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Fellowship Day Program Given

Local News Bulletins

TO HOUSTON
Rev. Gordon Weekley, pastor of First Baptist church, and Mrs. Weekley, will attend the Southern Baptist convention in Houston, Texas, May 4-11.

MEMORIAL
Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Whisnant will present a copy of "Stewart's Head of Christ" and plaque to the First Baptist church library at services Sunday morning in memory of their son, Kenneth Dean, who lost his life in an accident last Thanksgiving.

PROMOTED
Ray Black, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Black, has recently been promoted to the rank of chief warrant officer, according to information received here from Augsburg, Germany, where CWO Black is on duty.

CLINIC
A pre-school clinic for children who will enter West Elementary school next year will be held in the West school auditorium Tuesday, May 5, at 1:30 o'clock, according to a recent announcement.

TO CONVENTION
W. K. Mauney, Jr., and Sam Stallings are representing Mauney Hosiery Mills, Inc., at the National Hosiery Convention in session in Atlantic City this week.

KIWANIS MEETING
Charles E. Boyce, of Memphis, Tenn., official of the National Cotton Council of America, will address members of the Kings Mountain Kiwanis club Thursday evening at 6:45. The club meets at Masonic Dining hall.

TRANSFERRING
Delvin Huffstetler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Huffstetler, is at home on leave this week prior to reporting for duty on Sunday at Norfolk, Va. He has been assigned to the USS Donner, a floating drydock.

METER RECEIPTS
A total of \$159.83 was collected from the city's parking meters Wednesday morning, according to a report from the city treasurer's office.

Morris Boyles' Rites Are Held

Morris Blaine Boyles, 50, resident of Second street, died suddenly in the yard of his home Monday morning. Death was attributed to a heart attack.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at 3 o'clock from Sisk Funeral Home here. Rev. Floyd Hollar, pastor of Mountain View Baptist church officiated with burial following in the Buffalo Baptist church cemetery.

Mr. Boyles was the son of the late John Boyles and Mrs. Dochia Wood Boyles of Cramerton, who survives.

Surviving in addition to his mother are three sisters, Mrs. Clyde Lanier of Lincolnton, Mrs. Sydney Coffee of Cramerton, and Mrs. M. L. Denton of Blacksburg, S. C.; and two brothers, Hill of Kings Mountain and Rodney Boyles of Cramerton.

Local Males To Don Straws On Friday

Men expecting to be in fashion in Kings Mountain Friday morning must don a 1953 model straw hat, in conformance with the Kings Mountain Merchants association decree, making May 1 Kings Mountain Straw Hat Day.

Merchants report their stocks in good shape for all male desires on the straw hat business, including silk, color, shape, band, and other requisites.

Some dealers report early bird buyers have already prepared themselves for the approaching summer season, but that the big rush is due this weekend.

Churchwomen To Conduct Special Rites

Kings Mountain churchwomen will gather at Resurrection Lutheran church Friday evening in observance of May Fellowship Day.

Theme of the observance is "Citizenship, Our Christian Concern."

A covered dish supper will be served at 6 o'clock with the service to follow.

Mrs. J. C. Bridges will discuss the theme topic, and Mrs. Paul Hendricks will lead the devotions. Mrs. O. W. Myers, president of the Kings Mountain Council of Churchwomen, will make a brief talk on the National Council of Churches.

Mrs. Vance Daniel, in charge of music for the service, will accompany Mrs. E. R. Guter, who will sing Blotgood's "The Greatest of These Is Love."

May Fellowship Day is one of the three nation-wide observances of churchwomen of all denominations. World Community Day and World Day of Prayer emphasize world needs. May Fellowship Day emphasizes local needs.

"All women of the community are urged to attend this service," Mrs. Myers said.

Mrs. Kimbrell's Rites Conducted

Funeral services for Mrs. Lula Jane Kimbrell, 69, who died suddenly at her home here Wednesday afternoon, April 22, at 5:05 o'clock, were held Friday at 4 p. m. at Kings Mountain Church of God.

Rev. G. G. Eason, the pastor, Rev. J. W. Phillips, pastor of First Wesleyan Methodist church, and Rev. Frank Petrosino, former pastor here, officiated and burial was in Mountain Rest cemetery.

