# **Obituaries**

## **RUTHIE M. BLACK** EARL - Ruthie Moore Black, 80, Highway 198, died March 28,

1995 at her home. A native of Cherokee County.

SC, she was the daughter of the late Samuel and Roda McDaniel Moore. She was a retired winder tender with Osage, Bessemer City, and was a member of Antioch Baptist Church, Blacksburg, SC.

She is survived by her husband, Benjamin Richard Black; two sons, Paul Black of Kings Mountain and Victor Black of Forest City; seven daughters, Bennie Moore and Janie Wilson of Blacksburg, SC; Julie Camp of Raeford, Louise Lovelace of Grover, Ilene Allen of Patterson Springs, and Edna Cogdell and Carolyn Romez of Kings Mountain; a brother, J.B. Moore of Kings Mountain; 32 grandchildren, 42 great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be conducted by the Revs. Vernon Craig and Bob Hope Thursday at 2 p.m. at Antioch Baptist Church. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

## **GENE EARLY**

STATESBORO, GA. - Gene Early, 63, died Thursday at his residence after an apparent heart attack

A native of Kings Mountain, he had been living in Bulloch County for the past 17 years. He was employed by Georgia State University in the Data Processing Department. He was a veteran of the Korean Conflict, and was a Baptist.

He is survived by his wife, Ruby Early of Statesboro; two daughters and sons-in-law, Sandra and Jim Elliget of Summerville, SC, and Kim Louise and Tony Albanese of Statesboro; three sons and daughters-in-law, Phillip Wayne and Monica Early of St. Stephens, SC, Todd and Linda Early of Statesboro, and Alan Early of Statesboro; three brothers, Ed Early of Orlando, Fla., Rev. Lloyd Early of Iowa, and Rev. Tom Early of Holland, Mich.; three sisters, Adams, Mich.; and 12 grandchil-

## **RUBY C. SMITH**

## SHELBY - Ruby Lee Chapman Smith, 66, 1815 Oakhurst Drive, died March 22, 1995 at Cleveland Memorial Hospital.

A native of Cleveland County, she was the daughter of the late Noah E. and Beulah Dixon Chapman, and mother of the late Joseph Keith Chapman. She was retired from Shelby Knit and was a member of David Baptist Church, Kings Mountain, where she was a member of the Golden Circle Sunday School Class.

She is survived by her daughter, Diane Chapman Vess of Grover; four brothers, R.C. Chapman, Lloyd Chapman, Joe Chapman and Jerry Chapman, all of Kings Mountain; six sisters, Lois Parker of Grover, Hazel Graham, Mae Grigg, Madge Hawkins and Rene Bolin, all of Kings Mountain, and Helen Lail of Shelby; three grandchildren, Sonya Deaton and Christine Marlow of Shelby and Ann Travis Chapman of Mountain Rest, SC; and two great-grandchildren, Heather Deaton and Dylan Marlow of Shelby. She was preceded in death by a brother, Johnny Chapman; and a sister, Pauline Moss.

The funeral was conducted by the Rev. Claude McIntosh Friday at 2 p.m. at David Baptist Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to David Baptist Church, Kings Mountain, NC 28086.

## **FRELOVE FOSTER**

Frelove Foster, 79, 207 Fairview Street, Kings Mountain, died March 23, 1995 at her home.

A native of Kings Mountain, she was the daughter of the late John J. and Ellnorah Mitchel Faris Foster. She was a homemaker and a member of Second Baptist Church.

She is survived by a number of nieces and nephews.

The funeral was conducted by the Rev. Eugene Land Saturday at 3 p.m. at Second Baptist Church. Burial was in Bethany ARP

## **CARD OF THANKS**

Clark of Grover would like to express their thanks for prayers, thoughtfulness, flowers, food and concern during the death of their loved one.

#### **RUTH MESSENGER**

Ruth Elizabeth Messenger, 78, 119 Country Meadows Lane, Kings Mountain, died March 22, 1995 at Cleveland Memorial Hospital.

