

PERSONALS

Mrs. Bill Scott and Mrs. John Pratt of York were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Keeter. Mrs. Raymond Hasting and son of Charlotte are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Roberts. Miss Evelyn Cline left Thursday for Ridgecrest where she will be a member of the staff for the rest of the season. Miss Margaret Goforth of Rutherfordford was a guest several days this week of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davis. Miss Libby McGill of Badin has been visiting her father, Elmer McGill, and Mrs. McGill. Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Wright, Jr. of Western Carolina College, Cullowhee, spent the weekend with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Wright, Sr. Miss Betty Kate Jones will spend the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Ruth. Mrs. Rufus Kiser who is a patient in Gaston Memorial Hospital is improving from an operation she underwent the first of the week. Overnight guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Heavener were Miss Grace Coney of Hickory, Mr. and Mrs. Toney Clary of Gaffney, S. C. Rev. and Mrs. E. O. Gore of Vilas, N. C. were weekend visitors in Kings Mountain. Mrs. W. H. McElwee and children, Marion, Billy, Elizabeth, and Doty, of North Wilkesboro are visiting Mrs. McElwee's mother, Mrs. John Plonk. Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Allen, Pvt. Bill Allen, Misses Ramona and Gail Allen, Mrs. Gus Bennett, Martha Lou, Lloyd, and Jack Bennett spent Sunday in the mountains of Western North Carolina. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hayes in Marion.



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THURS. LAST DAY July 30 Wagons Westward with Rod Cameron in technicolor CARTOON - COMEDY

FRI. ONLY, JULY 31 Timber Fury with Margaret O'Neal 5 COLOR CARTOONS

SAT. ONLY, AUG. 1 Flaming Fighters with Sterling Hayden -also- SECOND FEATURE COLOR CARTOONS

SUN. ONLY, AUG. 2 Let's Go Navy with The Bowery Boys -also- Lion Hunters Bomba The Jungle Boy COLOR CARTOON

MONDAY - TUESDAY August 3 and 4 Jack McCall's Desperadoes In Color with George Montgomery COLOR CARTOON

WEDNESDAY - THURS. August 5 and 6 DOUBLE FEATURE Vengeance Valley with Burt Lancaster -also- Home Town Story with Marilyn Monroe COLOR CARTOON

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AT LONG BEACH — SA Sam M. Lockridge, Jr., son of Mrs. Bertie Lockridge of route 3, is serving with the navy at the Naval Shipyard, Long Beach, Calif. He entered the service in February of this year and received his basic training at San Diego, Calif. His address: Sam M. Lockridge, Jr., Military Personnel, Naval Shipyard, Long Beach, Calif.

Quartet Feature Of Talent Hunt

The Sisk Quartet, religious musical group will appear in person with a program of popular and religious music and comedy, presenting to the audience a well-known group of local talent in the TV Talent Hunt, which will be in the Kings Mountain high school auditorium on Saturday, August 15. Local talented persons are being invited to enter the show. The top 14 winners will appear in a TV show as contestants at the Kings Mountain City Stadium at a later date. All contestants must appear in the first show to be eligible for appearance in the second show. Persons wishing to register are urged to call Mack Murray at Telephone 684-J in Kings Mountain at once. Advance admission tickets are now being offered for sale in several business establishments, including Jim's Food Store, Murray's, Ellison's Grocery, and Phenix Store, in Kings Mountain and by members of the Grace Methodist church Youth Fellowship, being priced at 35c for children and 60c for adults.

Mrs. O. W. Myers Entertains Twin Table Bridge Club

Mrs. O. W. Myers was hostess to members of the Twin Table Bridge Club and several additional guests Tuesday night, entertaining at the Country Club. Mrs. Myers achieved a lovely background for the party with arrangements of seasonal flowers. A huge arrangement in an oblong footed antique bowl of red zinnias, scarlet sage and coles was placed on the table in the private dining room. Mixed garden flowers were used on another drop leaf table, a bowl of nasturtiums completed the decorative decor. Following several progressions of bridge, high score award for members was given Mrs. Fred Finger, Mrs. W. B. Shutt won visitor's high. Those playing other than members included: Mrs. W. B. Shutt, Mrs. L. P. Stowe, and Mrs. Paul Mauney. A salad and sweet course was served with tea during the progressions.

Two Are Hostesses For Party And Shower

Mrs. Bill Phifer and Mrs. Ed Earley entertained with a lovely shower Friday evening at the Margrache Woman's Club, honoring Mrs. Charles Moss, Jr. Gay arrangements of cut flowers and potted plants made a pretty setting for the event. Miss Blenda Huneycutt led in the evenings entertainment of games and contests. Mrs. Cicero Falls assisted the hostesses in serving ice cream, individual decorated cakes, candy and colas. The climax of the evening was the presentation of a shower of beautiful gifts to the honoree. Out-of-town guests for the delightful affair were Mrs. Muriel Aberthene of Charlotte, Mrs. Pearl Weaver, Mrs. Sue Craig, and Mrs. Clifford McMurry of Shelby, Mrs. Bill Kincaid, Mrs. Margaret Barker and Mrs. Carolyn Cheston of Bessemer City.

