

City Limits 7,206
Trading Area 15,000
(1945 Ration Board Figures)

GOFORTH HOSPITAL WING BIDS ACCEPTED

Local News Bulletins

BUILDING PERMIT

A building permit, approved by Building Inspector Kelly Dixon, was issued at City Hall Tuesday to G. L. Smith to construct a garage at an estimated cost of \$185.

DIXON TO PREACH

Rev. Kelly Dixon will deliver the morning sermon at Missionary Methodist church Sunday, according to announcement by Rev. H. S. Scruggs, pastor. The service will begin at 11 o'clock.

PARKING MONEY

A total of \$143.76 was collected from the city's parking meters Wednesday afternoon, according to a report of acting City Clerk, Joe McDaniel.

NO COURT MONDAY

The regular session of City Recorder's Court will not be held Monday due to the Labor Day holiday, but will be held Tuesday, September 4, according to announcement by Judge E. A. Harrill.

PENALTY INCREASES

Joe McDaniel, acting city clerk, reminded business firms which have not yet purchased privilege licenses that the five per cent per month penalty will mean a total penalty of 40 percent following the close of business Friday.

ENGINEER HERE

M. I. Miller, electrical engineer of Greensboro, arrived here this week to conduct a survey of the city's electrical distribution system.

INCINERATOR INSTALLED

An electrically-operated incinerator, ordered several weeks ago, has been installed and is now in use at Kings Mountain hospital. Joe Dixon, business manager, announced this week.

DAVID BAPTIST REVIVAL

Beginning Sunday night and continuing through September 7, revival services will be held each night at 7:30 at David Baptist church. The Rev. J. C. Gore, of Fallston, will assist Rev. W. L. McSwain, pastor, in the revival services. Mr. I. J. Falls will be in charge of the music. Everyone has a special invitation to attend.

BUELAN HOME COMING

Annual homecoming services will be held Sunday at Beulah Methodist church, near Waco, with the choir of Central Methodist Church rendering special music at the 11 o'clock services. Dinner will be served on the grounds at 12:30, and Rev. Leroy Spencer, of Cherryville, will bring the message in the afternoon.

DANCE REHEARSALS

Rehearsals for the dances in These Conquer We Must will be held on Friday and Tuesday nights at the Little Theatre office on East Kings street. The minut group is to drill at 7:30 p. m. each night, with the country dance group to drill at 8:30 p. m. each night. All dancers are urged to be present.

Signals Installed At Intersections

A contemplated project of three city administrations was virtually completed Thursday morning, when electric power was turned on for the traffic signals at the corners of Mountain street and Battleground and Mountain street at Railroad avenue.

An engineer for Crouse-Hinds Company is to be in Kings Mountain next Wednesday to give the system, which works in conjunction with the railway warning signal, its final check.

At present, the Mountain street lights flash red and the Battleground and Railroad lights hit the amber caution when a train is passing. The flashing red means "full stop" and the amber means "stop, then proceed with caution."

The engineer will determine whether the system is as it should be. M. E. Falls, city administrator, said.

City, Park Grace Schools Open Tuesday; Faculties Announced

Summer Holiday Comes To End Tuesday at 8:30

Around 1,950 Kings Mountain area students are expected to report for the 1951-52 terms at Kings Mountain city schools and Park-Grace school of the county system when the doors open for the new year Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock.

Some 1,750 students are expected to enroll at East, West and Central elementary schools, Kings Mountain high school and Davidson Negro elementary and high schools.

Some 190 students are expected to report to Park-Grace school, Mrs. J. C. Nickels, principal, has reported, Park-Grace school, although a unit of the county schools, follows the same opening, holiday and closing schedule as the Kings Mountain city schools.

Total enrollment on opening date last year was 1,755 for the city schools and 171 for Park-Grace school, a total of 1,926.

Parents entering pupils in the first grade must present the child's birth certificate, B. N. Barnes, city schools superintendent, said yesterday. Children may not enter school unless they are vaccinated.

NEW STUDENTS

All students who have moved to Kings Mountain since the close of school last June are urged to report to the principals at their respective schools any time before 10 o'clock Monday morning to register for the coming term.

Thirteen new teachers have been added to the 66-man Kings Mountain city schools faculty, with one additional teacher, for Davidson high school, still to be named.

