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Fired Policeman**  
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his own rules." McDevitt denied Bollinger was fired with one day's notice. He said on more than one occasion during the past several months Bollinger had presented him a letter of resignation but remained on the job more than a month after the review board voted his dismissal.

McDevitt said city statutes do not prohibit hiring of relatives in the police department. "I am required to receive a waiver from the board on any of five requirements not met, such as age, weight, residence, high school education and betterment of education. Although not one of the requirements, I received permission from the board to hire relatives."

City Comm. Ray Cline acknowledged at Thursday's meeting he had received a letter from the review board. He would not comment as to contents.

Comm. Norman King remarked to Bollinger. "I'm available to talk to you at any time. I believe I have already told you I would be in favor of rehiring on recommendation by the police review board and Chief McDevitt."

Chief McDevitt, Mayor Moss, Comm. T. J. Ellison and Comm. W. S. Biddix made no comment. Commissioners Jim Dickey and Jonas Bridges were absent.

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Traffic Flow**  
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and their recommendations to the City Board of Commissioners at the earliest possible date.

"I believe that inasmuch as a great deal of the traffic problem is centered in the downtown area, that it would be helpful to consult with members of the Merchants' Association during the course of the studies.

"Please allow me to take this opportunity to express my appreciation for the work of the City Traffic Safety Committee and the Highway Advisory Committee. I know that in the future, as in the past, we can count on you to render the best possible services for the betterment of the City in the interest of all citizens."

**MORE ABOUT  
First-Citizens**

in Kings Mountain. He holds degrees from the University of North Carolina, Jefferson Medical college and studied at the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine. He is past president of the Lions club, the Cleveland County Medical Society and holds membership in numerous professional organizations. He attends Resurrection Lutheran church, where he is a member of the church council.

Suber is president of Kings Mountain Knit Fabrics. In his home town of Kings Mountain he is a member and director of the Kiwanis, is a member of the Elks, American Legion and the VFW. At St. Matthews Lutheran church, he is a member of the church council.

Timms is president of Timms Furniture company. The Kings Mountain native has served as president of the Lions club, the Chamber of Commerce and the Merchants Association. The alumnaus of Western Carolina University is a member of Central United Methodist church, where he has served on the official board.

Warlick is vice president and treasurer of the C. E. Warlick Insurance agency. He has served as president of the Jaycees and on the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce and the Merchants Association. At Central United Methodist church, he has been assistant treasurer. Warlick is a graduate of Davidson college.

White is an attorney in the firm of Davis and White. The Winston-Salem native has been president of the Cleveland County Bar association, the Rotary club and has been a member of the Jaycees and the Lions. The graduate of Wake Forest University and the Wake Forest Law school is a member of the Kings Mountain Baptist church, and is currently chairman of the board of trustees.

McIntyre is assistant vice president of First-Citizens Bank and Trust Company in charge of the Kings Mountain office. He is president of the Chamber of Commerce, secretary-treasurer of the Rotary club and served on the board of the Merchants Association and the Red Cross. The St. Andrews college graduate is a member of St. Matthews Lutheran church.

**Cox Unhurt;  
Avoids Crash**

Bob Cox, Chamber of Commerce manager, escaped injury Monday morning when he played automobile hopscotch to avoid a head-on crash with an oncoming vehicle on the McDevittville bridge at the I-85 exit.

Cox, who estimated his speed at 60 m.p.h., said his auto, a late model Pontiac, tore up a tire and had minor damages of about \$50. He said neither he nor the driver of the other car was injured.

**HUD Approves  
Title IV Grant**

The Atlanta office of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare (HEW) approved Monday at \$20,000 grant to continue a Title IV project in the schools.

Bill Bates, director of the school-community relations program, said the program is "Overcoming School Desegregation Problems" and the grant runs through 1972 with possibility of continuing thereafter.

Bates said the program will be administered by school-home coordinators in the school community program. It will include and holding discussions at civic clubs and other community organizations as well as in schools. Programs will give the public the opportunity to speak up and give their feelings on school problems. In addition, the grant will finance in-service training for professional personnel in the form of workshops.

The grant will be matched by local funds to continue the program, said Bates.

**Three Wrecks  
Are Reported**

City police were called to the scene of three minor traffic accidents during the past seven days. None resulted in bodily injury.

Friday at 7:45 p.m., Officer Marcellis Hunter investigated a two-car mishap at the intersection of West King and Castlewood.

According to Hunter's report, a 1969 Rammer driven by Matthew E. Ans Camp, 53, of Route 2, stopped on the side of the road to pick up a passenger. A 1960 Ford driven by William Yates Lane, 65, of Shelby started to pass Camp's car but veered back to the right when a third car passed him. Lane's car hit the rear of the Camp vehicle.

Hunter estimated damages at \$40 to Camp's car and \$400 to Lane's.

A Sunday morning accident resulted in a Kings Mountain man being charged with stealing an auto.

Officer B. P. Cook answered a call to the intersection of McGinnis and Ramseur streets, where a 1961 Chevrolet had struck a utility pole.

