Charlie Elwood Crocker

Wilmington Star-News, The (Wilmington, NC) 08/07/2004

Mr. Charlie Elwood Crocker, 75, of Wilmington, died Wednesday, August 4, 2004, at the Lower Cape Fear Hospice and LifeCareCenter. Mr. Crocker was born October 2,1928, in New Hanover County, the son of the late Joseph Henderson and Ada Bell West Crocker. He was a veteran of World War II serving in the U.S. Army and was employed with the former Spofford Mills until its closing and later was a paint contractor.

Besides his parents Charlie was preceded in death by three brothers Woodrow Crocker, James H. Crocker, Joe Arnold Crocker and three sisters Leila Pigford, Bessie Blanton and Lillian Williams.

Survivors include his four daughters, Norma Baker of Ocala, FL, Juanita McCleod and Kathy Bordeaux of Erwin, NC, Susan Caster of Godwin, NC, six sisters, Margaret Matthews of New Bern, NC, May Mills and her husband Charlie of Chesapeake, VA, Victoria Mills of Columbus, Ohio, Betty Pope and her husband Edgar H. Pope of Wilmington, Barbara Ann Marlowe and her husband Frank Ray of Kannapolis, NC, Vera C. Patterson of Delco, NC, nine grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held at 3:00 Saturday, August 7, 2004, at the Coble Ward-Smith Funeral Service, Oleander Chapel by the Reverend Anthony Fontana. The interment will be in Prospect Cemetery. The family will receive friends following the service. A Service of Coble Ward-Smith Funeral and Cremation Service Oleander Chapel. 910791-4444.

Margaret Brown Crocker Hayes

Dunn Daily Record 09/14/2007



Margaret Brown Hayes, 71, of 271 E. L St., Erwin, died Wednesday, Sept. 12, 2007, at Johnston Memorial Hospital in Smithfield. She was born Aug. 30, 1936, in Johnston County to the late Lonnie and Susan Brown. She was preceded in death by her husband, James Brown Hayes; and a granddaughter, Denise Bordeaux. Funeral services will be held 3 p.m. Sunday at Sansom Community Church by the Rev. Jerome Pope. Burial will follow at Pleasant Grove Church Cemetery in Dunn.

Survivors include daughters, Juanita McLeod and husband Mike of Erwin, Kathy Bordeaux of Dunn, Norma Baker and husband Anthony of

Princeton, W.Va., Susan Gaster and husband Wesley of Godwin; a son, James Earl Hayes and wife Debbie of Erwin; stepchildren, Shelia Hayes and James B. Hayes Jr. of Fayetteville; sister,

Janet Lackey of Dunn; brothers, Lonnie Brown of Monroe and Butch Brown of Dunn; 15 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends Saturday from 7 to 9 p.m. at Cromartie-Miller & Lee Funeral Home in Dunn and other times at the home of James Earl and Debbie Hayes, 407 W. F St., Erwin.

Helen Mae Brown Massengill

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC) December 21, 2000

FOUR OAKS - Helen B. Massengill, 92, died Tuesday at Johnston Memorial Hospital. Funeral 3 p.m. Saturday, First Baptist Church with Rev. John Norman officiating. Burial will follow in the Four Oaks Cemetery.

Surviving: son, Alfred W. Massengill of Four Oaks; sister, Ethelene Broadwell of Selma; granddaughter Amanda Massengill; grandson, Nathan Massengill.

Mrs. Massengill will lie in state on Saturday from 12-3 p.m. and the family will receive friends from 1-3 p.m. at the church. Arrangements by Minshew Funeral Home.

Jack Garyen Brown

The News & Observer August 6, 1999

Jack Garyen Brown, of Raleigh, died Thursday. Jack was preceded in death by his wife, Tommie Van Pelt Brown. He was also a retired employee with the N.C. Dept. of Corrections. Funeral 4 p.m. today, Montlawn Funeral Home chapel with burial in Montlawn Memorial Park. Family will receive relatives and friends immediately after the service in the funeral home.

Surviving are: children, Dawn Denning and her husband, Carsie, Tim Brown, Christy Gates and her husband, Ricky, and Ashlee Brown. He is survived also by five grandchildren, Garyen and Carrie Denning; Richard, Patrick and Tommie Lawren Gates. Surviving siblings, Ozelle Stanley, Pauline Bell and Bruce Brown.

Daddy's love of life and family was a blessing to both his family and friends. We will miss you dearly and love you always, your children.

Arrangements by Montlawn Funeral Home.

James Brown Hayes

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC) August 11, 1995

ERWIN -- James Brown Hayes, 53, of 407 W. F St. died Thursday in Wake Medical Center in Raleigh. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday in Price Funeral Home chapel by the Revs. Jerome Pope, Billy Nowell and Ronnie Hayes. Burial will be in the Pleasant Grove Church cemetery.

Mr. Hayes is survived by his wife, Margaret B. Hayes of the home; two sons, James B. "Jimmy" Hayes Jr. of Fayetteville and James E. Hayes of Erwin; five daughters, Sheila A. Hayes and Juanita McLeod, both of Erwin, Katherine Bordeaux of Fuquay-Varina, Norma Baker of Coats and Susan Gaster of Godwin; a brother, Billy R. Hayes of Erwin; 13 grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at the funeral home and other times at the home.

Ossie Brown Stephenson

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC) August 14, 1997

Mrs. Ossie B. Stephenson, 83, of 1829 Front St., A-1, Durham, N.C. died Wednesday morning. Mrs. Stephenson graduated Sanford High School and the Belcano Cosmetology School in New York, moved to Durham and was employed by Belk's until she married the late Shaw T. Stephenson in 1937. She was a member of the Trinity Avenue Presbyterian Church and the Women's Club and the 1959-1960 President. Charter Member of the Durham Exchangette of the Year award and later, she received the 1961-62 Outstanding Exchangette of the Year award and later an Honorary Lifetime Membership in the club. She was also a member of the Durham Women's Club.

The funeral will be 2 p.m. Friday in Hall-Wynne Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Dr. Stuart G. Leyden officiating. Burial will follow at Maplewood Cemetery, Annex B, Section 16. Pallbearers will be Warren Baker, John Hinton, Bryan Johnson, Jimmy Lasater, Joe Masdon, Bll Murchison, Daryl Stephenson, David Stephenson II.

Surviving are a son, David Norman Stephenson of Reidsville; daughter, Ms. Anna Marie Stephenson of Hillsborough; three grandchildren, Sherryl Ann Masdon of Greensboro, David Norman Stephenson II and Daryl Shaw Stephenson of Durham; two sisters, Mrs. Frances Murchison and Mrs. Helen Baker both of Goldston.

The family will receive visitors at Hall-Wynne Funeral Home from 7-9 p.m. Thursday. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions be made to Trinity Avenue Presbyterian Church, 927 W. Trinity Avenue, Durham, N.C. 27701.

Susan Jane Porter Brown

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC) August 13, 1999

DUNN -- Mrs. Susan Porter Brown, 89, of 3306 Meadowlark Road died Thursday. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday in Price Funeral Home chapel in Erwin by the Rev. Jerome Pope. Burial will be in Erwin Memorial Park.

Mrs. Brown is survived by two sons, Lonnie Brown of Monroe and William "Butch" Brown of Dunn; three daughters, Geraldine King of Hillsborough, Margaret Hayes of Erwin and Janet Lackey of Dunn; two sisters, Alene Mason and Jessie Hall, both of Erwin; 20 grandchildren; 31 great-grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at the funeral home.