Mrs. Nickels has announced that Park-Grace will open with Continued On Page Eight

Highway 150 Detour Lifted This Week

Lewis B. Peck, state highway engineer of Shelby announced this week that the detour between Cherryville and Lincoln on Highway 150 had been cancelled.

Construction on the road and structures has progressed far enough to allow traffic to pass even though resurfacing is not yet completed, he said.

The road had been closed to traffic for several months while the project of widening the highway was underway.

Sealed bids and proposals should be filed at the office of the city clerk prior to the September 10 meeting of the board of commissioners.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Suit To Restrain Fuller's Pay Re-Entered With 47 Plaintiffs

Legal action to restrain the pay of City Administrator M. K. Fuller, voluntarily non-suited on August 22 by attorney for the plaintiffs Peyton McSwain, was re-filed by Mr. McSwain in Cleveland Superior Court last Friday.

A total of 47 persons, described in the complaint as citizens and taxpayers of Kings Mountain are listed in the complaint, which was signed only by O. T. Hayes, Sr., former acting city clerk. Also listed as one of the 47 plaintiffs was A. P. Warlick, who signed the original complaint.

R. N. Parrish signed the \$200 cost bond, E. A. Houser, clerk of court, said.

He also said that Mayor Garland E. Still and City Commissioner Olland Pearson, named as co-defendants in the suit, accepted service of summons on the date the suit was filed. Summons was served on the other defendants, Commissioners James Layton, C. F. Barry, Baxter T. Wright, Sr., Lloyd E. Davis and City Administrator Fuller on Saturday.

Mr. Houser said earliest possible date the action could be tried would be at the October term of Cleveland Superior Court. Under the law, the defendants have



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Martin To Lead Youth Revival

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Mr. Martin, a pre-divinity student at Pembroke State college, has served as a member of the staff at Ridgecrest Baptist Assembly for the past three years and has been active in the Baptist Student Union, having served as president of the Pembroke college unit and as vice-president of the North Carolina organization.

Song leader for the series, which includes services on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and on Sunday evening at 7:30, will be Herbert Bilderback, of Dallas, Texas, a rising senior and pre-divinity student at Baylor University.

Mr. Bilderback has also served for three years on the Ridgecrest staff.

Mr. Martin and Mr. Bilderback have just completed a revival sponsored by the Ridgecrest Baptist Assembly.

On Friday evening, young people of the First Baptist church will be served a buffet supper at the church.

City Asks Bids On Truck, Body

The City of Kings Mountain is inviting bids on a one and one-half ton truck and on a garbage and trash body, according to legal notice published in today's edition of the Herald.

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Memorial Fund Is Established

A special Memorial Fund for Kings Mountain was established to honor the late Lottie Goforth. The fund was announced by hospital officials this week.

The fund has been started by gifts of L. Arnold Kiser, veteran hospital trustee, and by Mrs. C. E. Neider.

B. S. Neill, executive vice-president of the First National Bank, is serving as treasurer of the fund, and gifts for the fund should be sent to him. They will be acknowledged in the Herald, as well as privately.

It was announced that as a part of the memorial fund, Dr. W. L. Mauney would furnish a room in the new wing in memory of his wife, Mrs. Billie Black Mauney.

The gift of Dr. Mauney will be in addition to the money, for indigent patients, given in memory of Mrs. Mauney at the time of her death.

City's Faculty Includes 13 New Teachers

Thirteen new teachers are included on the city schools faculty list as announced by B. N. Barnes, superintendent, this week.

The faculty is complete, Mr. Barnes said, with the exception of a home economics teacher for Davidson colored school.

