

### Marine Bound Over On Robbery Charge

Robert Randolph Beam, Camp Lejeune Marine from Hickory, was bound over to the next term of Superior court under a \$300 bond on a charge of larceny of \$210 from Bridges General Store, on York road, Feb. 9. The case highlighted the regular weekly session of Recorders court at City Hall.

Beam was absent without official leave for 38 days according to court records. He was picked up in Kings Mountain Monday by Police Officer J. W. Roach.

According to police the robbery took place in broad daylight. The clerk in the store is reported to have stepped outside a few minutes watching a city fire truck answering a call to the Sadie mill, and Beam, in

the store at the time, reportedly "hit" the cash drawer.

Police said that Beam stated that he took a taxi and spent the money on a trip through Tennessee.

J. W. Wells paid costs and received a 24 months suspended sentence provided he keep up his wife and children on an abandonment and non-support charge.

Emma Spencer, for possession of one-half gallon of non-tax paid liquor, paid \$25 and costs and Robert Dawkins, for assault on a female, paid \$10 and costs.

Charles Edward Tate, of Bessemer City, paid \$10 and costs for speeding.

Theodore Stevenson paid \$5 and costs and Marie Whitesides forfeited a \$25 bond on charges of public drunkenness and the following paid costs on similar charges: John Robertson, James Lee Ford (Gastonia), Earl Beatty, and John Owens.

### Central Cagers Drop Final League Games

Kings Mountain high school boys and girls basketball teams dropped a double header to the teams from Lincolnton high school Monday night in Lincolnton, the girls dropping 39 to 13 and the boys, 31 to 18.

Mary Lou Barnette was high scorer for Kings Mountain with 10 points.

Herman Mauney topped the boys with six.

The lineups:

**GIRLS**

<b>KM (13)</b>	<b>L (39)</b>
Barnette, 10	Craig, 20
Harrison	Laney, 6
Roberts, 2	Bost
Cody	C. Johnson
Jackson	Canipe
Hoyle	Shorfield

Half score: Kings Mountain 9, Lincolnton 17.  
Subs — KM: Bridges, Reynolds, Floyd 1, Goforth, Howard, Howell, L. Anthony, D. Johnson, McCurry 6, Cagle 4, Gardner, Cornwell, Wise.  
Officials — C. A. Knight and Sammy Bell.

**BOYS**

<b>KM (18)</b>	<b>L (31)</b>
Ruth, 2	Steve Gabriel, 6
Medlin	Beatty, 8
Mauney, 6	Baker, 10
Huffstetler, 4	Cornwell, 7
Amos	Shirley Gabriel

Half score: Kings Mountain 8, Lincolnton 16.  
Subs — KM: Hudgins 4, Patterson, 2. L: Lowder, Finger, Babb.

### Boys Drop Game To Ramblers, 30-42

Kings Mountain boys varsity basketball team dropped the return game with Belmont Abbey Ramblers in Belmont Tuesday night by a score of 30-42, the local cagers playing a bang-up game but always behind the classy, fast-passing, fast breaking Abbey quint.

The Ramblers defeated Coach Don Parker's team here in Central gymnasium on Feb. 20 by a score of 49 to 31.

Bud Medlin, playing his final game in a Mountaineer cage uniform, hit the baskets for 12 points to take top scoring honors for Kings Mountain.

It was the final game of the season for the local quint.

The lineups:

**Varsity**

<b>KM (30)</b>	<b>BA (42)</b>
Ruth, 8	Maloney, 9
Medlin, 12	Brook, 14
Mauney, 1	Crowley, 8
Huffstetler, 2	Santos, 5
Amos, 5	McClaney, 2

Half score: Kings Mountain, 11, Belmont Abbey 23.  
Subs — KM: Hudgins 2, Patterson. BA: Shaw, Williamson, Campbell 2, Fitzpatrick 1, McCorkle 1.  
Officials — Bergman, Gastonia.

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