Mrs. Kimbrell, widow of the late George Kimbrell, had been in ill health for the past five months but her death was unexpected.

She was a native of Oconee County, S. C., the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. King Collins. She had lived in Kings Mountain for the past 12 years.

Mrs. Kimbrell was a member of the Kings Mountain Church of God and was employed at Mauney Hosiery Company.

Surviving are five sons, Woodrow W. and Charles R. Kimbrell, both of Kings Mountain, and William E. Kimbrell of Raeford, Fla.; Robert B. Kimbrell of Atlanta, Ga.; and Willis M. Kimbrell of Greenville, S. C.; and three daughters, Mrs. Ella Rippey, Mrs. Estelle Burton and Mrs. Ralph Spake, all of Kings Mountain. Sixteen grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren also survive.

Red Cross Bloodmobile To Return Friday; Supply Badly Depleted

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will make another visit to Kings Mountain Friday, one of several extra calls to replenish the Charlotte area blood bank.

The blood bank was nearly exhausted due to demands of the recent train wreck near Dillon, S. C.

The Bloodmobile will set up at the Woman's Club on Friday morning and process blood donors from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m.

W. J. Fulkerson, recruitment chairman, addressed a letter to heads of industry and business this week, urging their cooperation in increasing the total of blood donors.

On the last visit of the Bloodmobile to Kings Mountain, 150 pints of blood were collected.

Howard To Begin Hospital Duties

Grady Howard, recently appointed business manager of Kings Mountain hospital, will begin his duties with Cleveland County hospitals Thursday.

School Board Re-Elects Barnes For Two Years

B. N. Barnes was re-elected superintendent of city schools for a two-year term at a meeting of the Kings Mountain district board of school trustees held at Central school last Friday afternoon.

Chairman A. W. Kincaid presided and all members of the board were present.

Mr. Barnes reported that Mrs. C. Q. Rhyne, Mrs. J. H. Thomson and Miss Carlyle Ware had indicated intentions of retiring at the end of the present school year. All are of retirement age.

Mrs. Rhyne is principal of West Elementary school and Mrs. Thomson is principal of East school. Miss Ware is second grade teacher at West school.

Rowell Lane was re-elected principal of Central school and Miss Alice C. Averitt was re-elected supervisor of white schools.

No action was taken concerning the Bible department, awaiting reports of the annual meeting of the local churches' Bible committee on May 11.

All other white teachers were re-elected for one year.

J. A. Gibson was re-elected principal of Davidson Negro School and all teachers there were re-elected with the exception of Mrs. Kittye Winston, fourth and fifth grade teacher, who had tendered her resignation due to the fact that she did not plan to teach next year, Mr. Barnes reported.

Annual May Day Set For Friday

Kings Mountain high school May Day festivities, presented annually by the physical education department, will be held Friday night, May 1 in the high school auditorium.

Miss Cornelia Ware, high school senior, will be crowned queen of May by her maids-of-honor, Connie Bennett and Shirley Falls. Other attendants are: seniors—Gail Sellers and Joan Thomasson; juniors—Janice Allen and Susan Moss; sophomores—Joyce Owens and Marcella Yarborough; and freshmen—Janet Byars and Katherine Ware.

Program dances are to be given by the physical education classes and time of the festivities has been set for 8 o'clock.

May Day, sponsored annually by the "K" club activities organization of the high school, is directed by Mrs. Hill Carpenter.

Mrs. Aubrey Mauney History Contributor

Mrs. Aubrey Mauney, of Kings Mountain, was one of the contributors to the recently published "History of the Lutheran Church in North Carolina," which has just come off the press.

Mrs. Mauney was author of the section recounting the history of the Woman's Missionary Society of the church.

The work was published in observance of the sesquicentennial anniversary of the Lutheran church in the state. It was edited by Dr. Jacob L. Morgan, Dr. John Hall and Dr. B. S. Brown, Jr.



