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TODAY'S BIBLE VERSE

A man that flattereth his neighbour spreadeth a net for his feet.

Six Easy Steps

Here's how, in six easy steps, says the Colorado Springs, Colorado Chamber of Commerce to build a ghost town:

 Tell everyone you never buy at home, that all the merchants are a bunch of crooks and robbers.

2) Belittle all efforts for the community betterment - say that the folk running them are secretly making a lot of money

3) Never waste money by advertising or otherwise trying to attract trade to your town.

4) Turn down all appeals for contributions and be nasty about it in order that they won't bother you again.

5) Refuse to function or to serve on any civic committee. Knock the town, its industries,

schools, churches and don't forget to always say the community is going to the dogs.

Actually, it's hard for one person to build a ghost town but the point is made if he is persistent he can gain enough converts to get the job done eventually.

Why Of Heart Fund

"Heart disease is still the leading killer in Cleveland County as it is in the state and nation," L. E. Hinnant, chairman of this year's heart fund - raising campaign, commented last week.

He further noted that 23,000 North Carolinians fell victims of heart troubles during 1967. That seems quite sufficient reason

for liberal giving to the campaign. Major portion of the funds are devoted to research to determine improved

treatments. It's baseball weather now and Kings

Mountain opened yesterday on the home field, playing Bessemer City in a nonconference game. Congratulations to members of Am-

erican Legion rost too who have opened their new Post addition on York road. First dinner meeting in the new addition will be on Saturday when local Legionnaires host 300 Division Five Legionnairs from posts in North Carolina

Sincere sympathy to the families of Pfc. Reece Dale Bowens, 20, of Grover, and First Lt. Roy B. Cochran, 27, of Grover. Pfc. Bowens died while operating a military vehicle in an accident in Thailand and Lt. Cochran was killed in action in Vietnam.

Both servicemen had lived within a block of each other in the Bethany Baptist church community near Grover.

Congratulations

Hats off to Dr. John C. McGill, reelected to membership in the American Academy of General Practice, the na-tional association of family doctors, and Senior Girl Scout Troop 200, their 12 members and leader, Mrs. Charles Blanton, recipient of a Reader's Digest Foundation Grant for a city beautification project. Congratulations are also in order to Glee E. Bridges, elected a new director of Kings Mountain Savings & Loan Association, and Dr. McGill, elevated to vice-presidency to Wilson Griffin and Tom Tate, reappointed to the city planning board; to John A. Cheshire, elected president of the Kings Mountain Merchants Association and Kings Mountain United Fund for the coming year and to Annette Dixon, winner of a Katherine Smith Reynolds scholarship to the University of North Carolina at Greensboro.

Best Bow, Mountaineers

For a second year in a row the Kings Mountain high school Mountaineer basketball team clinched the Southwestern Conference Crown and were undefeated in regular season play.

This year for the first time they played host to the Bi-Conference and Southwestern tournaments and were victors. They faced defending champions Kannapolis on the Kannapolis court Thursday and were defeated 63-58.

One Kings Mountain fan, showing his disappointment of Kings Mountain's loss, said, "Well, they played 26 ball games and lost only one. That's a pretty good record." We agree. Congratulations are in order to Coach Bob Hussey and all members of the team of champions.

Buy Easter Seals, Kings Mountain's Easter Seal Campaign is underway and funds from purchase of seals will help crippled children and adults.

young man described his desperate but vain pursuit of a young lady in these words:

"I met her when she was working in candy store and every day after I bought candy so I could see her and talk to her. Then she got a job as a manicurist and every day I went to her to get a

"You were really gone on the girl,

weren't you?" his friend said.
"Yes", the ardent swain admitted,
"but the next time she changed jobs she got rid of me for good. She went to work

SO THIS IS NEW YORK



By NORTH CALLAHAN

It could only happen here, I but noisy evidence of it as the worthy group is nearing 200,000. When the folk singer, Joan Raez, son Rockefeller both live in the Soon at a stop, a man got off tried to rent the DAR's Constituent in the same building. It is at 810 5th and told the driver he would be tution Hall in Washington and Avenue in upper Manhattan in habited by the well-to-do, is this er stared and could hardly be van, present regent, explained, big apartment structure like the lieve his ears but for some rea. "Joan Baez is against everything others nearby overlooking pictures que Central Park with its green in balmy seasons and its nearby drugstore and was out in often snowy recesses in the winself of the sound the dog population is in flighting of a colorful Currier and Ives in the flow singer, Joan Raez, Joa of a colorly Currier and ves kindly, here, you need the day population is pricture than most of the city cough drops."

