

### Dr. Lingerfelt's Brother Passes

Funeral services for George B. Lingerfelt, 60, resident of Bessemer City and brother of Dr. T. C. Lingerfelt of Kings Mountain, were conducted Wednesday at 3 p. m. from Sisk Funeral Home in Bessemer City.

Rev. Russell Reymor, pastor of the Jehovah Witness church of Bessemer City officiated and interment was in the Smyrna cemetery.

Mr. Lingerfelt died in a Fort Lauderdale, Florida, hospital Saturday at 10:15 p. m. after an illness of two weeks. He was spending the winter in Florida.

He was a veteran of World War I and a retired transfer truck company official.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Bessie Payseur Lingerfelt, two sons, Bain of Bessemer City and Clyde of Fort Lauderdale, Florida; two daughters, Mrs. Jud Harmon of Bessemer City and Mrs. Russel Homiak of Wilmington.

Surviving in addition to Dr. Lingerfelt are three brothers, W. M. Lingerfelt of Bessemer City, Levo Lingerfelt of Dallas, and Johnson Lingerfelt of York, S. C., two sisters, Mrs. John Huskins of Bessemer City, and Mrs. Clarence Reep of Belmont.

### MORE ABOUT Revaluation

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Mr. Hamrick, the tax supervisor, said Wednesday that almost all real property valuations are out throughout the county, with a few yet to come for Number 4 Township, and Number 6 Township, as well as corporate valuation appraisals.

Also still to be mailed to property owners are valuations on industrial and commercial personal property, such as machinery, store fixtures and similar types of property. Mr. Hamrick said these appraisals are very detailed, and that duplicates of the detailed appraisals will go out to the property owners within the next ten days.

Thus far, he reports, complaints have been few at his office, though there have been many requests for comparisons and information of one kind and another.

The county board of commissioners sits as a board of equalization and review for the first time on Monday. Under procedure set up by the board, forms are available on which property owners may file complaints and are obtainable at the office of Auditor Hamrick.

**ON GOLF TEAM**  
Reggie Murray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boyer Murray, has been chosen as a member of the freshman golf team at Duke University.

### Mountaineers Lose To Shelby

Kings Mountain high school's Mountaineers exploded for five runs in the eighth inning at City Stadium Tuesday afternoon but failed to overcome a big Shelby lead, dropping the Western AA contest 10-7.

Shelby scored two in the first, Catcher Jimmy Horn plating them with a single, and four in the third, when Starter Ollie Harris ran into a spell of wildness and Shortstop Jimmy Francis unloaded a big triple.

**SHelby** AB R H PO A  
Jimmy Francis, ss 3 1 2 2 1  
xx-Deal, ss 3 0 2 0 1  
White, lf 3 0 0 0 0  
Bill Kirkendall, cf 4 0 0 1 0  
xx-R. Ledford, cf 2 0 0 0 0  
Jimmy Horn, c 4 2 1 14 0  
Andy Cockrell, 3b 2 3 1 0 2  
Joe Roberts, rf 3 2 1 0 2  
McSwain, 1b 1 0 0 1 1  
x-Johnny Long, 1b 1 0 0 1 0  
William Kouri, p 2 0 0 0 0  
Ridley, p 1 0 0 0 0  
Hamilton, p 1 0 0 0 0  
**TOTALS** 37 10 10 27 5

**KINGS Mtn.** AB R H PO A  
Don McCarter, cf 5 1 0 7 0  
Clayde Falls, ss 1 0 1 0 0  
Joe Roberts, rf 3 0 1 0 0  
Ollie Harris, p 1b 5 0 1 0 0  
Ronnie Layton, c 5 1 0 2 9 1  
Bobby Wilson, rf 5 0 1 0 0  
James Abernathy, lf 5 1 1 3 0  
Franklin Platt, 3b 1 2 0 0 0  
Earl Marlowe, p 0 0 0 0 0  
zz-Kenneth Roberts 1 0 0 0 0  
Richard George, 1b 2 0 1 4 1  
z-George Harris, 1b 1 0 0 0 0  
**TOTALS** 37 7 8 27 7

