

# High Cagers To Play In Tourney

Kings Mountain Central high basketball team has been invited by the Charlotte Quartermaster Club, of Charlotte, to participate in a pre-season invitational basketball tournament to be held at the Armory in the Queen City January 1, 2, and 3, according to a letter received this week by coach Clyde Canipe from M. W. (Pete) Peterson, secretary of the QB club.

In announcing acceptance of the invitation to play in the cage tournament, coach Canipe stated that the main purpose of the affair is to stimulate more interest in the sport and because a participating team has on its way to win the first night to insure playing on all days of the tournament, principal reason he gave for entering his team in the meet is to gain some pre-season practice games for his team.

Schedule of games for the eight team affair includes four games on the opening day, two games on the second day, and the championship and consolation games on the final day.

Other teams accepted by the QB club for the tournament are Charlotte Central, Tech, and Harding highs, and Paw Creek and Kannapolis with the remaining two entries to be announced later.

The Charlotte Quartermaster Club is an organization of sportsmen from that city whose primary goal is to stimulate more interest in all sports, with emphasis placed on basketball.

In commenting on the 1947 cage squad, coach Canipe stated that so far no outstanding stars have emerged in practice sessions but that eight or ten of the candidates are snapping up rather evenly, giving promise of plenty of hard scrapping for starting positions.

Coach Canipe also announced that practice will continue during the holiday season with night workouts being planned in order that as many of the players as possible will be able to attend the sessions. No practice games have been arranged for the school Christmas recess period with any outside teams but the lanky cage tutor stated he was in hopes of being able to arrange a few games.

The Mountaineers will scrimmage a team composed of former Central cagers this afternoon at 5 p. m. it was announced with proceeds of the game going into the Central high school Monogram club treasury.

**Collegiate Team Plans Cage Games**

A basketball team composed of former Kings Mountain Central high cagers announced this week a series of games to be played during the holidays, with the initial affair a scrimmage contest with the Central cage squad scheduled for the gymnasium at 5 p. m. today.

Listed on the Collegiate squad in addition to coaches Clyde Canipe and Don Parker are Jim Hulleander, former Central star and recently of the U. S. Navy, and the following college players from Kings Mountain: James Hulleander, David Neill, and Henry Neisler, of Davidson college, Jack Gamble, of N. C. State, and R. G. Plonk, of Gardner-Webb.

Tentative schedule for the aggregation includes meets with Marion's Ex-Rippers, Kannapolis Y, and the Grover All-Stars.

Profits from the Christmas holiday season games of the team is to go to the high school Monogram club it was announced.

## Rites For Thompson To Be Held Friday

George Arnold Thompson, 47, negro of Kings Mountain, route 2, died Tuesday. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at Hopewell Baptist Church in South Carolina.

He is survived by the following children: George W. Thompson, Kings Mountain; Dalton, Winston-Salem; William R. Thompson, Gastonia, route 2; and Mrs. Jesse Mae March, Lawndale. In addition he leaves two brothers and

eyes than horizontal lines. A tall, narrow can looks larger than a wide squatly can of the same capacity.

### Vertical Lines

## Drunks Dominate Recorder's Court

Two Kings Mountain citizens were sentenced for possession of non-tax paid liquor in this week's session of city Recorder's court, held at City Hall here last Monday, as the court was again dominated by drunk cases with fifteen of the nineteen cases tried being for drunkenness.

Maudy Jemerson, local negro, was given a three months sentence on a charge of holding white liquor, the sentence suspended on payment of \$50 and costs.

Ernest Hendricks on a like charge was sentenced two months, suspended on payment of \$25 and costs. The confiscated whiskey in both cases was ordered destroyed by the judge.

Gallie Lanier, for violation of the school attendance laws, in that she allowed her daughter to stop school before she was of age, was fined \$5 and costs.

On a reckless driving charge, John Womac was fined the costs of court. Grady Joy, for being drunk and disorderly, was fined costs.

Charged with public drunkenness, E. A. Henderson was sent to jail for 10 days for failure to pay costs after being found guilty and the following were taxed with costs for the same charge: James Bell, Mary Elizabeth Briggs, Walter E. Kelley, T. S. Clark, Chafe Hulleander, Elyce E. White, Horace Falton, William J. Silver, W. B. Baxter, Baxter Glenn and Roy Fritchett.