This city but if dogs could vote, handles of the tools no longer while Rockefeller, befitting his wealth, occupies an apartment on there is an upsurge in member food to thousands of pooches the 15th. However, the two do ship of the Daughters of the which live with their masters use separate entrances to the American Revolution, something and mistresses in apartments, use separate entrances to the American Revolution, something and mistresses in apartments, was experite entrances to the American Revolution, something and mistresses in apartments, was experite entrances to the American Revolution, something and mistresses in apartments, was experite entrances to the American Revolution, something and mistresses in apartments, was experite entrances to the American Revolution, something and mistresses in apartments, was experite entrances to the American Revolution, something and mistresses in apartments, was experite entrances to the American Revolution, something and mistresses in apartments, was experite entrances to the American Revolution, something and mistresses in apartments, was experite entrances to the American Revolution, something and mistresses in apartments, was experite entrances to the American Revolution, something and mistresses in apartments, was experited by the control of the control of

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MARTIN'S MEDICINE

Ingredients: bits of news, wisdom, humor, and comments Directions: Take weekly if possible, but avoid

By ELIZABETH STEWART

It's hardly likely that tempera-tures have been high enough yet to produce any old fashioned cases of spring fever, that lethargic but pleasant uneasiness that produces yawns in profusion and makes movement of any kind an undesirable activity.

m-m But, it won't be long.

m-m The balmy weather the past two days has invited the farmer to the garden, builders with saws n hand to building chores and

golfers to the golf course.

At least two Kings Mountain citizens are in the moving business this week. Offices of West ern Union, Kings Mountain Cham ber of Commerce and Kings Mountain Merchants Association are being relocated to the Bus Terminal on West King street and carpenters are busy renovat-ing the building. "It's all new to us", comment-

ed C of C Secretary Lucille Williams after her first day on duty Tuesday. When Lucille called to inform us a package had arrived for the Herald from Spartan-burg, S. C., we were surprised the caller was not Mrs. Otis Wright, the former agent.

"Yes, we're moving", said Lu-cille. The Herald sends pictures to the Spartanburg Herald Jour-nal via Greyhound for engraving. The cuts are returned via bus in time for the Wednesday night

tournament-luncheon Tuesday.

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Since the era of "Plant Victory Gardens" a great many people have stored their tools and come to the conclusion that vegetable gardening, for them at least, just doesn't pay off. Many homesteaders have come to make yard tending their gardening hobby.

And, there are still many who find both pleasure and profit in the tilling of a plo', in the sow-the first correct mean the minimum.

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My new sister-in-law, Rvoka, native of Tokyo, Jaron and wife of my brother, \$78tf. Herman Stewart, stationed there the past four vears, is visiting this country for the first time. Some of the differences between America and Japan is the higher cost of food here, she has told us as we've taken her to the market and on shopping trips. She likes to cook and sew, does both beau tifully, and met her husband while employed as an IBM operator at the USAF base there. Their pride and joy is four-months-old Robert Brent Stewart and he and his parents will be living in Washington, D. C. after their leave here.

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the "spring gardeners."

WELCOME RELIEF



Viewpoints of Other Editors

MINIMUM WAGE

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Wednesday was Mrs. Ida Joy's first day on duty at the bus station. Western Union offices will be open at the Merchants Association office on West Mountain street, with one of the two on duty there, until the moving is completed. It looked like a mammoth job.

Marm

Darrell Austin's hole-in-one record went to three Tuesday on the links of the Kings Mountain Country Club Gol? Course as her incountry Cl The federal minimum wage

landed on our shores, the ax has been an important tool. In feudal Lawlessness is one of the and measures official, a half-

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WATCH THAT THUMB

We have just had the week ome.

dreaded by butchers' thumbs
That's sound advice, all right, Right, last week was "National

half hour.

HAS BOBBY MISSED THE BOAT?

Sen. Robert Kennedy, reconsidering his decision not to seek the Democratic presidential nomination, seems to have taken to heart the advice directed at him in song at Washington's Gridiron Dinner:

You must run in sixty-eight Seventy-two could be too late ..

Senator Kennedy's entry could intensify the far-ranging debate over Vietnam while adding new imponderables to the election outcome. And somehow one escape the conclusion that he has demeaned himself by waiting until the McCarthy near-victory in New Hampshire to dare the

Senator Kennedy will not easily Senator Kennedy will not easily undo the enthusiastic commitment which young Americans gave Eugene McCarthy in New Hampshire. The Minnesotan says he is not going to bow out of the race. There are a lot of "McCarthy kids" — that new coalition of collegians, plus intellectuals, techogetic and liberal churchmen. crats, and liberal churchmen — who will work for McCarthy in Wisconsin and later primaries. Some may switch to Bobby as the more politically savvy prospect. Others will say that Senator Kennedy, waiting so long, has hardly exhibited a profile of courage.

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Obviously a three-way Democratic contest, with two doves dividing the anti-Vietnam vote, could render the renomination of President Johnson all the more certain. A combined Kennedy-McCarthy ticket is almost certainly ruled out because it would represent a single antiwar viewpoint and because both are Roman Catholics.

The end result of Democratic divisiveness could be to hand the presidency to the Republican candidate. If this turned out to be Richard Nixon, Senator Kennedy would have to chalk up an exercise in futility, losing his bid to change Vietnam policy after all.

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election uncertainties all the more uncertain. — The Christian Science Monitor.



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