CANCER CRUSADE DONORS — Mr. and Mrs. G. L. McDaniel, Jr., right above, are pictured making a donation to the Kings Mountain Cancer Crusade at Joy Theatre on opening day of the successful drive for funds to fight cancer. Mr. and Mrs. Alan Phillips, left, headed collections at the theatre. (Photo by Carlisle Studio.)

Cancer Campaign Over-Subscribed



NAZARENE — Dr. Lloyd B. Byron, superintendent of the North Carolina district of the Nazarene church, will conduct revival services at First Church of the Nazarene here from May 3 to 10.

Byron To Conduct Nazarene Revival

Dr. Lloyd B. Byron, of Charlotte, North Carolina district superintendent of the Church of the Nazarene, will conduct revival services at First Church of the Nazarene beginning Sunday.

The revival, with services at 7 o'clock each evening, will continue through May 10.

Music directors for the revival according to announcement by Rev. C. E. McKenzie, pastor, will be Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mitchell, of Ellenboro, formerly of Kings Mountain. They will conduct a children's program each evening at 6:30 p. m., prior to the revival service.

Dr. Byron, formerly of Kankakee, Ill., is a graduate of Eastern Nazarene college, and, after doing graduate work at Boston University, obtained his doctor of divinity degree at Pasadena College. He is a writer and author, and was formerly pastor of the College Church, at Olivet Nazarene College.

"Dr. Byron is one of the outstanding pastors of our denomination," Mr. McKenzie said.

DIXON SERVICE

Services at Dixon Presbyterian church will begin Sunday morning, May 2, at 9 o'clock in the morning instead of the regular services at 3 o'clock each Sunday. Services will continue throughout the summer months, Rev. F. D. Patrick, the pastor, said.

Kings Mountain Donations Total Reaches \$927.82

Kings Mountain has oversubscribed its Cancer Crusade fund drive quota, with a few reports still to be made, Mrs. Hubert Davidson, chairman, said yesterday.

Mrs. Davidson reported \$927.82 collected to date, against a quota of \$750.

A total of \$812.82 was collected in Kings Mountain by members of the drive organization here and \$115 was collected from Kings Mountain citizens through the county chapter mail campaign.

Mrs. S. S. Weir, Jr., is co-chairman of the drive, conducted annually by the Cleveland County Chapter, American Cancer Society. The national organization uses money collected in the drive to fight cancer both through research and education. Sixty percent of funds collected in the state remain for treatment of cancer patients.

Volunteer workers in the local drive are Mrs. E. R. Guter, Mrs. W. F. Houser, Mrs. E. N. Barnes, Mrs. Frank Cox, Mrs. C. A. Buterworth, Mrs. Dean McDaniel, Mrs. J. C. McKinney, Mrs. Lloyd Houser, Mrs. P. G. Padgett, Mrs. Paul Mauney, Mrs. J. P. Mauney, and Mrs. W. L. McMackin.

"Persons who still have not contributed to this worthy cause may still do so if they wish," Mrs. Davidson said yesterday. "On behalf of our fund drive organization, I want to express our sincere appreciation to those persons who have given to fight this dread disease — one that may strike any of us at any time," she continued.

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Nancy Dickey Wins Scholarship

Miss Nancy Dickey, of Kings Mountain, has been awarded a one-year scholarship from the George Warren School of Social Work at Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri.

Miss Dickey, a graduate of Woman's College, University of North Carolina, is working toward the degree of Master in Social Work.

She plans to spend the summer as a social worker in the Children's Treatment Center in St. Louis, Mo. She is a daughter of Mrs. Paul J. Beam, of Kings Mountain.

Registration Books Close Saturday For City Voting

Politicking On Increase During Week

The pace of political activity quickened perceptibly during the past week, as all candidates began their final drives for votes and victory.

But the spotlight, unquestionably, was on the three-man mayor's race which gave all prospects of becoming a torrid affair, indeed.

Mayor Garland Still stepped up his circular production to near once-a-day basis, and Candidates Glee A. Bridges and George W. Allen were knocking on doors in all parts of the city. There wasn't much unanimity among political crystal-gazers. Each of the three was being picked to finish first, last, and second high.

No additional candidates entered the field, which remained at 18 candidates for seven offices. Candidates, supporters, and observers alike thought the candidate list "all done." This meant that J. R. Davis would be unopposed for re-election as Ward 1 school trustee.

