

First Home Game Set For April 26th

First home Western conference baseball game for Kings Mountain high school will be played here on April 26, against Newton-Conover High.

Announcement was made Wednesday by Coach Shu Carlton that the Cliffside game, originally set for Thursday in Kings Mountain, has been moved to Cliffside because of wet grounds in City Stadium.

The May 3 scheduled game with Cliffside will be played here he said. A practice game with Beth Ware high's nine was rained out Monday. The game was postponed from April 6 because of rain.

Only practice game to date against high school competition was a 17 to 0 loss to Gastonia high on April 7 in Gastonia. The defending state champion Gastonia nine proved too powerful a combination for the Kings Mountain team.

Against semi-pro competition in a practice game last Friday afternoon in City Stadium, the Mountaineers dropped a free-scoring game to Craftsman Mills team of the Gaston Textiles loop in the last inning by two runs.

Tuesday night at 7:30 the Mountaineers journey to Lincolnton for a game with the Lincolnton high nine and on next Friday move over to Cherryville for an afternoon (3:30) game with the Cherryville high Ironmen.

1949 LOOP SCHEDULE

- April 14—Cliffside 3:00—Away.
- April 19—Lincolnton 7:30—Away.
- April 22—Cherryville 3:30—Away.
- April 26—N.-Conover 3:30—Home.
- April 29—Tri High 3:00—Away.
- May 3—Cliffside 3:30—Away.
- May 10—Tri High 3:30—Home.
- May 17—Lincolnton 3:30—Home.
- May 20—Cherryville 3:30—Home.

Junior Candidates Drill Saturday

Candidates for the 1949 Kings Mountain American Legion junior baseball team are urged to report for drills Saturday morning at 9:30 in City Stadium.

Any boy who lives east of Buffalo Creek in Cleveland county or who attends high school at Grover, Beth Ware, or Kings Mountain is eligible for the team provided he was born in 1932 or thereafter.

Some 25 boys have been reporting for drills the past two Saturdays. Eliminations in the race to determine the state champion are scheduled to begin on June 6.

Fourteen Of 17 Cases Heard Involved Drink

Seventeen cases were heard Monday afternoon at City Hall in regular weekly session of City Recorder's court, Judge Ector A. Harrill presiding.

Eleven defendants were found guilty of public drunkenness and were ordered to pay cost and fines. Three other persons were also charged with violation of the prohibition laws.

Coleman T. Adams, charged with illegal possession, was taxed with costs, and Fred W. Bridges, charged with assault on a female and public drunkenness, was given a 90-day suspended sentence and taxed with

costs of court. Moseandy Johnson, of Bethel, charged with driving drunk and without an operators license, was fined \$100 and costs.

Other cases and the dispositions included:

Frank Monroe Sullens, of Gastonia, no chauffeurs license, no pros with leave.

John Quinn, assault on a female, fined \$50 and costs and put on good behavior for two years.

Carl Edward Abel, of Lenoir, speeding and failing to stop at stop sign, fined \$5 and costs.

Many millions of dollars and hundreds of thousands of manhours went into research and development of Cadillac's new 160 horsepower, high compression engine. Experimental parts for the revolutionary new power plant were coming through the Cadillac foundry on Pearl Harbor Day. More than a million miles of road-testing under all conditions was undergone by the new engine before it was released for presentation.

Hog prices will be supported at 90 percent of parity through March 1950, when the usual marketing season for 1949 spring pigs ends.

3,250 Contacts Made Veterans Office

Contact made by the 11th District, North Carolina Veterans Commission, including the work of county service officers, during the month of March totaled 3,250 according to a report made this week by Jack C. Winchester, of Morganton, district service officer.

The district office comprises 11 Western North Carolina counties. Ten of the eleven counties of the district have part or full time county service officers. The counties are Ashe, Avery, Burke, Caldwell, Cleveland, McDowell, Mitchell, Polk, Rutherford, Watauga and Yancey.

Contact were broken down into various requests and assistances at offices. They included 755 letters received by the offices, 1,535 letters

written, 80 long distance telephone calls, and 91 field trips, 519 education requests, 370 on-job-training, 306 on employment, 109 readjustment, 313 compensation and pension 78 on G. I. loan, 106 service insurance, 192 on hospitalization, 190 on farm-training, 29 burial, 214 business and legal advice, 17 on commitment, 288 on out-patient and medical - dental treatment and 519 miscellaneous inquiries.

ROCKETS EDGE SPINNERS
Reynolds Motors kid baseball team, the "Rockets," sponsored by the Kings Mountain Dodge-Plymouth dealer, edged the Craftsman "Spinners" Saturday 14 to 10 behind the effective hurling of Jack Bennett. Jim Guyton, catcher, and clean-up hitter, raised his average for two games .500, four hits for 8 trips.

Easter Fashions For The Young Folk



BELK'S again comes to the forefront in its children's department to offer the best in quality fashions for the Juvenile Easter Parade. Best yet, the prices will please your pocketbook. Look over these junior wardrobe specials. . . . these are only a few . . . there are many more ready and waiting, for your boy or girl!

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