

Mrs. Jones, 92, Passes In Virginia

A former Mooresville resident — Mrs. Sallie Hobbs Jones, 92-year-old resident of 2024 Broad Bay Rd., Virginia Beach, Va., died Wednesday of last week at the Virginia Beach General Hospital.

She was the widow of Francis J. Jones, a former distributor for Sinclair Oil Company in the Mooresville area.

A native of Iredell County, Mrs. Jones was a daughter of the late John Alexander Hobbs and Leida Caldwell Hobbs.

She was a member of the Francis Asbury Methodist Church in Virginia Beach, Va.

Surviving are: one daughter, Mrs. Curtis (Frances) Basnight of Virginia Beach, Va.; and two sons, John Paul Jones of Charlotte and Willie Jones Hobbs of Mount Mourne. Five grandchildren and one great-grandchild also survive.

A graveside service for Mrs. Jones was conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday at Princess Anne Memorial Park in Virginia Beach, Va.

Memorials may be made to the Crippled Children's Hospital of the King's Daughter, Care Khevide Temple, 243 West Freemason St., Norfolk, Va. 23510.

Trip To Biltmore Estate Set

The Iredell County Recreation Department will sponsor a trip to Asheville to see "Christmas At Biltmore Estate" on Sunday, Dec. 20.

Decorations and music will be in the Victorian tradition, just as it was when George Vanderbilt opened the 250-room home in 1895.

The price for the trip is \$25, which includes transportation and admission fees.

Trip plans are to leave the office of the Iredell County Recreation Department, located in Downtown Stateville at Court and Meeting Streets, at 9 a.m., travel to Asheville where members of the group will eat lunch prior to the tour at 12:15 p.m. The group will eat dinner on the return trip to Stateville.

Arrival time in Stateville is scheduled for 8 p.m.

For additional information, contact: Iredell County Recreation Department, P.O. Box 700, Stateville, North Carolina 28677. Phones (704) 878-2100 or (704) 663-1616.

Holiday Craft Festival At South Iredell

A Holiday Craft Festival is scheduled to be held in the gymnasium area of South Iredell High School on Saturday from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m.

The festival is being sponsored by People Assisting South Students, an organization made up of parents of South Iredell High School students and other interested people of the community.

There will be some 50 exhibitors, featuring crafts of all types, children books, baked goods and Christmas trees.

Lunch and supper will be available.

Money realized from the festival will go toward the purchase of a minibus for South Iredell High School, which is located on Old Mountain Road, near Barium Springs.

The patronage of the public will be greatly appreciated.

Missionary Methodist Sets Singing

A gospel singing is scheduled to be held at the Missionary Methodist Church on Clover Street in Mooresville on Sunday.

Featured singers at the 8 p.m. program will be The McLeod Family from North Wilkesboro.

The pastor of the local church, the Rev. Frank Lewis, joins the members of the church in inviting the public to attend the program.

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Addition Construction Underway On East Side Of Restaurant On N.C. 150

Expansion At The Lotus A Sure Sign Of Success

Three years ago, when Steve Tong decided to locate his business in Mooresville, the odds were against him.

For whatever reason, the location, on N.C. 150 just west of town near the U.S. 21 intersection, had been — to say the least — unkind to previous tenants.

Over the years, an assortment of businesses, including fast-food restaurants and fancy dining establishments, made valiant but nevertheless unsuccessful attempts to turn a profit at the highway location.

When Tong announced plans for his restaurant — an authentic Chinese restaurant in a small, southern community, no less — community residents wished him well but, deep down, expected the "to let" sign to go back up within a few months.

But the sign has not been seen. In fact, now the most noticeable sign of change at The Lotus Chinese restaurant is the construction un-

derway for an addition at what has become one of Mooresville's most popular restaurants.

The 26-foot by 30-foot addition on the east side of the building is a clear sign that The Lotus has not only endured, but thrived in its Mooresville-Lake Norman surroundings.

The addition will allow the restaurant to update and expand its kitchen facilities and provide more customer seating.

"It will just make us a little bit bigger and allow us to move our kitchen," Tong said. "We should be able to seat about 40 more customers when the addition is complete."

The restaurant's kitchen, currently in the back corner of the restaurant, will be moved into part of the new space and tables will be added in the existing building and in parts of the addition.

Tong said the restaurant addition should be completed in about two months. Southern Constructors of Mooresville is in charge of the project.

Community Chorus Christmas Concert At 1st Presbyterian

The Mooresville Community Chorus will present its annual Christmas Concert Dec. 4 at First Presbyterian Church.

The concert will start at 8 p.m. in the fellowship hall at the church, 249 West McLelland Avenue.

The program will include an assortment of all types of Christmas music. Selections on the program: "And the Glory of the Lord," Handel; "Jazz Gloria," by Natalie

Sleeth; "Gesu Bambino," by Pietro A. Yon; "Lovely Child, Holy Child," by David N. Johnson; "Candlelight Carol," by John Rutter; "Star Carol," by John Rutter.

Also, "Bring A Torch, Jeanette, Isabella," by R. Wetzel; "He Is Born," by Roger Wagner; "Mary's Little Boy Child," by Ed Lejenski; "Go Tell It On The Mountain," by N.T. Vangeloff; "Home For Christmas," by Bill Holcombe; "Twas The Night Before Christmas," by G.G. Moore; and "The Twelve Days After Christmas," by Silver.

Those attending the concert are also invited to share in some Christmas "goodies" during refreshment and fellowship time. The refreshments will be provided by the chorus.

The Mooresville Community Chorus, featuring singers from the Mooresville area, is partially funded by the Arts Council Grassroots Art Program of North Carolina.

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