

Herndon Re-elected Mayor

Old Board Re-elected Except For One.

Mayor J. E. Herndon was re-elected Mayor of Kings Mountain over W. A. Ridenhour by a vote of 581 to 253, in the town election held here Tuesday, May 7th.

A. H. Patterson was re-elected as a member of the school board, and Charlie F. Thomasson was elected to serve with him in the place of H. H. Houston.

The polls opened at 8 o'clock and closed at sundown which was 7:13 P. M.

A total of 943 voted in the election. The count of the votes was completed about 10 o'clock.

A complete list of how the votes were cast is as follows:

Table with columns for candidates and vote counts. Includes sections for 'FOR MAYOR (Vote For One)', 'TOWN COMMISSIONERS (Vote For Five)', and 'SCHOOL TRUSTEES (Vote For Two)'.

Through STATE CAPITOL KEYHOLES (By Bess Hinton Silver)

COMING SOON — By the time you read this Lieutenant Governor A. H. Graham may have announced his candidacy for Governor in the Democratic primaries next spring.

HOEY — The opinion that Clyde R. Hoey, Shelby Democrats wheelhorse, has been strengthened in Raleigh since the withdrawal of Congressman R. L. Doughten, who decided he was needed as chairman of the national House Ways and Means Committee.

HUMANE — A man is just as dead when you kill him with lethal gas as if you electrocute him but social leaders say that passage of the Peterson bill to substitute gas for electrocution in capital punishment is a great stride in the right direction.

GRABBED IT — The General Assembly voted to apply the sales tax (Cont'd on page 4)

BUSINESS MEN'S CLUB TO ENTERTAIN SENIORS AND FACULTY

The Business Men's Club are entertaining the Senior Class and faculty of the Kings Mountain High School, at their regular meeting tonight at the Woman's Club building.

MR. PARKS HUGHES DIES NEAR ASHEVILLE

Mr. Parks Hughes, well known citizen, of Rome, Ga., who has lived for sometime with his sister, Mrs. Richard C. Wilson, in Kings Mountain, passed away early Sunday morning, April 28, at a Sanatorium, near Asheville, where he had been a patient.

Funeral services will be held at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon for Park Hughes, well known Roman, who died early Sunday at a Pisgah Sanatorium near Asheville, N. C.

Mr. Hughes was born February 21, 1891, at the Hughes' home, "Benvenue," in East Rome. He grew up in Rome. His cheerful, cordial nature embraced every acquaintance as friends.

His father, the late B. I. Hughes was one of the founders and at the time of his death president of the Rome First National bank.

He was a member of First Presbyterian church and the pastor, Dr. F. R. Leyburn, will conduct the service at the church and in Myrtle Hill this afternoon.

Surviving are his mother, Mrs. B. I. Hughes, three sisters, Mrs. Capers Simmons, now in Toronto, Mrs. Richard Wilson, of Kings Mountain, Mrs. William Wade of Washington, and three brothers, B. I. Hughes, of Knoxville, John F. Hughes, Rome, and Lucius G. Hughes, Monroe, La.

SELECTING CAST FOR PLAY

Miss Alice Goodwin, of the Universal Producing Company, arrived Tuesday and with the help of members of the Woman's Club is selecting the cast for a play to be given under the sponsorship of Group No. Two on May 23 and 24.

GOOD MORNING, MAYOR



Above is pictured J. E. Herndon, who was re-elected Mayor of Kings Mountain, in the Town Election held here Tuesday.

DAUGHTERS TO HONOR MEN IN GRAY

Following a custom of previous years, the local chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy will honor the fast thinning ranks of the men in gray on May 10th.

All those interested in the service at Mountain Rest cemetery are asked to meet at the A. R. P. church at 9:15 and assist with the decoration of the graves.

MUSIC RECITAL FRIDAY NIGHT

Miss Emma Rice and Mrs. Aubrey Mauney will present their pupils in a Piano and Rhythmic recital at the High School auditorium, tomorrow night, (Friday) at eight o'clock.

FATHERS NIGHT TO BE OBSERVED

The annual Fathers Night and general get-together meeting of Central, East and West schools P. T. A. will be held in Central school auditorium next Tuesday evening with program to begin promptly at 8:00 o'clock.

SHRUBBERY WANTED

The ladies of the Women's Club of the Dilling Mill has issued an appeal to anyone having any shrubbery that they would like to donate to their club to please notify Mrs. W. E. Ware or phone 36.