x-Filed out for McCarter in 4th.  
xx-Filed out for Francis in 7th.  
zz-Struck out for Marlowe in 9th.  
WALKER: 2-0-4 2-0-1 0-1-0-3-0  
KINGS Mtn. 0-0-1 1-0-0 0-5-0-7  
Errors: Deal, Roberts, McCarter, Falls, Layton, Platt; RH: Horn 2; Hawkins 3; Kouri 1; Francis 2; Roberts 2; McCarter 2; Kimmel 2; 2BH: Roberts, Hawkins, Abernathy; 3BH: Francis, Layton; HR: Roberts; SB: Francis, Deal, Cockrell; Sacrifices: Bridges; DP: McCarter to Layton; LOB: Shelby 12; Kings Mtn. 11; BOB: Off Kouri 4; Bridges 3; O. Harris 10; Marlowe 1; SO: Kouri 5; Bridges 3; Hamilton 3; Hits off Kouri 5 for 2 runs in 5 innings; Bridges 3 for 5 runs in 2 2-3; Hamilton 0 for 0 runs in 1 1-3; O. Harris 9 for 10 runs in 8; Marlowe 1 for 0 runs in 1; Hit by pitcher, by Kouri (George); Wild pitches: Bridges; PB: Layton; WP: Kouri; LP: D. Harris; Umpires: Thorburn and Guyton; Score: Parker; Time 2:25.

### KINGS MOUNTAIN Hospital Log

**VISITING HOURS**  
Daily, 10 to 11 a. m.  
2 to 4 p. m. and 7 to 8 p. m.

**PATIENT LIST AT NOON WEDNESDAY:**

Mrs. Lillian Phillips, Belmont, admitted Tuesday, April 7.  
Theodore Huffstetter, route 2, city, admitted Tuesday, April 7.  
Martin Golins, route 2, city, admitted Wednesday, April 8.  
Mrs. Mary Goforth, city, admitted Thursday.  
Essie Phillips, route 3, city, admitted Friday.  
B. C. Cole, Bessemer City, admitted Friday.  
Mrs. Geneva Smith, route 1, city, admitted Friday.  
Lizzie Fronberger, city, admitted Saturday.  
Callie Setzer, city, admitted Sunday.  
Dale Hollifield, 900 W. Mountain st., admitted Tuesday.  
Lillie D. Thornburg, 311 Walker street, city, admitted Tuesday.  
Jessie Randolph, route 3, city, admitted Tuesday.  
Raymond Purvis, route 1, Clover, S. C., admitted Tuesday.  
John P. London, Blacksburg, S. C., admitted Tuesday.  
Mrs. Edith Morrison, city, admitted Tuesday.  
James Jordan, city, admitted Tuesday.  
Mrs. Dorothy Gamble, city, admitted Wednesday.  
Beulah Marie Stroup, city, admitted Wednesday.  
Wilma Hopper, city, admitted Wednesday.

### Payne, Hord Pace Bethware Wins

Bethware high posted wins on last Friday and Tuesday to run the county baseball loop record to four wins in five starts for the season and second place in the standings.

On Tuesday at Bethware, Ralph Hord slammed a two-run double off Boiling Springs' ace Blight Howington, who came in to relieve Starter Tessenner in the fifth with the visitors ahead 3-2, for a 4 to 3 margin.

Pitcher Giles Bell singled to open the Bethware fifth, Ervin McSwain was hit by the pitcher and Dean Huskey bunted but was safe on an error. Bell tried home on a wild pitch but was put out at the plate. Hord then unloaded his game-winning double.

Bell went the route for the winners, allowing three hits and no walks while whiffing five.

On last Friday at Bethware, Dean Payne hit a grand slam homer in the fifth to put Bethware in over Number Three by 4 to 3.

Behind 3-0 going into the fifth, Maynard Ross led off with a single. Hord drew a pass and Jack Harmon was hit by the pitcher to set the stage for Payne's blast.

McSwain went the route for Bethware, being touched for seven hits and striking out five.

