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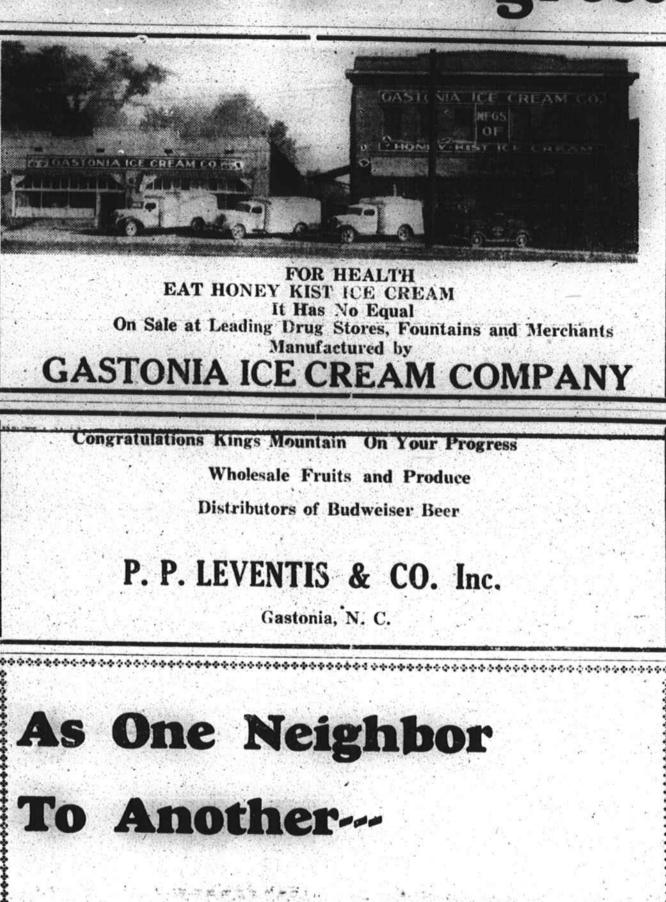
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U. D. C.

The Kings Mountain Chapter of the United Daughters of Confederwas organized in 1910 with 27. Parter members. Mrs. S. H. Simonwas unanimously elected as first president.

The objects of the organization re historical. lonevolent, memori-1: educational and social. The first duty of the local Chapter has been to see toe comfort and happiness of the remaining members of the 'thin grey line" which at the time the Chapter was organized numbered 58 and at the present time we have ony one in our midst, Mr. John A, Sims who belonged to Co. D. 14 Regi ment N. C. Vol. and who is nearing his century mark.

Memorial Day has always been ob served with suitable services and a Cinner for the veterans, their wives tud widows

Contributions have been made egolarly to the Soldiers Home in Releigh and the Confederate Wo men's flomo at Fayetteville and tue invistes' remembered on . birthdays nd holidavs.

Contribute cumually to the Bessia Belle Reed bed fund. This fund is to udow a bed for T. B. patients. Wo have two beds, one at Sanatorium. and one in Western N. C. and they re occupied regularly

Norman V. Randolph Relief Fund, This fund is to ald those needy ones who are not eligible to enter

Records were secured and a number of Crosses of Honor have beet bestowed upon Confederate Veterans; 16 Military Serice Crosses have been presented World War Veterans who were descendants of Confederte Veterans; records of 37 World War Voterans were obtained; four year scholarship was secured at N. C. C. W. for a local girl. essay prizes in the high school; donation made to the Memorial Pavilion in Confederate cenietery at Raleigh and much relief work done. during the World War. Contributions given to the

Fort Fisher Fund.

Outstanding work has been. dong by Mrs. L. F. Neal, charter member in securing pensions for deserving widews of veterans and by getting a vicows placed in Class A. Also in he erection of 15 beautiful white marble tombstones secured from the Government, special records had to he filled for this purpose. Metal markers have been placed on all Confederate graves in local cemetery.

Mrs. Neal was swarded a ten dolar prize by the General organization for obtaining largest number records of World War veterans and alo a ten dollars prize for greatest number of U. D. C. badges sold. Mrs Neal gave this \$20.00 prize money to the Special Education Fund in the organization; she disposed of our quota of books, 'Women of the South in War Times," except one.

The Chapter has given some valvable books to our school Hbrary. One valuable set was burned when

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