A native of Jamestown, NY, she was the daughter of the late William Raistick and Alice Bland Raistick, and wife of the late Wilson L. Messenger. She was a retired veneer foreman.

She is survived by her son, Don Messenger of Kings Mountain; a brother, Raymond Raistick of San Diego, CA; a sister, Mrs. Mavis Mead of Gerry, NY; and three grandchildren.

A graveside service was conducted by Dr. John Sloan Saturday at 3 p.m. at Mountain Rest Cemetery.

### **HELEN E. WARREN**

SHELBY - Helen Eaker Warren, 68, Cleveland Pines, died March 21, 1995 at Cleveland Pines.

A native of York County, SC, she was the daughter of the late Lafayette I. and Myrtle Costner Eaker. She was former Emergency Room Supervisor Nurse of Old Hickory Memorial Hospital and was a member of El Bethel United Methodist Church.

She is survived by a son, Bud Warren of Hickory; a daughter, Krista Walton of Hickory; three brothers, Ralph Eaker of Hickory and Boyce Eaker and Jack Eaker of Kings Mountain; two sisters, Ruth Mayhew and Averice Bridges of Kings Mountain; and three grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her son, Robert Warren.

The funeral was conducted by the Revs. David Greene and Tim Lowery Friday at 11 a.m. at Harris Chapel. Burial was in El Bethel United Methodist Church cemetery.



# **ERNEST W. MOSES**

BLACKSBURG, SC - Ernest Wesley Moses, 84, 645 Possum Trot Road, died Friday, March 24, 1995 at Upstate Carolina Medical Center.

A native of Cherokee County, he was the son of the late Albert Moses and the late Marrie Mosley Moses. He was a retired textile worker and a member of Antioch Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Elizabeth Dover Moses; two daughters, Mary Moses and Ruby M. Manning; and two sons, Robert M. Moses and J.D. Moses.

He is survived by five sons, Johnny Junior Moses of Blacksburg, Howard Moses of Lake Wylie, Marvin Moses and James Moses of Gaffney, and Ernest Moses Jr. of Clinton; five daughters, Louise M. Love and Wilma M. Bolin of Blacksburg, Dorthy M. Pruitt of Gastonia, Ann M. Ingle of Lincolnton, and Julie

M. Stewart of Kings Mountain; 28 grandchildren, four step-grandchildren, 33 great-grandchildren, nine step great-grandchildren; and one great-great grandchild.

The funeral was conducted by the Revs. Ernest Craig and Darrell Revels Sunday at 3 p.m. at Antioch Baptist Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Hospital

ternist looking at Kings Mountain was interviewed on a CNN report about medical care recently and noted that she was being recruited by Kings Mountain Hospital.

Neal said that Carolinas Health Care Network, which will hire the two new doctors, will manage their offices in Professional Park formerly occupied by Dr. Scott Mayse and Dr. Staley Jackson

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something about the city limits lines," she said.

Cook made the remarks as she outlined plans for the municipal election October 10 when Kings Mountain citizens will go to the polls to elect a mayor and three ward commissioners. Four-year terms of Mayor Scott Neisler and Council members Phil Hager, Ward One, Jim Guyton, Ward Two and Norma Bridges, member at large, are expiring. Filing for the municipal election

will begin at noon on July 7 and end at noon on August 4. The deadline for new registration and address changes is September 18. Deadline for new registration and address changes for the runoff election November 7 is October

Filing fee for mayor is \$60. Filing fee for council members is \$35.

Cook said if the terms of City Council are shortened to two terms on June 13 that in 1997 all eight seats on the Council will be up for grabs.





Health Department will hold a rabies clinic beginning Monday, April 3rd and running through Saturday, April 8th, 1995 for the citizens of our county. The \$5.00 cost for each rabies vaccination will be the lowest charges in 10 years. In addition to the

veterinarians providing the reduced vaccination rate at their offices during their regular hours, they will also hold satellite clinics

throughout the county at the times and locations listed.

## OFFICES

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