SMALL FIRE HERE WEDNESDAY MORNING

Firemen were called to the home of Herman Falls, near the Victory Inn, Wednesday morning. Little damage was done. A hole was burned in the roof. The house is the property of J. R. Davis.

TO SPEAK AT MEMORIAL SERVICE

Mr. J. R. Davis, local attorney, has been engaged as speaker at the annual Memorial Service to be held at New Prospect Baptist church on Sunday, May 19, and also at St. Pauls Methodist church, June 2.

DIME LETTERS MAKE THEIR APPEARANCE HERE

Dime letters which have been the talk of the country lately have arrived in Kings Mountain. They have been received from all parts of the United States.

PROSPERITY CLUB IN GOD WE TRUST

This chain was started in hope of bringing prosperity to you. Within three days make five copies of this letter, leaving off the top name and address, and add your name and address to the bottom of the list.

COTTON SHOW BIG SUCCESS

The Cotton Fashion Show staged at the Central School auditorium Tuesday night was considered a success from every standpoint. J. E. Garvin was master of ceremonies and Attorney J. R. Davis made a few remarks on the value of the observance of National Cotton Week.

LEGION BASEBALL STARTS FRIDAY

The first game of the Junior Legion Baseball to be played here tomorrow, Friday, May 10, Kings Mountain meets in their opening game the Legion Team from Shelby. The game is called for 4 o'clock, and a large attendance is urged by Charlie Warlick who is in charge of the team.

CLASSIFICATIONS FOR THE ANNUAL SPRING FLOWER SHOW

Blue and Red ribbons will be awarded in the following classes at the Flower Show to be put on by the Civic Department of the Woman's Club in the club house Saturday, May 11th.

"HANSEL AND GRETEL" TO BE PRESENTED

The operetta, "Hansel and Gretel" will be presented at Central School Friday evening, May 17 at 8:15 o'clock.

The fairy opera that is liked by all children as well as grown ups is also one of the favorites among producers. Hansel and Gretel was written by Engelbert Humperdinck.

BUILDING PICKING UP HERE

Construction was started this week on a 40 feet by 56 feet building next to the office of the Victory Gin Co., to house another unit of the Neisler Mills. This mill is to manufacture fabrics from which rugs are to be made.

QUART LIQUOR MEASURE DIES

Raleigh, May 8.—The house this afternoon killed the Day bill proposing to put the state in the liquor business by allowing it to sell one quart of whiskey every 15 days to adults.

LEGISLATURE TO ADJOURN FRIDAY

RALEIGH, May 8.—The house this afternoon passed and sent to the senate a joint resolution calling for a sine die adjournment of the legislature at 5 o'clock Friday afternoon.

CHARLOTTE, May 8.—Joseph F. Cannon, textile millionaire, took the stand today in the \$250,000 alienation of affections suit brought by his former son-in-law, Brandon Smith, Jr., and denied he had ever counseled his daughter, Anne, to seek a divorce.

STATE AND NATIONAL NEWS Condensed In Brief Form

National News

COLUMBIA, S. C., May 8.—Pep. Solomon Blatt of Barnwell, a member of the liquor conference, announced today after a talk with Gov. Johnston that "we will have a straight licensing liquor bill."

WASHINGTON, May 8.—O. Max Gardner, former governor of North Carolina, today appeared slated to become president of the Cotton Textile Institute.

Announcement late yesterday at the White House that President Roosevelt, at Gardner's request, had relieved him of the appointment as special counsel for the telephone investigation gave rise to reports the North Carolinian would succeed C. H. Dorr, acting president of the institute.

MEXICO, D. F., May 8.—Eager to blaze another new aerial trail, Amelia Earhart hopped off at 6 a. m. (7 a. m. E. S. T.) here today on an attempted 2,100 mile non-stop flight to New York.

The famed woman flier, conqueror of two oceans, lifted her heavily loaded red monoplane into the air after taxiing two miles along the three-mile runway especially prepared for her and then circled to gain altitude.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—President Roosevelt indicated today a veto message on the Patman bonus bill would be sent to congress within a short time.

A while before Speaker Byrns predicted the house would over-ride a veto but that the senate would sustain the president. A two-thirds vote is required to pass a bill over presidential disapproval.

State News

CHERRYVILLE, May 8.—Eli I. Mosteller, 65, prominent farmer and miller of the Reepsville section of Lincoln county, was almost instantly killed shortly before noon today by an explosion of dynamite. He and a neighbor were engaged in doing some blasting near the Mosteller home.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Low bids were opened here today for the construction of 25 road and street projects to cost approximately \$727,000 by the state highway and public works commission.