

# H. Y. Belk

AND HIS NEWS  
OF NEBO VALLEY

Mrs. Price Harmon had a birthday Easter Sunday. She received many nice and useful gifts.

Mrs. Etta Costner, Mrs. Will Wright of Cherryville, J. D. Davis of Shelby, the Lockridges of Kings Mountain, Shirley Karl, Misses Lucy and Betty Leigh, Mrs. Leigh and many others attended the big dinner reception.

Well, Henry Ford was a great man. Now he's gone where no brother ever gets back. His cars will run for years to come. We hope Henry is gone where they don't lack for anything.

I remember teaching a Sunday school class of small boys miles away from this spot of earth they

### NOTICE OF ELECTION

Pursuant to provisions of the Charter for the City of Kings Mountain and of the State Laws relative to the conduct of Municipal Election, and to a resolution duly adopted by the Board of Commissioners on April 8, 1947, an election is ordered to be held on the 2nd Tuesday after the first Monday in May, being May 13, 1947, for the election of a Mayor and five members of the Board of Commissioners for the City of Kings Mountain, one to be elected from each of the five wards.

The Voting places shall be as follows:

- Ward No. 1—City Hall.
- Ward No. 2—City Hall.
- Ward No. 3—Phenix Mill Store.
- Ward No. 4—Kings Mountain Manufacturing Co., Club Room.
- Ward No. 5—Victory Chevrolet Motor Company.

The Registrar and Judges for each Ward shall be as follows:

- Ward No. 1—C. L. Black, Registrar; Howard Jenkins and C. E. Warlick.
- Ward No. 2—Mrs. C. F. Thorason, Registrar; Judges T. P. McGill and T. N. Harmon.
- Ward No. 3—Carl Paysour, Registrar; Judges, Frank Green and D. C. Paysour.
- Ward No. 4—C. P. Goforth, Registrar; Judges, H. H. Smith and J. R. Roberts.
- Ward No. 5—Ben Goforth, Registrar; Judges, B. M. Ormand and J. C. Keller.

The registration books shall open at the aforesaid voting places for four successive Saturdays next preceding the election, beginning on Saturday, April 19, 1947, between the hours of 7 A. M. and 7 P. M., for the registration of persons eligible to vote in said election, and the registration books shall be open for public inspection and challenge on Saturday, May 19, 1947.

The polls shall be opened at 7 A. M. and held open until 6 P. M. Eastern Standard Time, Tuesday, May 13, 1947.

Any person desiring to run for Mayor or City Commissioner shall at least five days before the election in which he or she desires to run file his or her announcement in writing with the City Clerk and pay a filing fee of \$5.00.

This Notice shall be published in a newspaper published in Kings Mountain for four successive weeks and a copy of this notice shall be posted in each of the five Wards.

By order of the Board of Commissioners.

Karl S. Sawyer  
City Clerk  
a-17-m-8.

### NOTICE OF ELECTION

Pursuant to provisions of the Charter for the City of Kings Mountain and of the State relative to the conduct of Municipal Elections, and to a resolution duly adopted by the Board of Commissioners on April 8, 1947, an election is ordered to be held Tuesday after the first Monday in May, being May 6, 1947, for the election of One Trustee for the Kings Mountain School District to be elected from Ward No. One for a term of six years.

The Voting place shall be as follows:

- Ward No. 1—City Hall.
- The Registrar and Judges for Ward No. 1 shall be as follows:
- Ward No. 1—C. L. Black, Registrar; Judges, Howard Jenkins and C. E. Warlick.

The registration books shall open at the aforesaid voting place for four successive Saturdays next preceding the election, beginning on Saturday, April 12, 1947, between the hours of 7 A. M. and 7 P. M. for the registration of persons eligible to vote in said election, and the registration books shall be open for public inspection and challenge on Saturday, May 3, 1947.

The polls shall be opened at 7 a. m. and held open until 6 P. M. Eastern Standard Time, Tuesday, May 6, 1947.

Any person desiring to run for School Trustee shall at least five days before the election in which he or she desires to run, file his or her announcement in writing with the City Clerk and pay a filing fee of \$5.00.

This notice shall be published in a newspaper published in Kings Mountain for four successive weeks and a copy of this notice shall be posted in the aforesaid ward.

By order of the Board of Commissioners.  
KARL S. SAWYER  
City Clerk  
a-10-m-1

call Kings Mountain. I was trying to explain to the class about God creating the earth and everything that lives on it. A little boy now grown up to be a man in the class asked me who created God? I said I know God created everything living before the mountains were brought forth. But who created God I don't know. I do know God always was. Also I have been taught that everything must have its origin.

Well, let's forget it. It's all I can do and you are not any bigger fool than I am. This boy today is a teacher in one of our leading colleges.

I've traveled over ten states: The dirtiest deal I ever got was in historical Kings Mountain, after spending half of my life in and around here.

Don't tell me folks won't do you one if they get a half chance. Have you been waited on or just waiting to be waited on?

It's a fact, N. C., the State of North Carolina takes care of its old folks when they get down and out. \$10 a month you say. Oh, no, the Federal Government pay one fourth of that. What a shame on her fair name!

It is claimed India and China fashion their images according to their own notions. How would the President feel if Americans made

him? as they make of their gods in heathen countries.

I like America best if we do have some fools in it.

A man must be greater than anything he is able to make or manufacture. What a fool to think of worshipping such things as those people do. And they been at it so long.