Bethware begins second round play against Mooresboro at the Bethware diamond Friday afternoon and are scheduled at Lattimore on Tuesday. Lattimore, undefeated front-runners, is the only team to defeat Coach John Rudisill's nine this season.

The line scores:  
**Tuesday:**  
No. Three 3 7 1  
Bethware 4 6 1  
McGinnis and Weaver; McSwain and Champion.

**Friday:**  
Boiling Springs 3 3 1  
Bethware 4 3 2  
Tessenner, Howington (LP) and Scruggs; Bell and Champion.

**Brother-in-Law Of Mrs. Ruth Dies**  
Funeral services were held in Albemarle Wednesday afternoon for Robert Lee Morrow, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Hilton Ruth, of Kings Mountain.

Mr. Morrow, a native of Albemarle but a resident of Fayetteville for many years, died early Monday afternoon in the Veterans hospital at Fayetteville. An accountant, he was formerly connected with the Internal Revenue

### Mrs. Grady Rhea Has Three Sons Now In Service, Three World War II Vets

Joe D. Rhea, United States Air Force, Seaman Grady A. (Jack) Rhea, Jr., and William K. (Bill) Rhea, all sons of Mrs. Grady Rhea of Margrace Mill, and the late Mr. Rhea, are now serving with the armed forces.

Three other of Mrs. Rhea's sons have completed tours with the armed forces during World War II — Elmer (Zip) Rhea, who served with the navy, Clyde Rhea, who was a member of the 8th infantry division in France and Germany, and Bobby Rhea, who was with the air force.

Staff Sergeant Joe D. Rhea is now stationed at the air base in Denver, Colorado. He is married to the former Miss Sue Chaney

bureau. He had been in ill health for a number of years.

He was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mary Meroney Morrow, a son, his mother, five brothers and three daughters.

### Pony League Being Organized

With a four-team Little League already set, Kings Mountain also seems assured of a Pony League here this summer for boys 13 and 14 years of age.

The Little League was formed here last year and is associated with the national organization. Boys 10, 11 and 12 years old are eligible to play in the league.

The recreation commission voted at a meeting yesterday to sponsor a Pony League and the entry fee has been posted.

Efforts to form at least a four-team Pony League were being made Wednesday afternoon. Sponsors reported interested included Craitspun Yarns, Inc., Mauney Mills, Park-Grace, Police Department and Pauline Mill.

An official of the commission said yesterday that a league official would visit each school at an early date to inform boys eligible for play when practice will get underway.

### None Injured Here In Auto Accidents

None was injured in the three highway accidents reported this week by Kings Mountain Police officers.

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Election May 12, 1953

### Juniors To Meet At Park Saturday

Plans to field an American Legion junior baseball team in Kings Mountain this year will be greatly furthered if a large turnout of boys interested in playing report to City Stadium Saturday at 10 o'clock.

Ollie Harris, Legion athletic officer, has expressed the opinion that players of age must show an interest in the team and that funds must be subscribed to operate the team before a definite decision will be made to go ahead with the program.

Nine players of the 20 on the 1952 team are eligible to play again this season. A 1951 player, Catcher Ronald Layton, is also eligible. He was not a candidate for the team last year.

Veterans back from last year include five pitchers, Billy Wells of Grover, Albert Anderson and Earl Marlowe of Kings Mountain, Giles Bell of Bethware, and Fred Hager of Bessemer City. All are righthanders except Anderson.

Other 1952 lettermen eligible are Dean Huskey, Bethware, and James Abernathy, and Milton Hope, Jr., Kings Mountain, outfielders, and Kenneth Roberts, Kings Mountain, infielder.

Several Bethware players are eligible, including Bobby Webster, ss, Jack Harmon, 1b, Maynard Ross, of Kenneth Lovelace, c, Ken Yarbore, lf and p, and Dale Burton, rf.

Bobby Wilson, outfield, and Richard George and George Harris, infield, of the Kings Mountain high team are also among those eligible. Grover prospects include Richard Padgett, Tommy Keeter, Robert Parham, Richard Bates, and Donald Ellis.

State elimination play is scheduled to begin early in June.

