

RECREATION ROUND-UP

A meeting of Little League officials and coaches held at City Hall Monday night it was decided that Coaches James Connor of Bur-Mill and Lewis Falls of Jay-Cees would pilot Kings Mountain's entry in Little League All-Star play this year.

Below are the players that have been chosen to report for practice at the Little League field Thursday afternoon:

Park-Grace — Bob Smith, Jerry Morris, Jerry Wright, Banks

Guyton, Jerry Jones, and Bob Biddix.

Jay-Cees — Don Gladden, Jr. Whetstone, Jerry Black, Mike McKee, Mike B. Ware and Don Parker.

Bur-Mill — Don Tignor, Bud Connor, Jerry Wright, Ken Hollifield, Johnny Carpenter and Burton.

Kiwanis — John Hardin, Freddie Hambricht, Dave Plonk, Rick McDaniel, and Bob Osborne.

Hitting continued to dominate League play with Johnny Carpenter and Jerry Morris holding on to the one- two spots with averages of .529 and .536 respectively.

The ten leaders and their averages: Jerry Morris, P. G., .536; Johnny Carpenter, B. M., .529; Bud Connor, B. M., .444; Freddie Hambricht, K. 439; Johnny Hardin, K. 436; Jerry Wright, B. M., .425; Don Tignor, B. M., .411; Banks Guyton, P. G., .408; Mike Ware, J. C., .406; Bob Smith, P. G., .400.

The recreation department again took over 75 boys and girls swimming Wednesday afternoon and Bridges Hardware furnished a truck and driver for the outing.

One of the largest crowds of the season was at the local gymnasium Thursday night. New square dance records are now on the pick-a-bill and everyone is invited to visit and participate. Darts, ping-pong and shuffleboard are a few of the games available for enjoyment and the hours are daily 9 to 12 and 2 to 5 and 7 to 10 on Thursday and Friday nights.

Kings Mountain has been chosen as the site of this year's men's softball district tournament. The Junior Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the event.



IN AUSTRIA—Pvt. Jack M. Crouch, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Crouch, of Kings Mountain, is serving with the 202nd Military Police in Salzburg, Austria. Before entering the service he attended Gardner Webb college, Bowling Springs, where he was active on the football squad. His address: Pvt. Jack M. Crouch RA 14485936 202 MP Co., APO 541, c/o PM, New York, N. Y.

JUNIOR BASEBALL

Area 4
3rd Round Results
(Area Semi-Finals)

July 9—Cherryville 5, Shelby 4. (Cherryville winner of series 2-0).
Gastonia won series on Hickory forfeit (poll).

Championship Series RESULTS

July 13—Gastonia 5, Cherryville 4.
July 14—Cherryville 7, Gastonia 6.

SCHEDULE

Wednesday, July 15—Cherryville at Gastonia.

Thursday, July 16—Gastonia at Cherryville.

Friday, July 17—Final (5th) game of series, if needed. Site undecided, Kings Mountain a possibility.

STATE SEMI-FINALS

July 21—Start of series between Area 4 winner and Area 3 winner for Western Championship. Area 1 vs Area 2 for Eastern Championship.

STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

July 29—Start of series between Western and Eastern champs for State Championship.

Plushers Defeat Gaffney 7 to 2

Slater Mill Plushers, Kings Mountain semi-pro baseball team, downed Gaffney here at City Stadium last Saturday afternoon 7 to 2 behind the six-hit pitching of Bobby Wells, Belmont Abbey hurler.

Ken Spencer, N. C. State college baseball player, paced the 10-hit Kings Mountain attack with a triple and two singles. F. Reynolds had three for four and Jimmy Kimmell two for four as the Plushers went out front and were never headed.

Wells, Spencer and Kimmell were teammates on the 1951 Kings Mountain American Legion junior baseball team.

The lineups:
Gaffney: ab r h Slater 4 0 0
McKinney 4 0 1 Hipps, cf 4 0 0
McGrath, 2b 4 0 0 Spencer, c 3 3 3
Petty, cf 4 0 0 Reynolds, lf 4 0 3
Hammett, p 4 0 0 Moss, 1b 4 0 0
Scates, 3b 4 1 2 Kimmell, 2b 4 1 2
Reynolds, rf 4 1 1
Mayfield, ss 3 0 0 Hawkins, ss 4 1 1
Trudell, c 3 1 3 Smith, 3b 4 0 0
Wylie, 1b 3 0 1 Wells, p 4 0 0
TOTALS 33 2 6 TOTALS 35 7 10

Mecklenburg Scouts At Camp York

Approximately 85 Mecklenburg County Girl Scouts are expected to attend a two-week encampment at Camp York, beginning Friday.

The camp will close August 1. Miss Genevieve Watkins, of Charlotte, is director for the camping program, according to an announcement received here this week.

Bible Recitation Won Camping Trip

Linda Gail Kirkus, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Kirkus, has won an all-expense paid week stay at Camp Wabanna, located 35 miles from Washington, D. C., on Chesapeake Bay.

She won the award for outstanding accomplishment in Daily Vacation Bible school in one of Washington's leading Presbyterian churches by reciting 100 Bible verses.

Gail, who is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Claude W. Barnett, was the youngest of five to win the trip.

The group is to leave for Camp Wabanna on August 3 and is to return to Washington, D. C. on August 10.

Tigers Play Here Thursday, Saturday

The Kings Mountain Tigers are scheduled to play the Shelby Elk Raiders at City Stadium Thursday night at 8 p. m.

On Saturday night the Tigers are scheduled to meet an as-yet un-named opponent also at 8 p. m.

REUNION
Annual William and Susan Randle reunion will be held Sunday, July 26, at the Bethlehem Baptist church Fellowship Center. A picnic lunch will be spread at 12 o'clock noon and everyone is invited to attend.