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TODAY, THURS., JULY 30 DOUBLE FEATURE "The Lady Pays Off" Linda Darnell Stephen McMcNeilly

FRI. - SAT. - JULY 31-AUG. 1 DOUBLE FEATURE "Wells Fargo Gunmaster" Allan Rocky Lane Color Cartoon

OPENS AT 11 O'CLOCK "Destination Gobi" Roy Rogers 2 Cartoons - Serial

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, AUGUST 3-4 "Steel Trap" color cartoon with Joseph Cotten and Teresa Wright - Short

"See the Best for Less—Admission 30c-9c"

Consolidation Questions Still Not Answered

Still awaiting word from the state board of education, members of a majority of the school committees involved met at Bethware school Monday night and continued discussion of the proposal to consolidate Number Four Township schools into a single administrative unit. It was the fifth meeting of the group since the proposal was approved by the Cleveland County board of education, which turned over the job of affecting consolidation to the districts involved. After the first meeting of the township school committees at Grover school on May 25, it was decided to request information pertinent to consolidating procedure from the state attorney general through state school officials. Superintendents J. H. Grigg, of Cleveland County, and B. N. Barnes, of the Kings Mountain district, were asked to write for the information. At the second meeting, held at Bethware on June 8, the two men reported receipt of a letter from state school officials "asking more questions (about consolidation) than we had asked". Another letter was forwarded by the two superintendents. A committee to sound out public sentiment on the proposal was appointed at this meeting. Named to this committee were Fred W. Plonk and Arnold W. Kincaid, from the Kings Mountain board; Clyde Randle and J. W. Watterson, from Bethware; and Carl McGinnis and G. R. Rountree, from Grover. At the third meeting, held at Kings Mountain school on June 22, members of the committee reported that the majority opinion expressed by school patrons favored the proposed consolidation. A building site committee was appointed at this meeting to seek out a minimum of three sites which would be suitable for the proposed consolidated white high school. Named to this group were Mr. Harry, Mr. Plonk, and Mr. Randle. The site committee was instructed to seek options on several sites at the fourth meeting, held at Grover school on July 13, after reporting three possible sites. The three sites reported by the committee were 1) a site on York road near the proposed Highway 29 by-pass; 2) a tract off Shelby road behind Blalock's Park-Inn; and 3) a tract of the former Lee Herndon property on the old Grover road.



IN GERMANY — Pfc. James K. Downey, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Downey of Cleveland avenue and husband of the former Miss Glenda Jolly, is serving with the 1110th Infantry Regiment, 28th Division in Ulm, Germany. Pfc. Downey entered the service in June of '52 and has been stationed in Germany since December. His address: Pfc. James K. Downey, RA 24992531, Hq. Co., 1110th Inf. Regt., 28th Div, APO 111 c/o PM, New York, N. Y.

At Monday night's meeting, Mr. Barnes reported that both the state school official and the assistant attorney general who will answer questions concerning consolidating procedure were either on vacation or on leave of absence and that no answers have been received.

The committee continued discussion of problems facing consolidation. Superintendent Grigg told the group on July 13 that he felt that the first step in consolidating would be for the outlying districts (those outside the Kings Mountain district) to vote a special school tax equal to the Kings Mountain district tax of 20 cents on the \$100 property valuation.

Committee member Watterson, of Bethware said Monday he felt a number of patrons in his section do not understand the reason for the special tax and would vote against the proposal, due to that fact.

Superintendent Barnes told the group "the 20 cents tax is to run a better school system than the state will provide for the poorest district in the state." He said that the state equalizes its school funds to provide equal education within the state but that many districts, cities and even counties had voted for additional funds to provide better facilities for their children.

The group agreed that the supplementary tax was needed

VA Gives Pointers On GI Insurance

Four pointers for the protection of an insurance policy and its value are cited by the Veterans Administration for the benefit of Korean veterans who are taking the special form of GI term insurance available, and for other veterans holding GI policies. They are: (1) Be sure to pay premiums on time. The grace period is provided to take care of an emergency. (2) Make the payments in the return envelopes sent by VA for that purpose. Pay by check or money order and don't send cash through the mails. If the return envelope gets mislaid, send the payment in another envelope addressed to the VA District Office that has the account being sure to include the policy number for identification. (3) When a veteran moves, he should be sure to send notice of the change of address, using the premium notice. (4) A veteran should name the beneficiary or beneficiaries who are due to receive the proceeds of his policy. The notification to VA about beneficiaries should be brought up to date, if the veteran wishes to add the name of a child recently born, or for a similar reason.

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Safety Measures Urged For Cannery

Are you all set for the summer canning season? Lucky are you if you plan to use the pressure canning method - lucky, that is, if you use your cooker carefully and correctly. Otherwise, you run the risk of serious trouble. A surprising number of pressure cooker accidents are reported each year to the Institute for Safer Living of the American Mutual Liability In-

urance Company. Surprising, say the Institute, because the manufacturers take extreme precautions to build safety into their product and furnish explicit instructions for safe usage. Cooking under pressure is one of the easiest and best methods of canning or preserving. However, because terrific steam can be built up inside the cooker, its safety cannot be taken for granted. Accidents, when they do occur, are likely to be violent in nature. This thought should be kept in mind during each step in the cooker's operation.

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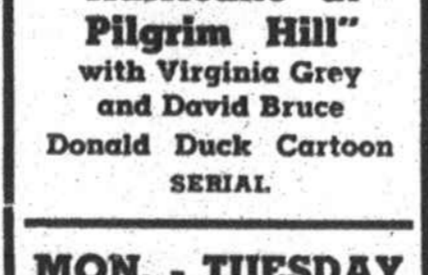
THURS. LAST DAY



POPEYE CARTOON

FRIDAY - SAT. DOUBLE FEATURE Buster Crabbe in "Shadows of Death" -Also- "Hurricane at Pilgrim Hill" with Virginia Grey and David Bruce Donald Duck Cartoon SERIAL

MON. - TUESDAY



WED. - THURSDAY August 5 and 6 "Tropic Zone" with Ronald Reagan and Rhonda Fleming

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