



BILL THRONEBURG

Throneburg Is Promoted By Hercules

Bill Throneburg, Kings Mountain native, was recently promoted to the position of Navy Programs Manager with Hercules Incorporated in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Throneburg, son of Mrs. Ruy Throneburg of Kings Mountain and the late Yates F. Throneburg, has been with Hercules for 29 years, 22 of which have been in supervisory and management positions within the Navy Fleet Ballistic Missile programs involving Polaris, Poseidon and Trident missiles. Hercules has produced or is producing solid propellant rocket motors for these submarine-launched missiles. Throneburg was a member of the original team responsible for Hercules entry into the Navy Polaris Program.

A graduate of Kings Mountain High School and N.C. State University, Throneburg is married to the former Beverly Ann Bowles of Radford, Va. They are parents of two children, William Freman and Patricia Ann Throneburg, both of whom are students at the University of Utah.

Harry Hughes Earns Degree

Harry Ray Hughes Jr. was one of 906 persons receiving degrees during summer commencement Aug. 26 at Auburn University in Auburn, Ala.

He received a master's degree. The 906 degrees awarded at Auburn, with the 196 at the Montgomery campus this quarter, bring the summer total to 1,102 and the total for the past 12 months to 4,705, according to Registrar Tom Stallworth. Of the year's total, 3,936 were awarded at Auburn and 769 at AUM.

This brings the total number of degrees awarded at Auburn since 1859 to 95,482 and at AUM to 5,739, for an overall total of 101,221.

Among the degrees to be awarded at Auburn were 34 doctorates, 190 master's and specialist's, and 682 bachelor's.

Other graduation activities at Auburn included commissioning ceremonies for Reserve Officer Training Corps for the three military branches.

Mauneys

Married

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Mr. and Mrs. C. Herman Mauney of Albuquerque, New Mexico and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Mauney of Kings Mountain. He was graduated in 1976 from the University of New Mexico with a B.S. degree in Biology and chemistry. He also completed graduate work at North Carolina State University and is employed by Almay of Apex, North Carolina.

The newlyweds will be at home at 813 Madison Avenue in Cary, North Carolina.

Kings Mountain relatives attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Mauney, grandparents of the bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Mauney, aunt and uncle of the bridegroom, Miss Leigh Mauney, Stephen Mauney, cousins of the bridegroom, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee McIntyre, cousins of the bridegroom. Mr. and Mrs. William Berkeley of LaGrange, Ga., aunt and uncle of the bridegroom, also formerly of Kings Mountain, attended the ceremonies.

An Anniversary To Remember

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1936 after a courtship which began during the summer of '35 at Blue Ridge Assembly Grounds in the mountains of Western North Carolina. LeGrande Mayer was best man and Ruth McGinnis Caveny was honor attendant in the 6 p.m. wedding for which Mrs. J.E. Herndon was organist and the church choir sang "O Perfect Love". Paul and Odell McGinnis ushered with Rhett Chalk and Clarence Smith. The bride wore an original design of royal purple velvet accented with gold and

carried a colonial bouquet. Reminiscing, Mrs. Gonzalez said that just prior to the ceremony Edward was across the street at the church parsonage dressing for the ceremony and the lights went out. Geraldine arrived at the church and was greeted by Paul and Odell McGinnis who told her of the bridegroom's failure to appear. What a panic time for the bride. LeGrande Mayer found a flashlight and helped the bridegroom get dressed. Soon after, Geraldine went down the aisle on the arm of her father. For 35 years Rev. Mr. Gonzalez served the St. Peter's Church of Plainfield, N.J., retiring in 1970, moving from

Bricktown, N.J. seven years ago to Fort Myers, Fla. Mrs. Gonzalez, affectionately known as "Jelly," is the fourth child and oldest daughter in the McGinnis family of 13 children, daughter of Iva Harris and William Hinkle McGinnis. Following completion of seminary training, Mr. Gonzalez, native of New York City, served as pastor of a Lutheran church in Poestenkill, N.Y. for two years. In May 1933 he began his ministry of 37 years as pastor of St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Plainfield, N.J. He retired on Sept. 1, 1970. Rev. Mr. Gonzalez now serves as a supply pastor and his wife is involved in choral singing groups.