## Final Rites Held For W. A. Sanders

Final rites for William Arthur (Dick) Sanders, 66, who died after a year's illness Sunday at his home here were held at 4 p. m. Monday in the Pleasant Hill Baptist church of Cherokee Falls.

Officiating were the Rev. Harry A. Crump, pastor of the First Church of the Nazarene in Kings Mountain and the Rev. Blanchard Horn of Charlotte. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

Stricken more than a year ago, Mr. Sanders had lived in Kings Mountain for 40 years where he worked as overseer in a textile plant.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Carrie Moss Sanders, and the following children: Mrs. Ola Royster, Mrs. Vera Black, Mrs. Bertha Sanders and Paul Sanders, Clyde, Floyd, Howard and J. W. Sanders, all of Kings Mountain.

Two brothers, Dave and Ace Sanders of Blacksburg and 10 grandchildren also survive.

## Hendricks Receives Degree In Medicine

Paul E. Hendricks, former Kings Mountain schools band director, was graduated on Sunday from Bowman Gray Medical school in Winston-Salem, according to information received here this week.

Mr. Hendricks and child are expected in Kings Mountain today for a short visit with friends. It is understood that Dr. Hendricks will begin internship at a Wilmington, N. C., hospital shortly after January 1.

### KIWANIS PROGRAM

Members of the Kings Mountain Kiwanis club will hear the annual club achievement report at the regular meeting Thursday night at 6:30 at the Woman's Club. This phase of the program will be under the direction of J. E. Herndon. Also to be heard is a declamation by Miss Joyce Falls on "Better Health." Miss Falls represented the declamation as a representative of this county in the state contest in connection with the current Good Health program. W. K. Maun-ed is Cleveland county chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. William Franks announce the birth of a son, Dec. 17 at St. Luke's hospital.

### CITY LICENSE TAGS

Sale of city license plates totaled 75 on Wednesday and brought a reminder from City Clerk Carl Sawyer that the tags are available at the City Hall. He also reminded Kings Mountain automobile owners that the tags are available by January 1.

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- Wash. State and Winesap ..... 2 lbs 25c
- BOX APPLES ..... Box \$5.50
- FLORIDA ORANGES—
- 8 lb bag 33c; 1-4 bushel bag 79c; 1-2 bu. bag \$1.49
- BRUSSEL SPROUTS, qt. .... 29c
- CAULIFLOWER, trimmed, lb ..... 19c
- LETTUCE, No. 4's—2 for ..... 27c
- TOMATOES, U. S. No. 1 (one lb ctn ..... 29c
- Yellow Onions, 2 lb. .... 7c
- Real Nice Fresh COCOANUTS, lb ..... 15c

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Packer's Label  
**TOMATO JUICE**  
No. 1 12c  
White House Brand  
**MILK**  
8 - 30c

- GRAPEFRUIT JUICE**  
2 No. 2 Cans 25c  
Vigorous & Winery
- BOGAR COFFEE**  
2 1 Lb. Bags 79c
- Enriched Daily Dated  
**MARVEL BREAD**  
Regular Pan  
18 Oz. Loaf 12c
- Sunnyfield  
**CAKE FLOUR**  
2 34 lbs ..... 28c

- Pumpkin** ..... No. 2 22c
- Cranberry Sauce 16 Oz. Can 25c
- Grape Juice** ..... Qt. Bot. 50c
- Potatoes** In Syrup ..... No. 2 23c
- Peas** ..... 2 No. 2 Cans 25c
- Corn** ..... No. 2 Can 18c
- String Beans** ..... No. 2 Can 19c
- Carrots** ..... No. 200 Can 13c
- Beets** ..... No. 1 Can 14c

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- TABLE CLOTHS
- DRESSER SCARFS
- DISH TOWELS
- HANDKERCHIEFS
- HANDKERCHIEF CASES
- FABRIC GLOVES
- WOOL GLOVES
- LUGGAGE
- POCKETBOOKS
- SOFA PILLOWS
- WOOL and SILK SCARFS

## Something For A Man?

- BELTS by PIONEER ..... \$1.50
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- HORSE-HIDY DRIVING GLOVES ..... \$2.65 and \$2.95
- BOTANY WOOL TIES ..... \$1.00
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