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"Man On A Tightrope"
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"Powder River"
in technicolor
Rory Calhoun
Corinne Calvet
30 MINUTES OF CARTOONS

LATE SHOW EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT AT 11:30

SUNDAY, MON., TUESDAY July 19, 20 and 21
"The Girl Next Door"
in technicolor
June Haver-Dan Dailey
Dennis Day
Also 2 Cartoons

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WEDNESDAY:
Willie Adams, city, admitted Friday, June 26.
Mrs. Duffie Guyton, route 3, city, admitted Friday, July 3.
Regal Thomas Williams, city, admitted Saturday, July 4.
Ozzie Kinsley, 24 Gordon st., city, admitted Thursday.
R. L. Lackey, route 3, city, admitted Thursday.
Carolyn Petty, route 1, city, admitted Friday.
Mrs. Lucille Jenkins, Cherryville, N. C., admitted Saturday.
Mrs. Frances Green, route 2, city, admitted Sunday.
Mrs. Ruth Lee Ruff, Mauney Avenue, city, admitted Monday.
Mrs. Louise Alexander, city, admitted Monday.
Mrs. Betty Jean Allen, city, admitted Monday.
Bernice Fortune, city, admitted Monday.
Mrs. Hal Morris, route 2, city, admitted Tuesday.
Mrs. Clara Bollinger, city, admitted Tuesday.
Mrs. Louise Farnsworth, route 3, city, admitted Wednesday.
Mrs. Jack Hutchins, 205 S. Gaston st., city, admitted Wednesday.
Jimmy Mote, 101 city street, admitted Wednesday.
Gale McDaniel, city, admitted Wednesday.

Moose Organizers To Meet Thursday

A meeting to advance the organization in Kings Mountain of a lodge of the Loyal Order of Moose will be held Thursday at Burlington Mills recreation center, according to Donald McDaniel, president of the organization. McDaniel said the organization is progressing and that any men 18 years of age and older are invited to attend the Thursday night session. He pointed out that an open discussion of all phases of the organization would be discussed.

It is also noted that the Loyal Order of Moose is the second largest fraternal order in the world.

METER RECEIPTS
A total of \$167.65 was collected from the city's parking meters Wednesday morning, according to a report by the city treasurer's office.

BRIDGES REUNION
Annual Bridges reunion will be held at Bridges Airport Sunday, according to announcement by Glee A. Bridges, who has invited all members of the family and friends to attend the event.

NOTICE OF SALE
We, the undersigned, as trustees for St. Luke's Evangelical Lutheran Church will sell for cash on the premises of the church property, the church building and fixtures located with the church on SATURDAY, AUGUST 15, 1953, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. The church is located about 7 miles Northwest of Kings Mountain on the old Waco Road. The church building and the fixtures will be sold separately and the trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
The purchaser will have 90 days in which to remove the building off of the premises, together with the timber.
We will also sell a small tract of virgin timber on the church property.
This the 6th day of July, 1953.
A. S. Kiser,
James M. Lackey,
Rufus L. Plonk,
Trustees

Footo, Craftspun Hook Up Friday

Footo Mineral Company and Craftspun hook up in a county loop headliner at the Craftspun field Friday at 6 p. m.

Footo defeated Lawndale 9-8 in an extra-inning softball loop thriller at Lawndale Tuesday afternoon with Charlie Mathis on the mound. Carl Wilson and Bobby Herndon each had three hits for the winners.

The line score:
Footo 200 023 02-9 12 2
Lawndale 331 000 01-8 6 2
Mathis and G. McDaniel; Koci and Brackett.

On Monday at Footo, Coach Carl Wilson's team defeated Gaston Electric of Gastonia 20-8 with a devastating 25-hit attack led by Wilson and Nathan McDaniel with four hits each.

The line score:
Gaston Elec. 012 011 3-8 8
Footo 048 305 x-20 25
Ramsey and Glover; F. Thronburg and N. McDaniel.

On last Friday, Footo lost to Shelby WOW 5-3. Bud Huffstetler had two hits.

The line score:
Shelby WOW 500 000 0-5 5
Footo 000 000 3-3 6
Ponder and Runyons; Mathis and McDaniel.

Coach Wilson announced that Footo will enter the district tournament in Kings Mountain August 7-8. In fifth place in county loop standings, Footo will also enter loop playoffs, an eight-team double elimination event.

Little League Contests Open

Members of Kings Mountain's Little League teams and citizens of any age are eligible to enter two contests for free trips to the 1953 Little League World Series and other prizes.

Players may enter an essay contest and any citizen may enter a photographic contest. Persons interested in entering the contests are invited to secure further information from Red Layton at Central gymnasium. Entry deadline is August 1.

LITTLE LEAGUE RESULTS

July 10—Park Grace 13, Kiwanis 4.
Jaycees 8, Kiwanis 0.
BurMil 11, Park Grace 9.

July 14—BurMil 9, Kiwanis 3.
Park Grace-Jaycees called (darkness) top of 6th Park Grace leading 13-10.

SCHEDULE

Friday, July 17—Park Grace at Kiwanis. BurMil at Jaycees.

Tuesday, July 21—Park Grace at BurMil. Jaycees at Kiwanis.

Friday, July 24—Park Grace at Jaycees. Kiwanis at BurMil. (End of Schedule).

AT DONALDSON
S/Sgt. George W. (Bill) Blackwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Blackwell, now living in Greenville, former residents of Kings Mountain, has been assigned to the Donaldson Air Force Base following completion of two years duty in Japan.

S/Sgt. Blackwell has been in the service for three years. He spent a leave here recently.

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