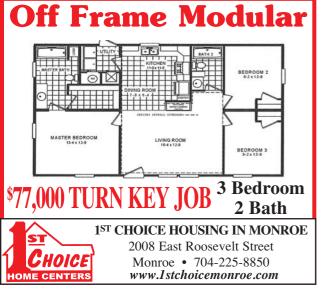
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## Cub Scout Twilight Camp

This year a Twilight Camp program has been planned for Anson County Cub Scouts. This camp will be filled with great summer fun like swimming, archery, BB marksmanshiop, crafts and



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much more! The camp will take place June 25 to 29 at Little Park, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. The Central NC Council on Scouting Activities would like for your son to attend this camp.

Registration will include a week of fun and classes, a tshirt, event patch, insurance, crafts and a cookout on Friday. The total cost of the camp is only \$25 if you register before June 20.

Please contact the Central NC Council office for information or to register at 704-982-0141. Also you can call Chris Sanford locally at 704-694-5937 or Devin Canup at 980-621-4915.

## Compassionate Friends

The Compassionate Friends, a support group for families who have lost a child of any age or cause, meets Thursday, June 14 at 7 p.m. in the Training Room at Pee Dee Electric on Highway 52 South in Wadesboro.

For information call 704-694-8774 or 704-475-5005.

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## First Class - 3¢ Postage?

Do you remember the 3¢ postage stamp? Well, not only do I remember that, but I remember some of the rural carriers - none of whom had the privilege of driving their routes on paved roads!

Of course the "old timers" are now deceased, such as John Watson, Fred Eason, George Burns, Sr...and the list goes on and on. There were so very many more!

This actually happened - some of the folks wanting to send a pound of butter, 1/2 dozen eggs or whatever to one of their neighbors on the same mail route would set the package on the mailbox and the carrier took care of it. I heard Lucy's mother tell many stories about the "mailman" years gone by. Sometimes the mailman would be surprised to get fried chicken, pie, cake or some other "goodie" for him and his family's supper.

All this serves to remind you that all the roads are paved now - but the 3¢ first class postage stamp "just ain't no more!" The powers that be "up in Washington" have tried to sell many items to help the postal system - in fact I have collected some!

Any how, we can and do have some great memories of days gone by - paved roads or not. And, we give thanks to so many dedicated carriers through the years!! Ed

## ESTATE AUCTION FRIDAY · JUNE 15 · 10 a.m. Selling the estate of the late Emma Rayfield 1203 Morven Road · Wadesboro

PARTIAL LISTING: Pine Corner Cabinet \* Tiger Oak Library Table \* Wing Chair \* Marble Top Table\* Duncan Phyfe Style Coffee Table \* 3 Cushion Tapestry Sofa w/Carved Back \* Semi Bow Back Mahogany Ladies Chair \* Sanyo TV, VCR, DVD Player \* Swivel Rocker Recliner \* Rocker \* (2) CD Players \* White Medical Style Side Table \* 3 Cushion Sofa \* Wooden Coat Rack \* Christmas Decorations \* S & P Swinson Food Cookie Jar \* Cookbooks, Pyrex, Casserole Dishes \* Cake Plates, Egg Plates, Glass Platters, Glass Mixing Bowls, Glass Juicer \* Flatware \* Rolling Pin, Sifter, Red Handled Mixer \* Refrigerator Dishes, (2) Jadite Fire King Refrigerator Dishes \* Set of (3) Pyrex Mixing Bowls \* Old Atlas Jars w/glass tops \* Assorted Platters, Kitchenware \* Pots, Roaster Pan \* Full Size 4 poster bed \* 4 Drawer Chest of Drawers \* White Full Size Poster Bed, white Nightstand, 4 Drawer Chest, 5 Drawer Chest \* 1 Drawer Chest (2 Board Top) \* Piano \* (2) Queen Anne Chairs \* Lawnmower, Garden Tools \* Art Deco Hall Tree w/umbrella Stand \* Maple Lamp Table \* Assorted Artwork, Prints \* Large Selection of Costume Jewelry \* Assorted Quilts \* PLUS MUCH MORE Preview: 8 am morning of auction • Don't miss this one • Terms: 10% Buyers Premium As is, where is • Cash, Debit or Credit Cards. NO American Express or Discover. NO CHECKS Announcements made sale day take precedence over all others.

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