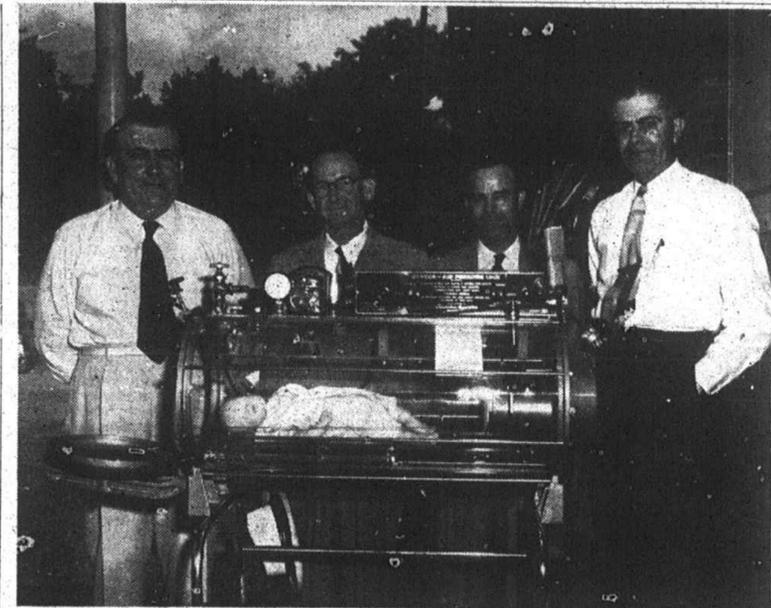
New members of the faculty include Art Weiner, former UNC All-American football player, as head football coach and teacher of high school history and physical education and Miss Alice C. Averitt, teaching consultant, of Fayetteville, who will assist members of the faculty with their teaching problems.

Miss Averitt's position is a new one for Kings Mountain schools. She will maintain an office at Central school, Mr. Barnes said. Mr. Weiner replaces Everette (Shu) Carlton who was called to active duty with the U. S. Marine Corps in March and is now serving in Korea.

Other new teachers are Miss Mary Ann Rice, of Belmont; Mrs. Eugene Mitchell, of Kings Mountain; Mrs. Maud Williams McGill, of Kings Mountain; Miss Catherine Bolck, of Lenoir; Miss Florence Virginia Shuford, of Iron Station; Miss Hazel Virginia Armstrong, of Mt. Gilead; Mrs. Dorcas C. White, of Kings Mountain; Miss Jacqueline Welch Blanton, of Gaffney, S. C.; Miss Stella Patterson, of Rock Hill, S. C.; Mrs. Sue G. Arrowood, of Hickory; and Mrs. Virginia James Leopard, of Woodruff, S. C.

The teacher list, with tentative assignments is as follows:

- CENTRAL PRIMARY: Miss Willie McGill, principal, Kings Mountain, third grade. Mrs. Pauline D. Harrill, Lattimore, first grade. Mrs. Macie L. Covington, Polkville, first grade. Miss Ruth Beam, Shelby, first grade. Miss Mildred McKinney, Bakerville, second grade. Mrs. Hester B. McSwain, Kings Mountain, second grade. Mrs. Mary A. Swink, Bessemer City, third grade. Miss Mary Ann Rice, Belmont, fourth grade. CENTRAL GRAMMAR: Rowell Lane, principal, Kings Mountain. Miss Doris Stout, Siler City, fourth grade. Mrs. Jeanette L. Mann, Kings Mountain, fourth grade. Miss Marie E. Lineberger, Kings Mountain, fifth grade. Mrs. C. E. Mitcham, Kings Mountain, fifth grade. Mrs. T. A. Pollock, Kings Mountain, sixth grade. Mrs. Maud Williams McGill, Kings Mountain, sixth grade. Mrs. Octavia C. Coggins, Kings Mountain, seventh grade. Miss Gussie Huffstetler, Kings Mountain, seventh grade. Mrs. Juanita M. Warren, Kings Mountain, eighth grade. Mrs. Dorothy H. Finger, Kings Mountain, eighth grade. Continued On Page Eight



HOSPITAL OFFICIALS RECEIVE KIWANIS GIFT—Shown above with the new oxygen air pressure lock given by the Kings Mountain Kiwanis club to Kings Mountain hospital are, left to right, Joe Dixon, business manager of the Kings Mountain hospital, Byron Keeter, past president of the Kings Mountain civic club, L. E. Abbott, president, and Robert Moser, administrator of Cleveland County hospitals. Mr. Keeter, also a former Kiwanis lieutenant-governor, served as chairman of the recent Kiwanis club horse show. Profits from the show made possible the gift to the hospital. The model in the machine is a doll. (Photo by B. S. Peeler, Jr. and Carlisle Studio.)

Kiwanians Present Gift To Hospital

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Baker Sets World Record

Pfc. Tommy Baker, of Kings Mountain and Tripoli, Libya, set another world's record for flying model planes Sunday by flying a specially built jet model at 132 miles per hour.

