai, Shelby #2, Shelby #6 and Shelby #7.

Weatherly said he looks forward to returning to Raleigh and making a difference in a Democrat-controlled General Assembly.

"The first thing we'll be concerned about will be the organization of the General Assembly," he said. "We'll have enough Republicans to be effective. I certainly hope we have enough so the Democrats can't suspend the rules with a two-thirds majority. That's the tactic they use to pull their chicanery."

"My other hope," he added, "would be to help bring about tax reform in the budget process so we won't have shortfalls; and generally, to represent the district by responding to the people and paying attention to the job, and certainly not being a 'good ole boy' in Raleigh."

Weatherly and Harris won't be the only familiar faces in Raleigh. Former Governor Jim Hunt regained the Governor's mansion by soundly defeating Republican Lt. Gov. Jim Gardner.

Hunt, who collected well over 50 percent of the vote statewide, survived a nasty advertising campaign with Gardner to regain the

seat he held from 1976-84. Hunt was the first N.C. governor to succeed himself.

Hunt said he would work for a stronger economy and more jobs, quality education, a better criminal justice system which requires prisoners to work, and efficient state government.

"North Carolina is on the move again," Hunt told his excited supporters after Gardner conceded.

Gardner, who ran unsuccessfully for governor in 1968, hinted that this may be his last attempt at public office.

Cleveland County voters followed the state pattern in awarding Hunt 52.5 percent of the vote to 41.8 for Gardner. Hunt received 16,353 in the county to 12,824 for Gardner and 1,239 for Libertarian Scott McLaughlin.

Gardner carried only two precincts in Cleveland, Bethware and Shelby #1.

In the race for Lt. Gov., Democrat Dennis Wicker defeated Republican Art Pope and Libertarian Jeanette Small.

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