Lone two-man race in the Ward 1 commissioner between James (Red) Layton, incumbent, and W. Sage Fulton, Sr.

Three candidates seek each of the other positions.

The other candidates are: Ward 2—L. E. Davis, incumbent, Warren E. Reynolds, and J. H. Patterson.

Ward 3—Olland R. Pearson, incumbent, T. J. (Tommy) Ellison and Clarence L. Elgin.

Ward 4—Harold Phillips, O. T. Hayes, Sr., and Floyd Williams.

Ward 5—W. G. Grantham, Sam Stallings and D. L. White.

Rites Conducted For Mrs. Moss

Funeral services for Mrs. Geneva Allen Moss, 48, were conducted Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock from Second Baptist church.

Rev. R. L. Hardin, pastor of Macedonia Baptist church, officiated, assisted by Rev. B. F. Austin, Second Baptist pastor. Interment followed in Mountain Rest cemetery.

Mrs. Moss, wife of Jack Edward Moss of Kings Mountain, died in Baptist hospital at Winston-Salem Sunday morning at 10 o'clock following a serious illness of six weeks. She had been in declining health for several months.

A native of Cleveland County, she was born and reared in Kings Mountain. She was a member of Macedonia Baptist church, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Allen.

She was a 1952 graduate of Kings Mountain high school. Her husband is employed with the clerical staff at Myers' Department store.

Mrs. Moss is survived by her husband, her parents, and two brothers, Harold D. and Lawrence Allen, both of Kings Mountain.

Active pallbearers were Dwight Alexander, Dewitt Guyton, Charles Guyton, Donald Welch, Guy Fisher, and Bill Stone.

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City's Furniture Stores Setting For Flower Show Beginning Monday

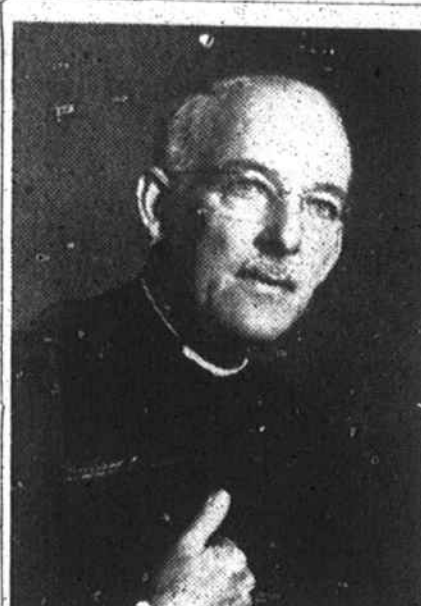
Kings Mountain Garden Club, in co-operation with Kings Mountain furniture dealers, will sponsor a flower show beginning Monday, and continuing through Saturday, May 9.

Furniture will be displayed in the stores and garden club members will arrange flowers suitable to the furniture displayed.

Kings Mountain citizens are invited to visit all local furniture stores and see the following exhibits:

1) Bairds Furniture will display lawn furniture and playground equipment. Flower arrangements by Mrs. Philip Padgett, Mrs. George Houser, Mrs. George Mauney.

2) Cooper's, Inc. will feature a living room suite. Flower arrangements will be done by Mrs.



PRESBYTERIAN — Dr. F. Crossley Morgan, native of England and noted biblical student and lecturer, will conduct a Bible conference at First Presbyterian church beginning Sunday morning and continuing through May 8.

Bible Conference To Start Sunday

Dr. F. Crossley Morgan, Bible lecturer, will conduct a Bible conference at First Presbyterian church beginning Sunday.

Dr. Morgan, who conducted a conference at the Presbyterian church some years ago, attracted large audiences at that time. He is noted as one of the nation's outstanding students of the Bible.

He will conduct services both morning and evening beginning on Sunday.

On Sunday morning at 11 o'clock Dr. Morgan will speak on "Christ and the Derelicts of Society." On Sunday evening, at 8 o'clock, he will discuss "Christ the Friend of the Penitent."