### Moss Optioned To Statesville

Darvin Moss, Kings Mountain lefthanded pitcher, has been optioned by the Gastonia Rockets to Statesville of the new Class D Tar Heel league.

Moss reported to the Class B Tri-State Rockets for spring training the middle of March and signed a contract a few days later. Business Manager J. R. Bradshaw obtained permission from Minor League Commissioner George Trautman to sign Moss, who has not graduated from high school.

Moss was a leading pitcher on the Kings Mountain American Legion junior baseball team the past two summers.

### School Newspaper Wins SIPA Award

Kings Mountain high school's monthly newspaper publication "The Mountaineer" was ranked in group three in the honor award group entered in the 24th annual Southern Interscholastic Press Association for 1952-53 year.

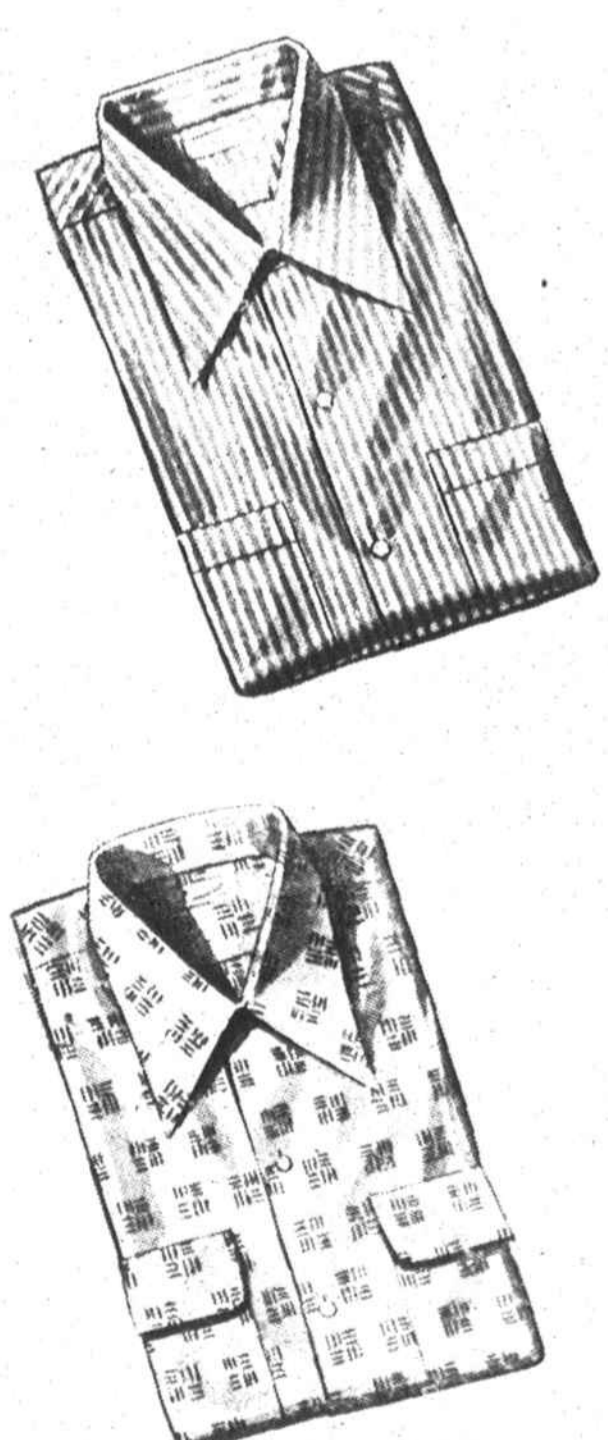
The SIPA contest was sponsored by the Lee Memorial Journal of Washington, D. C., and Lee University of Lexington, Virginia.

Seven other schools' publications were named to the honor award group three, which covers from 301 to 600 schools. Honors were awarded to high school publications representing 10 Southern States and Washington, D. C. The convention was in session three days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Wells and son, Glenn, have returned to their home in Kansas City, Mo., after visiting here with the latter's mother, Mrs. T. G. Huds-peth.

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