Joy Theater Closing

Charles H. Jones, district manager for Stewart & Everett Theatres, Inc., of Charlotte, today announced the closing of the Joy Theatre-Kings Mountain on Sat. May 28. Mr. Jones said that it was "with deep regret that our company made this decision but that in view of present economic conditions prevailing in this theatre, we can no longer continue its operation."

'Stewart & Everette Theatres.

Inc., has been operating the Joy Theatre since the spring of 1953, and it is with regret that we must leave the business community of Kings Mountain," said Jones.

Jones added, "In order to give Kings Mountain the kind of theatre which the people of the community deserves, would involve an outlay of several thousand dollars in capital improvements. With the diminishing

operating expenses it is no longer feasible for our company to maintain the operation in Kings Mountain. Our Company will still continue to supply the people of Cleveland County with the best in Motion Picture Entertainment at our Cinema 1 & 2 located in Shelby. We sincerely hope that you will attend these theatres for the very best in motion picture entertainment."

Murder Trial Testimony Began

Testimony in the murder trial of Jimmy Green, 23, of Ulma, S. C., began in Cleveland County Superior Court Tuesday after daylong selection of a jury and two alternates Monday.

A tape-recorded confession allegedly made by the defendant in Baker's County, Fla. on Jan. 5, 1977, was ruled admissible as evidence by presiding Judge Forrest Ferrell.

The tape was introduced by SBI Agent Jim Woodard for a ruling by Judge Ferrell in the absence of a jury Monday.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mrs. Lorene Pearson wish to express our heartfelt appreciation to the many friends, neighbors, and doctors at McGill Clinic for their many kind expressions of sympathy at the death of our loved one. TILLMAN PEARSON

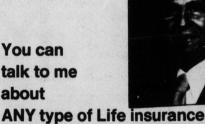
AND FAMILY

Green has entered plea of not guilty to first degree murder and rape of Mrs. Rosemary Knauer, 45, of Daytona Beach, Fla., Penny Arcade operator at the Cleveland County Fair last Oct. 3, and his former employer.

Mrs. Green's partiallyclothed body, with multiple stab wounds in the back, chest and abdomen, was found in a wooded area near Kings Mountain Inn on Oct. 4, 1976.

Testimoney immediately after the jury was sworn Tuesday when Kings Mountain Ptl. Mike Sanders of KMPD told of finding the body of Mrs.

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Kings Mountain are: Lou Anne Blalock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Blalock; Trudy Jean Childers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Childers; and Karla Diane Russell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wayne Russell. All three were graduated



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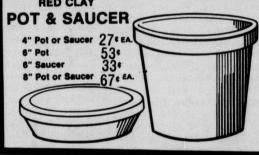
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