Joe Stalin is the most dreaded man today as I see it in the world. He's like old Hitler. He don't believe in Jesus Christ, or the Devil and hell. He has faith in his armies. He's going to keep provoking America, so after awhile we will have to kill out about half of that 185 millions of people Joe calls his slaves. And get Joe on the go. I don't know if Joe can find a place to go since he don't believe in Hell or God.

Ruffin's Bay was discovered by William Ruffin, an Englishman in 1816.

The largest river in New Zealand is only 80 miles long.

Well, we got a brand new sheriff. One we will all be proud of. If he does as well as his daddy did. I'm glad I had a hand in getting this good man in. Haywood Allen for our Chief Deputy, will make good I am sure. Both men are home grown men young and active and good looking. (But ladies they are both married.)

What ever became of the old fashioned girl that plowed all week barefooted and had to stay home Sunday because she couldn't get her shoes on her big feet?

I never thought I'd be a poet:  
Bye baby bunting, don't you cry,  
Your daddy's gone a hunting  
To get a little rabbit's skin  
To wrap the baby's bunting in.  
Hush little sugar pie,  
Your mama don't want you to cry  
Your daddy's coming with a rabbit  
Your mama going to make baby a rabbit pie.

Thirteen Caswell County 4-H Club boys have secured their baby chicks for their poultry projects this year.

### NOTICE OF SALE

As executor for the Last Will and Testament of W. E. Ham, deceased, I will sell for cash at public auction on the premises on Saturday, May 10, 1947, at 2:00 o'clock, p. m., the following described real estate:

One Four room house and lot situated on the West side of the Southern Railway and South of the Kings Mountain Cotton Oil Co.

Any prospective bidder may see the house at any time. Immediate possession will be given at the sale.  
F. F. Ham, Executor  
J. R. Davis, Atty. a-10-m-1.



## LIFE INSURANCE BARGAIN DAY

If you are still less than half way along toward your next birthday, today is your insurance bargain day. Half way between birthday, your age changes and life insurance rates go up. Why not take advantage of the lower rate? Let your Jefferson Standard representative show you how you can buy "Planned Protection" today at the lower rate. There is a big savings!

T. Luther Bennett  
Special Representative

JEFFERSON STANDARD  
LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

## By Way Of Mention

Lois Seattle

Tommy Bright of the Army, who is stationed at Fort Jackson, is on an extended leave to his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barber and son, Benny, of Cherryville spent Sunday with friends in this community.

Marion Blackwell of the Navy, is on an extended leave to his wife Mrs. Marion Blackwell.

Mrs. Clarence Dixon, president of the Spuncraft community club, formerly the Cora mill Mothers Club, invites any girls and women to join their club. Fees are only ten cents a week. Club meets each Saturday night at 7 o'clock at the club house.

Luther Lanier of the Army is on an extended visit to his parents.

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Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Riley and sons Roger, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Riley of route three.

Charles Eitars of the Army spent the week end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Blanton of Cliffside have recently moved on McGinnis street.

Miss Nell Hutto and Mr. Tom Dotson were married Thursday, April 10

Hybrid corn research, which has cost the states and the Federal Government about ten million dollars over a period of thirty years, last year paid a dividend of at least 3 fourths of a billion dollars.

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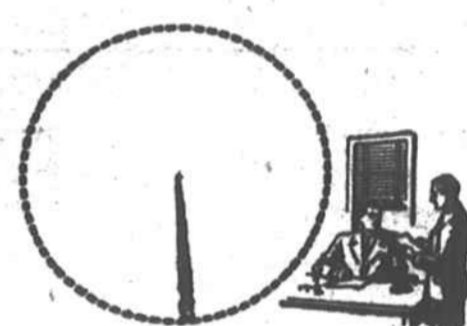
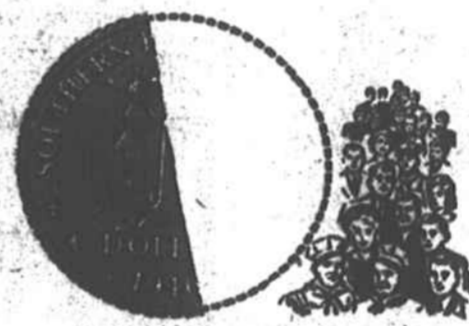
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## Anniversary Sale

This week we are celebrating our Eighth Year in business. To our many friends and customers who have made our success possible we say thank you. Visit our newly remodeled store and save on these Real Bargains.

25 Lbs. Flour		
<b>WHITE GOOSE</b>	Self Rising	<b>\$1.98</b>
Neesse's		40c
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<b>STRING BEANS</b>		<b>8c</b>
McGrath's No. 2		
<b>TOMATO JUICE</b>		<b>8c</b>
Del Monte No. 2 1-2		
<b>PEACHES</b>		<b>28c</b>
Happy Kids Dill		
<b>PICKLES</b>	Full Quart	<b>18c</b>
Cartoon		
<b>CIGARETTES</b>	Tax Incl.	<b>\$1.38</b>
<b>C. J. Gault &amp; Son</b>		
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## This is where our dollar went



LAST YEAR, the American railroads as a whole earned a return of only 2 3/4 per cent on the money invested in their property.

This year—with recent freight rate increases and current wage and material costs—the return is expected to be not more than 3 per cent, which is only half the 6 per cent return that the U. S. Supreme Court has said time and again is "fair and reasonable" for public utilities.

Only financially strong railroads can provide the efficient, economical mass transportation service so essential to the growth and prosperity of the nation.

Ernest G. Harris

## SOUTHERN RAILWAY SYSTEM