Pfc. Baker was competing for the Army Air Force in the contests of the Federation Aeronautique Internationale at Detroit, Mich. The record bettered considerably the former world mark set in 1950 by Georges Benedek, of Budapest, Hungary.

It was not the fastest Pfc. Baker had flown a jet model. He had set a world record recently in contests at Westover Air Base, Mass., of 155.12 miles per hour. However, that record was set with a lighter plane than the four-pound, built-to-specifications model which Pfc. Baker used on Sunday.

DRAFT QUOTA

The Cleveland County selective service board has received orders to supply ten men for induction into the armed forces on September 17 and to furnish ten men for pre-induction physical examinations on September 26, according to announcement by Mrs. Clara Newman, clerk to the Cleveland board.

Mrs. Campbell, who was librarian at Jacob S. Mauney Memorial library, had been ill for only three weeks and her death came unexpectedly.

She was the daughter of the late Gordon Hughes and Mrs. Hughes, who survives. She was a member of First Baptist church.

Other survivors include her husband, Charles B. Campbell, two sons, C. B. Campbell, Jr., of Wilmington, Del., and Edward G. Campbell, of Kings Mountain; a daughter, Mrs. H. M. Williford, of Aberdeen; five brothers, Conrad, Nevette, William, Gordon and Robert, all of Kings Mountain; five sisters, Mrs. G. C. Boone, of Radford, Va., Mrs. William Carroll, of Asheboro, Mrs. William Atchley, of Raleigh, and Mrs. E. C. Martin and Mrs. Phillip Baker, both of Kings Mountain; and four grandchildren.

Serving as active pallbearers were Prude Ratterree, Jimmy Dickey, R. G. Plonk, Jr., Harold Plonk, Eugene Goforth and Billy Gene Neilsen.

100th Baby Born At K. M. Hospital

The 100th baby was born at Kings Mountain hospital Thursday morning.

Like the first child born at the new hospital, the 100th baby was a girl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Huffstetler, born at 8:30 a. m. Dr. W. L. Ramseur was attending physician.

The hospital opened on Monday, April 2, thus the average number of births is slightly more than 20 per month.

First baby born at the hospital was Victoria Elizabeth Styers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Styers, 209 E. King street. The Styers child was born the day the hospital opened. Mrs. Styers was the hospital's second patient and Dr. F. G. Padgett was attending physician.

Bennett, Hoke Low Bidders; Total \$44,518

Low bids on the proposed Lottie Goforth Memorial wing of Kings Mountain hospital, totaling \$44,518, were accepted shortly after 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon by the Cleveland County hospitals board of trustees.

Low bidders were: General contract, C. T. Bennett Construction Company, of Kings Mountain, \$34,240. Plumbing contract, Tompkins-Johnson Company, Charlotte, \$3,500.

Heating contract, W. T. Branson Company, Charlotte, \$2,180. Electrical contract, L. A. Hoke, Kings Mountain, \$2,598.

The bids were on a six-room, 12 bed addition to the hospital, which would provide six beds for colored citizens, plus a Negro waiting room on the west side of the present structure.

It was estimated in round figures that construction of the wing, plus construction of walkways, equipping of the grounds would mean that the addition would cost about \$60,000.

The trustees have available for use at Kings Mountain hospital about \$85,000, including the estate of the late Lottie Goforth, which was bequeathed for building a hospital in Kings Mountain. However, the trustees had expected to be able to construct the wing and a nurses' home out of the funds available.

Acceptance of bids followed a telephone conversation between L. Arnold Kiser, Number 4 Township trustee and vice-chairman of the board, and the North Carolina Medical Care commission at Raleigh. The commission indicated a possibility that it would be able to participate, next year, in the construction of the nurses' home.

The meeting to receive bids was held at Kings Mountain hospital with eight of the 15 trustees present.

Mrs. Campbell's Rites Conducted

Funeral services for Mrs. Bertie Hughes Campbell, 49, who died last Saturday morning at 9 a. m. at a Charlotte hospital, were held at the home of her mother, Mrs. W. Gordon Hughes in the Dixon community, Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

Rev. P. D. Patrick and Rev. J. H. Brendall, Jr., officiated and burial was in Mountain Rest cemetery.

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