According to Cook's report, the driver of the car left the scene on foot. The owner of the vehicle, Marion Elizabeth Allander, of 900 First Street, later signed a warrant against Reine, Burton of 204 Linwood Drive.

Damage to the car was estimated at \$600. A two-car accident at 6:53 a.m. Tuesday resulted in \$550 in damages.

Officer Johnny Belk answered the call on East King Street, approximately 150 feet east of its intersection with York Road.

Belk reported that a 1971 Chevrolet, driven by Richard Benjamin Martin, 22, of Shelby, was turning right into the parking lot of the Silver Villa Restaurant. A 1967 Chevy, driven by Thomas DeHlinger, 45, of 108 Stone Acres, Kings Mountain, struck the Martin auto in the rear.

Belk listed damages as \$300 to Martin's car and \$250 to DeHlinger's. No charges were filed.

**Crawford Request  
For Rezoning**

The city commission Thursday night referred to the zoning board request of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Crawford that their nine acre tract of Linger street in Margrace be rezoned from suburban residential to multi-family dwellings.

The board also referred to Sherman Pickard "for evaluation" three bids for a fire apparatus chassis from GMC Truck and Coach Division of Charlotte and Pontiac, Michigan; Central Ford Truck Sales, Inc. of Charlotte and Wade Ford of Kings Mountain.

**Little Theatre  
Try-Outs Set**

Try-outs for the Little Theatre spring production, "Surprise", will be held on Thursday and Friday evenings and on Sunday afternoon at the Community Center. Earlier reports from a Little Theatre spokesman listed the try-out dates as Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

**Legion Books  
"Blue Velvets"**

"The Blue Velvets" will play for Saturday night's American Legion sponsored dance at the American Legion building. Dancing will be from 9 until 12 p. m.

**DAR Sponsors  
Clothing Drive**

Colonel Frederick Lambright Chapter DAR is collecting clothing for Crossnore and citizens with good, used clothing to donate are asked to contact Mrs. Frank Sincex.

The Crossnore project is an annual one sponsored by the Daughters of American Revolution.

**ESC Outlines  
New Benefits**

Franklin L. Ware, Jr., manager of the Employment Security Commission office today announced that a new program of extended unemployment insurance benefits becomes effective in North Carolina January 2.

Extended benefits up to 13 weeks have been "triggered" here by new federal legislation which permits additional jobless insurance payments when national insured unemployment exceeds 4.5 per cent for three consecutive months, according to Ware.

He said workers here covered by unemployment insurance may receive additional benefits if they:

- Are unemployed and have exhausted their regular 26 weeks of payments.
- Meet the eligibility requirements of a regular claimant.
- Have a benefit year in progress on January 2, and
- Are not receiving any other form of unemployment compensation from other states or the federal government.

**Brown Infant's  
Rites Conducted**

Graveside services for Michael Shannon Brown, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Eugene Brown, were held Saturday morning at 11:30 from Mountain Rest cemetery with Rev. Carl Sparks officiating.

The child died at birth December 31st in Cleveland Memorial hospital. Besides his parents he is survived by one brother, Preston Brown; his paternal grandfather, Elvin Brown of Kings Mountain; and his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Greene of Bessemer City.

**Local News  
Bulletins**

Mr. Ware said he cannot estimate how many workers in Cleveland county may claim extended benefits, but statewide the Employment Security Commission expects about 4,000 persons will be initially eligible.

In spite of a moderate jobless rate about half the national average, extended benefits have become available in North Carolina and all states because of unusually high nationwide unemployment. The additional benefits are allowed by 1970 federal UI legislation and by 1971 amendments to the state unemployment insurance law by the general assembly.

**Tax Listing  
Pace Is Brisk**

Tax listing got underway in Cleveland County Tuesday. At City Hall, headquarters for Number 4 Township listing, traffic was heavy and it was late Wednesday afternoon before the listing officials got a breathing spell.

The listing officials, Edwin Moore, Mrs. Charles E. Ballard and Mrs. C. T. Carpenter, Jr., are at City Hall from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. daily and from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. Saturdays. (The listing officials will be at the Grover Rescue Squad building on two Saturday mornings, January 15 and 29.)

**Fourth Quarter  
Taxes Due**

GREENSBORO. — The deadline for final payment of 1971 estimated federal income tax is Monday, Jan. 17, 1972. J. E. Wall, district director of Internal Revenue for North Carolina, said today.

Some persons may have to make amended estimate by Jan. 17 if their income changed substantially during the last quarter of 1971. Space to compute an amended estimate is provided on the worksheet contained in the estimated tax package received by taxpayers for 1971.

Other taxpayers may have to file an original 1971 declaration on Form 1040-ES by Jan. 17 if they just met the filing requirements during the fourth quarter, according to Wall.

Payment of the last installment or the filing of an original or amended declaration otherwise due Jan. 17 is not required if the taxpayer files in 1971 income tax return and pays all of the tax due by Monday, Jan. 31, 1972.

