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Local News Bulletins

SPIDEL IN HOSPITAL
B. B. Spidel entered the Presbyterian Hospital in Charlotte Sunday for observation and treatment.

ATTENDS MEETING
Dr. D. F. Hord attended a district dental meeting in Asheville Monday.

PARKING METER RECEIPTS
Parking meter receipts totaled \$136.50 Wednesday morning, according to a report by the treasurer's office.

HOME COMING QUEEN
Ramona Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Allen, reigned as queen at homecoming festivities at Lees-McRae College last Saturday.

DIXON SERVICES
Services at Dixon Presbyterian church will be conducted beginning Sunday, October 5, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

HEAR PADGETT
Dr. P. G. Padgett, Kings Mountain physician, addressed members of the Second Baptist church on the subject of "Stewardship" on Wednesday evening, September 24.

MEN'S MEETING
The Boyce Memorial ARP Men of the Church organization will hold a supper meeting Monday night at 7 o'clock at the church educational building.

LEGION NOTICE
Regular monthly meeting of the executive committee of Otis D. Green Post 155, the American Legion, will be held at the Legion Hall Monday night, at 7:30 p. m.

HOME COMING COURT
Miss Barbara Gault, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gault, Jr., and a freshman at Western Carolina's Teacher's College, has been selected as one of the homecoming court.

ROBERTS REUNION
All descendants of Hugh K. Roberts are urged to attend the annual Roberts reunion Sunday at Antioch Baptist church.

PINNIX TO SHELBY
Rev. L. C. Pinnix, former pastor of Kings Mountain's First Baptist church, has accepted a call of Second Baptist church of Shelby to serve as assistant pastor and minister of music.

FAIR WINNERS
Two Kings Mountain farmers were among the winners in the early reports of judging at the Southern States Fair, now underway at Charlotte.

ARP SERVICES
Rev. Robert Marshallburn, of Statesville, will deliver the annual fall services of special services at Boyce Memorial Church, according to announcement this week by the pastor, Rev. W. L. Pressly.

New Business Building Begun

Haywood E. Lynch began construction last weekend on a new business building on West Mountain street. The construction will complete development of the Lynch property at the corner of Piedmont avenue and Mountain street, which is currently occupied by Western Auto Store, Baird Furniture, and Hamrick's Restaurant.

Shore and Grant Get Methodist Assignments Here

Two Kings Mountain Methodist churches will have new pastors, as the result of pastoral assignments announced at the close of the Western North Carolina Methodist Conference Sunday. Rev. P. L. Shore, Jr., of Glimsonville, will succeed Rev. J. H. Brendall, Jr., as pastor of Central Methodist church, Mr. Brendall, completing four years here, goes to Asheville as pastor of West Asheville's Trinity Methodist church.

Democrats Plan October Rally

Woodrow W. Jones, eleventh district North Carolina congressman, will be the principal speaker at a Democratic rally tentatively scheduled for Kings Mountain on Monday, October 27. Announcement of plans for the rally was made by Jack White, Kings Mountain attorney, who is collaborating with county Democratic leaders in advancing the national and state Democratic tickets.

Bridges Opens New Station

Elzie Bridges announced this week opening of Bridges and Phillips Texaco Service station, corner of East King street and Cleveland avenue, and that Sam McAbee, well-known former insurance man, will assume management of Bridges Shell Service, near the rail station. Mr. McAbee took over his new duties Wednesday and the new station began serving customers yesterday also.

Jaycees Planning Observance Of Annual Fire Prevention Week

Plans were announced this week for Kings Mountain observance of Fire Prevention Week October 5-11 under joint sponsorship of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Fire Department. J. T. McGinnis, vice president of the Kings Mountain Jaycees and third district fire prevention chairman, made the announcement.

Chairman Names Fair Committees

Many To Assist In Annual Event Of Woman's Club

Committees for "Autumn Harvests," the Woman's Club's forty-ninth annual Floral Fair, were announced this week by Mrs. George Houser, general chairman.

The annual Floral Fair is scheduled for Wednesday, October 29th. The several committees include (first-named is chairman): Publicity - Mrs. Jay Patterson, Mrs. P. D. Herndon, Mrs. E. W. Neal, Mrs. J. H. Arthur, Mrs. Sam Davis.

Guidance Series Gets Underway

Dr. J. H. Ostwalt, professor of education at Davidson college, will speak on the subject "Children's Behavior Problems" at the second of a series of programs on child guidance, to be held October 9 at 8 o'clock at Central school auditorium.

Bites Held Friday For J. F. Moss

Funeral services for John Franklin Moss, 71, who died at his home on route two last Thursday morning at 3:45 o'clock, were held Friday at 4 p. m. at First Wesleyan Methodist church.

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Tuesday Board Session Busy, Business Routine

The city board of commissioners, in special meeting Tuesday night, handled a mass of routine matters, including a long work authorization on minor drainage and street matters. Principally, the board: 1) Authorized over-time payments to salaried employees kept on duty longer than regular schedules.

Gastonia Man Hurt In Wreck Tuesday

A Gastonia man is in the Kings Mountain hospital suffering from severe head injuries, bruises and abrasions as the result of a collision Tuesday afternoon at 4:45 o'clock.

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Final "Sword Of Gideon" Weekend Starts Thursday



WHITTAKER'S CABIN DRAMA SCENE - Pictured above are three actors of "Sword of Gideon" in one of the 16 scenes of the historical drama, scheduled for final performances at Kings Mountain National Military Park amphitheatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights.

Attendance Now Over 3,000-Mark At Battle Drama

The curtain will go down on "The Sword of Gideon," the drama commemorating the Battle of Kings Mountain, this weekend, as the Kings Mountain Little Theatre presents its final weekend series of performances on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings.

City Will Observe World Communion

Majority of Kings Mountain churches will join with others throughout the world on Sunday in observance of World Communion Sunday.

"Mile of Dollars" Drive Is Started

Rev. B. F. Austin, pastor of Second Baptist church, has opened a "Mile of Dollars" building fund drive.

Shelby Attorney Has Office Here

Joe F. Mull, Shelby attorney, announced this week opening of his office in Kings Mountain on Mondays and Thursdays.

Employers Are Urged To Consider Hiring Of Physically Handicapped

The Kings Mountain committee for the Employment of the Physically Handicapped today called upon the businessmen to consider the skills and experience of handicapped workers for any jobs opening during "NEPH Week" beginning Sunday.

Local Churches To Participate In Annual Rite

World Communion is observed in every continent of the globe, ministers report, which means that a virtually every hour of the day Christians somewhere will be observing Holy Communion.

Band Campaign Collections Lag

Total contributions to the Kings Mountain city schools band fund were \$688.73 Wednesday morning.

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Minimum goal of the fund drive, which provides funds for the support of the city schools band, is \$1,500, leaving \$811.27 required to reach the desired amount.

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Mr. Abbott said that individual contributions have been very sparse, and he urged citizens to forward contributions to him. "The amount is not a large one, but it is imperative needed if the band is to be able to do its best work," Mr. Abbott said.

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Mr. Mull's office is located in the Professional Building, the former location of W. Faison Barnes.