Dr. Morgan will devote morning services from Monday through Friday at 10 o'clock to a study of the book of Haggai.

Evening services subjects are: Monday, "The Emprise of Jesus"; Tuesday, "The Banishment of Fear"; Wednesday, "The Christian Home"; Thursday, May 7, "The Mighty Work of the Spirit of God"; Friday, May 8, "A Psalm of Worshipping Universe."

A native of England, Dr. Morgan came to this country in 1919, following World War I, in which he served in France, Belgium and Germany, and was gassed.

Jaycee Ladies Night Tuesday

Paul Walker will be installed as president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce at the club's annual ladies night banquet to be held Tuesday at 7 p. m. at Masonic dining hall.

J. B. Braham, state president of the Jaycees, will install Mr. Walker and other new officers of the organization.

Jack White is chairman of the ladies night committee. Program for the occasion has not been announced.

Mr. Walker will succeed Joe Hedden as president of the group.

Presidents of the Kiwanis and Lions clubs and the Cherryville, Gatonia, Shelby, and Bessemer City Jaycees have been invited to the banquet.

Registrars Say Registration Total Higher

Registration books for the May 12 city election will close Saturday.

Saturday will be the third and final day that registrars will be at the respective polling places to handle registrations.

The subsequent Saturday, May 9, will be Challenge Day, when all candidates, or other citizens may scan the list of registered citizens for errors and protest their inclusion.

The pace of registration was somewhat faster last Saturday.

All registrars reported increased number of names were added to the books. Approximately 100, about double the previous Saturday's registration total, were added. Mrs. J. T. McGinnis, Jr., Ward 5 registrar, added 30 names to her book, which was the largest total for the day. C. L. Black, in Ward 1, added 25. The count topped 20 in Ward 3, and at 4 o'clock, was 17 in Ward 4.

All registrars will be at the polling places all day Saturday. The polling places are: Ward 1 — City Hall. Ward 2 — City Hall. Ward 3 — Phenix Store. Ward 4 — Kings Mountain Manufacturing Company. Ward 5 — Victory Chevrolet Company.

Methodist Series To Begin Sunday

El Bethel, Grace and Central Methodist churches of the Western North Carolina Conference, will hold a series of services beginning Sunday.

Rev. William L. Asher, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, Cape Charles, Virginia, will be the guest minister at Central church. He will preach at 11 o'clock and 7:30 p. m. on Sunday and at 7:30 each evening of next week through Friday, May 8.

"Mr. Asher was educated at Randolph-Macon College and Duke University. He has had broad experience in the field of youth work," Rev. Phil Shore, Central pastor, said.

Rev. Grover C. Jenkins of Union Level, Va., will be the speaker at Grace church, Rev. C. L. Grant, pastor, has announced. Services will begin at 11 o'clock on Sunday and will be held at 7:30 p. m. each night through May 8.

"The public is cordially invited to attend these services," Rev. Grant said.

Rev. William R. Jones, of Buckingham, Va., will be the speaker at El Bethel church, Rev. Boyce Huffstetler has announced. Services there will also begin Sunday morning and will be conducted each evening at 7:30 p. m. through May 8.

"Rev. Jones is a veteran minister and a native of Wentworth, N. C. We invite everyone to visit us and hear him during this revival," Rev. Huffstetler said.

Rev. Huffstetler, Rev. Grant and Rev. Shore returned last Friday from Virginia where they conducted a series of services at churches in the Virginia conference during the first-half of the mission.

One of the outstanding features of the week, which is called the Methodist Evangelistic Mission, is a visitation program conducted by laymen of the local churches.

Each morning during the week, ministers of the Gastonia Methodist district will meet at First Methodist church, Cherryville, for a period of instruction, discussion, and reports, concluding with lunch.

Filing Deadline Wednesday at 5 p. m.

Would-be city officeholders have until 5 o'clock next Wednesday afternoon, May 6, to file notice of their intentions with the city clerk.

Deadline for filing has been designated at that time by City Clerk Joe Hendrick, who also serves as secretary of the elections board.

Persons expecting to get their names on the ballot for the May 12 election must file a statement of intention with the clerk and pay a filing fee of five dollars.