Due dates are different for farmers and commercial fishermen, Wall said. Publication 505, "Tax Withholding and Declaration of Estimated Tax," furnishes additional information on this subject and may be obtained free, in person or by mail from your IRS district office.

**City Board's  
Agenda Short**

As of Wednesday, the agenda for Monday night's 7:30 meeting of the city board of commissioners will be short.

A principal item is public hearing on the petition of the Ada S. Goforth Estate and Miss Mae Sue Goforth for re-zoning of 15.62 acres to general business use from residential designation.

City Clerk Joe H. McDaniel, Jr., will present a financial statement on city operations for the six months of the current fiscal year and Woodrow Laughter will present his report on building activity during 1971.

The commission will consider appointment of a member of the board of Kings Mountain Public Housing Authority. The term of Chairman John L. McGill expires in January.

**Gospel Sing  
At Piedmont Baptist**

Piedmont Baptist church will sponsor a Gospel Sing Saturday evening beginning at 7 p. m. at the church on Piedmont Avenue. The program will feature music by the "Happy Echoes" and the "Brown Family."

Rev. Ancel Center, pastor, invites the interested community to join in the special program.

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# Plonk's January Clearance SALE

## LADIES PANT & SKIRT SUITS

WERE	NOW	WERE	NOW
\$14.99	\$10.99	\$34.99	\$23.99
\$15.99	\$11.99	\$35.99	\$26.99
\$18.99	\$12.99	\$44.99	\$31.99
\$22.99	\$14.99	\$54.99	\$40.99
\$25.00	\$16.99	\$55.99	\$41.99
\$25.99	\$17.99	\$64.99	\$44.99

## GIRLS DRESSES

WERE	NOW
\$3.59	\$2.99
\$4.99	\$3.49
\$5.99	\$3.99
\$6.59	\$4.49
\$7.99	\$4.99
\$9.99	\$5.59

## GIRLS COATS

WERE	NOW
\$18.99	\$12.49
\$20.99	\$12.99
\$22.99	\$14.99
\$24.99	\$15.99

## GROUP LADIES

POLYESTER  
DOUBLE KNIT

## SLACKS

\$5.00

## ALL MEN'S WOOL SPORT COATS

WERE	NOW
\$37.50	\$29.99
\$42.50	\$32.99
\$40.99	\$35.99
\$54.99	\$38.99
\$59.99	\$41.59

## ALL MEN'S WINTER SUITS

\$59.99 Values	NOW \$44.99
\$65.00 Values	NOW \$47.99
\$87.50 Values	NOW \$65.00
\$110.00 Values	NOW \$79.99

ALL MEN'S  
WOOL AND WOOL BLEND  
DRESS PANTS  
1/2 PRICE

## ALL LADIES WINTER DRESSES

Juniors - Misses - Half Sizes

WERE	NOW	WERE	NOW
\$ 7.99	\$ 6.49	\$22.99	\$15.99
\$ 9.59	\$ 7.49	\$24.99	\$17.59
\$11.99	\$ 8.99	\$25.99	\$18.99
\$12.99	\$ 8.49	\$29.99	\$21.99
\$18.99	\$13.99	\$34.99	\$25.99
\$20.99	\$14.99	\$42.99	\$25.99

## LADIES SPORTSWEAR

Sweaters - Slacks - Knit Tops - Skirts

WERE	NOW	WERE	NOW
\$ 3.99	\$ 3.19	\$13.99	\$10.49
\$ 4.99	\$ 3.59	\$14.99	\$10.99
\$ 5.99	\$ 4.49	\$15.99	\$11.49
\$ 6.99	\$ 5.19	\$16.99	\$11.59
\$ 7.99	\$ 5.99	\$19.99	13.99
\$ 8.99	\$ 6.99	25.00	\$16.59
\$ 9.99	\$ 7.49	\$26.00	\$17.49
\$10.59	\$ 7.99	\$28.00	\$18.49
\$11.99	\$ 8.99	\$30.00	\$19.99
\$12.99	\$ 9.59	\$32.00	\$20.99

## LADIES CAR COATS

WERE	NOW	WERE	NOW
\$18.59	\$15.99	\$34.99	\$27.99
\$22.99	\$17.99	\$44.99	\$34.99
\$25.99	\$19.99	\$49.99	\$38.99
\$29.99	\$23.99	\$54.99	\$43.99

## ALL LADIES WINTER DRESS COATS

# 1/2 Price

## "MANHATTAN" DRESS SHIRTS

VALUES TO \$9.50  
\$5.99

## ONE TABLE MEN'S POLYESTER KNIT PANTS

VALUES TO \$12.00  
\$8.88

## "NORRIS" & "PLAZA" DRESS SHIRTS

\$5.00 Values \$3.99  
\$6.00 Values \$4.49  
\$7.00 Values \$4.99

## BIG GROUP MEN'S DRESS SHOES

VALUES TO \$21.00  
\$11.99

## GROUP MANHATTAN DRESS SHIRTS

FRENCH CUFF  
\$9.00 VALUES  
\$5.00

## ONE GROUP MEN'S DRESS SHOES

VALUES TO \$28.00  
\$14.99