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A weekly newspaper devoted to the promotion of the general welfare and published for the enlightenment, entertainment and benefit of the citizens of Kings Mountain and its vicinity.

GLAD ITS OVER We are extremely happy to thank everyone who had a hand in the passing of the bill to divide Kings Mountain into five wards.

A TRUE STORY Once upon a time there was a man who had a fellow working for him. He paid the worker \$15.00 per week, after a few weeks the worker came to his employer and told him he needed more money.

The heads of the State Departments are the worker in the above story. We, the taxpayers of North Carolina, are the boss. They work for us, we pay them, yet they come each legislature wanting, demanding more of our money.

\$2.71 A DAY Editor's Note: We are republishing the editorial below at the request of the President of the Local Class Room Teacher's Association.

The public school situation in North Carolina has been so disastrously clouded with the mechanics of system, with comparative budget figures, with twelfth grade and vocational education proposals that we have lost sight of the main figure in the picture—the child.

We have let ourselves be led so far astray by loose political mouthings about the virtues of our State-supported school system and the excellencies of our teacher standards that we don't remember, if ever we knew, that we are sending this child to school to be cared for, taught and inspired by teachers who, at best, we allow just \$2.71 a day for a living.

That means that we are not doing very much thinking about the plight of that child now and less about his future.

Most of us don't understand the figures and the members of the General Assembly are in a fair way of overlooking this outrageous piece of state immorality in the confusion of recommendations for school needs and school expansion.

Your legislator scans a carefully prepared analysis of school costs and observes that a teacher with an A grade certificate gets \$96 a month the first year of teaching, and \$123.75 a month after she has been teaching eight years.

What he forgets is that the \$25 a week stenographer makes \$1,800 a year, has a couple weeks vacation with pay, ample sick leave and a reasonable degree of independence.

Here and There

It is always customary when the editor returns from a trip to write it up for his readers, so here goes. We left Thursday morning, February 9th, for the Kings Mountain Colony at Palm Harbor, Florida, to eat, sleep and run-around with Attorney and Mrs. E. L. Campbell who have been wintering in Florida for over twenty years.

The citizens of Kings Mountain should be deeply grateful to those who prepared the bill and then kept after it until it became law. This bill in our mind is a stepping stone to a bigger and better Kings Mountain.

We can't begin to tell you all the places we went or all the things we saw, but we will confess that we went to the DOGS one night, and we can truthfully say that all this "stuff" you have heard about a beginner always winner is a lot of hoey.

I met Grover Lackey, brother of Building and Loan J. C. Lackey in Tampa. I met him in Krass, the same store in which Manager Fred Stallworth of Belk's worked for two years.

The night before we left all the Kings Mountain folks were invited to a delicious fish fry at the home of Misses Martha and Emma Richmond of Illinois and Florida.

substitute not \$2.71 which the state allows for her living, but \$4.12 which the state grossly miscalculates on the basis of a 20-day work month, is two-thirds of her daily pay.

The Book Of Philipians

(By Rev. P. D. Patrick) The Book of Philipians is a book of good cheer, written by the Apostle Paul to the mission church at Philippi. The Epistle is like a window in the apostle's own bosom.

STATE. F. Hord on his recent trip to the furniture market bought some mattresses and living room suits that were covered with materials made in the Margrace Mill.



Chapter One "It's a long way to Tipperary. It's a long way to go. It's a long way to Tipperary. To the sweetest girl I know..."



It came again—the malignant bark of a machine gun. crouching with guns unslung and aimed on triggers.

It was a festive evening in the Regimental Headquarters at Peshawar when Secret Service Officer Carruthers arrived in fulfillment of his newest orders.

LET'S LOOK BACK

From The Kings Mountain Herald NINETEEN YEARS AGO FEBRUARY 26, 1920 Mr. Jeff Huffateller got his leg broke last week while hauling wood with a wagon.

LET'S LOOK BACK (Cont'd from front page) ment is better equipped to "influence our social order" under this declaration: Above all else, we want to go forward as one American people.

Another example is a bill recently dropped in the legislative hopper (very quietly) to create a Government corporation that would be directed to take over the ownership and operation of all oil, gas and mining industries and power plants; also the products of these industries.

The conference over, Carruthers went to seek a dance with Marjorie. She made no effort to conceal her pleasure at seeing him again after his long "hunting trip," which was the way he explained his secret operations in the mountains.

"Well?" she spoke at last. He turned to her and took both her hands in his. "Marjorie, could you give your life to the Frontier, with me thrown in?"

She smiled up into his eyes. Governor came out to join them, it was at once plain to him that felicitations were in order. He kissed his niece affectionately.

JUST HUMANS



"Let Him Alone Till He Cools Off, He's in an Awful Temper"

Washington Snapshots

(Cont'd from front page) This then, indicates the urge still exists in some potent circles to try to get Congress to do away with State Lines and set up a single unit of government — in Washington — to run the whole nation.

To States, cities and counties, this would mean the loss of millions of dollars annually in tax collections.

After dancing for a few minutes he led her out to the balcony. The vista of far-rolling plains stretching away under the mist of moonlight made both of them silent.

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