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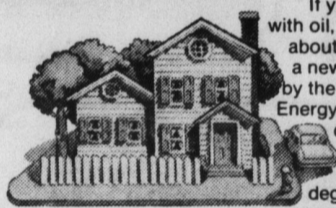
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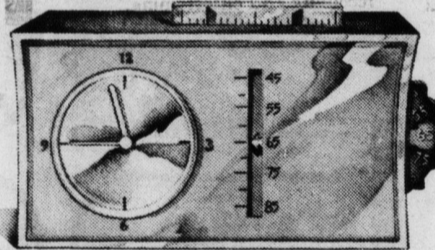
Most people set the clock thermostat to lower the temperature before they go to bed, and raise it shortly before they're due to get up.

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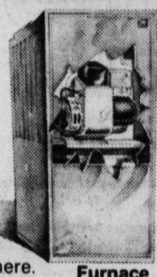
The Flame-Retention Head Burner

The oil burner is the key to an efficiently operating heating system. Like the carburetor of your car, the function of an oil burner is to mix the fuel from your storage tank with the proper amount of air for combustion in your furnace or boiler.

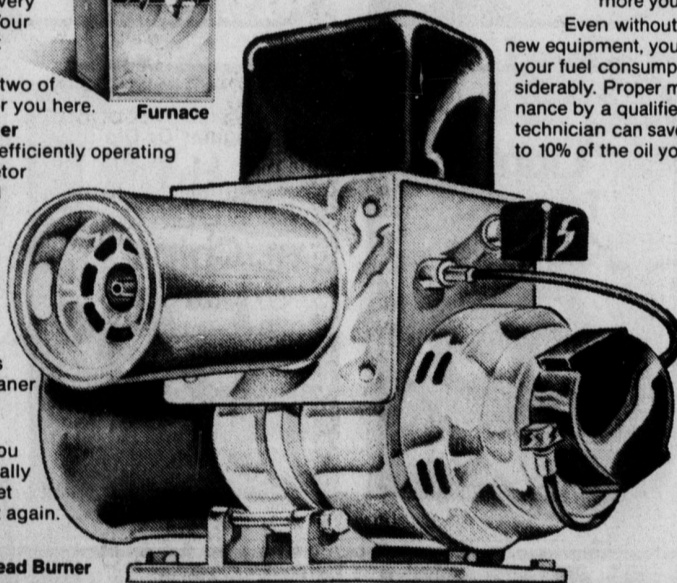
The new flame-retention head burners intensifies the combustion process. This makes your heating system operate cleaner and up to 16% more efficiently.

The Clock Thermostat

A clock thermostat can save you up to 12% annually by automatically lowering the temperature for a set period of time and then raising it again.



Furnace



Retention Head Burner

Better Service

A simple tune-up of your oil burner may greatly increase its efficiency. Like an automobile engine, an oil burner must receive the right mixture of air and fuel to operate at peak efficiency. And like the automobile engine, an oil burner can go "out of tune" and start wasting oil. An Oilheat technician can tune up your system — clean the heat exchanger (the part of your furnace that transfers heat from the fire box to the air or water that circulates through your house), change the oil and/or air filters, check the unit for air leaks, adjust the combustion air, check the nozzle size and perform a final efficiency check.

Tests have shown that furnaces that run for longer periods of time at a lower firing rate tend to use less oil than those that run for shorter periods of time at a higher firing rate. So, it may be worthwhile to have your Oilheat technician reduce the rate at which your burner uses oil.

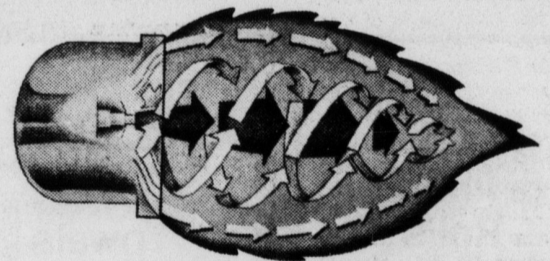
Of course, the only way to know for sure if this service is needed is to have an Oilheat efficiency check. So, if you haven't had one yet this season, call your Oilheat dealer and arrange for one soon. You could start saving 10% — or better.

Better Advice

Your Oilheat dealer can show you many ways to save. In addition to energy-efficient equipment and fuel-saving service, there are some "common sense" improvements you can do yourself.

- Keep radiators, registers and dust filters clean. This allows the heat from your furnace or boiler to circulate freely through your home.
- Make sure carpeting, drapes and furniture don't obstruct air flow around radiators, registers, or cold air returns.
- Keep the furnace area clean and keep pets away from your heating system. Hair, dust and lint can accumulate and plug air inlets.

All of the suggestions above can help cut your fuel consumption. But, the single, most effective action you can take is to call a participating Oilheat dealer right away for an energy efficiency check.



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