



W. F. REDDING JR.

## W. F. Redding Of Asheboro Dies At 59

ASHEBORO, July 6—W. Frank Redding Jr., 59, was dead on arrival last night at Randolph Hospital following what was believed to be a heart seizure.

Mr. Redding was a native of Asheboro and had resided here all of his life. He was the son of the late W. Frank Redding, former Randolph County sheriff. He made his residence at 356 Hill St. He was active in business, education, civic and church affairs. He was president of Southern Crow Milling Co., Mid State Paper Box Co., vice president of First National Bank and president of Redding Inc. Mr. Redding was a director of People's Savings and Loan Assn. where he served two terms as president.

He served as a member of the advisory council of WUNC-TV, was a member and former president of Asheboro Rotary Club, at his death he was serving on the executive committee of the agriculture foundation at North Carolina State College, was serving on the Citizens Committee for Better Schools in North Carolina and was re-elected recently to the Asheboro City Board of Education. He was a past president of the North Carolina Manufacturing Assn. and the Soft Wheat Millers Assn.

Mr. Redding was a member of Central Methodist Church, chairman of the church board of trustees, had served as president of the men's Bible class and was secretary and treasurer of the Sunday school. Mr. Redding was a member of the official board and was chairman of the committee on finance.

He was active in Republican Party affairs.

He was educated in Asheboro city schools and Western Maryland College at Westminster, Md.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Viola Sanborn Redding of the home; three sons, W. F. Redding III of Rocky Mount, Donald S. of Raleigh and Milton H. of the home; his mother, Mrs. Ida Hammer Redding of Asheboro; and two brothers.

Funeral will be held at 4 p.m. Saturday at Central Methodist Church here. Burial will follow in Oaklawn Cemetery. Rev. Carson Williams, pastor, will officiate. The body will be removed from Pugh Funeral Home to the home.