

Tommy Baker, Model Plane Expert, Completes Air Force Tour Of Duty

Thomas P. Baker, of Kings Mountain, was discharged from the air force on August 31. He entered the service in 1951. Airman Baker took his basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas, served for two years at Wheeler AFB, Tripoli, North Africa, and received his discharge at West Palm Beach, Fla., where he has been stationed for a year. Baker won the Air Force world-wide model plane championship for the second consecutive year recently at Glenview Naval Air Station, Ill., and also won top honors in the National model plane finals. He won four first places and a second in the AF meet, scoring firsts in the 1/2 A speed, A speed, and B speed, and Jet speed events. In the national contests, he took first in class A, second in class B speed, and third in class 1/2 A speed events. Baker began his model airplane flying career in 1940 with rubber band powered models. The first

contest he entered was in 1945 at Charlotte with a scale stunt model. Since that time, he has entered some 70 to 75 contests and has 250 trophies. In 1951, Airman Baker won the Jim Walker Perpetual trophy for precision acrobatics. This trophy was presented to the commander of the Military Air Transport Service in Washington and was retained by MATS for that year. Later, in 1951, at the International Model Airplane championship, he set a new world record in heavy-type Jet aircraft with a speed of 144 MPH. This record has been recognized by the Federation Aeronautic International, the governing legislature of all sporting aviation in the world. Baker set a new American jet speed record of 155 MPH at Westover AFB, Mass., in 1953. The Kings Mountain man is the son of Dr. and Mrs. L. P. Baker and is married to the former Miss Mary Beth Hord, of Kings Mountain.

RESURRECTION CHURCH NEWS

By Mrs. W. R. George

Last Saturday evening both the Intermediate and Senior Luther Leagues had an outing which was referred to as "hobo night". Outdoor games and a scavenger hunt were part of the evenings entertainment. The Luther Leagues are planning to make an effort to achieve the "Efficiency Standard" during this coming year. This is a 16-point program set up by the Synodical organization to promote better league work. The members are also working on a Youth Sunday program to be presented Sunday night, October 3, as a public program.

The Children's Choir which has recently been organized has grown, in one month, from 7 to 18 voices. Their ages range from 7 to 13 years. This choir will make their initial appearances in the worship services in October. Several anthems are being arranged for use with both choirs together. White robes with large black bow ribbons will be the uniform of this choir. The robes are being furnished by the parents of the children together with the help of the Women of the Church. Mrs. Wray Plonk and Mrs. Fred Plonk make up the robing committee. Miss Maggie Bennett and Mrs. Hal Plonk have been appointed to help in robing and supervising the children.

On August 8, the congregation adopted plans for a new parsonage and also approved application for a loan to begin this building. Ground breaking service for the new parsonage will be conducted immediately after the regular 11:00 service. Let's everyone attend.

At its regular meeting this past Monday, the Ministerial Association of Kings Mountain decided to launch a special church attendance crusade during the months of October and November. This city-wide emphasis will fit right in with the loyalty program already planned at Resurrection for the month of October.

As a part of our preparation for Loyalty Month, we will conduct a complete visitation program on Sunday, September 26. On that Sunday, all those who are willing to serve as visitors to meet at the church at 2:30. After receiving instructions, these will visit all the other homes in the congregation. This personal visit will do much to familiarize all the members with Loyalty Month.

The goal which has been set for October, the Loyalty Month, is for every member of the congregation to be in church every Sunday—not only for the month of October, but continuing throughout the year. The theme for this all important month is "Christ Comes First".

This coming Sunday, the regular 11:00 service will again be broadcast on the radio. The service will be conducted by Pastor Fritz who will conclude his theme of three Sundays on "Three Godly Virtues."

Next Sunday will be Promotion Day in the Sunday School. All departments from the Primary up are asked to come together at opening time. Certificates and Attendance Awards will be given.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a deed of trust given by Calvin Howell and wife, Mary D. Howell to the undersigned as trustee for Kings Mountain Building and Loan Association on the 22nd day of September, 1952 now on record in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Cleveland County in book 409 at page 56 and default having been made in the payment of same and at the request of the Kings Mountain Building and Loan Association, I will sell for cash at the courthouse door in SHELBY, CLEVELAND COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA on MONDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1954 at 10:00 o'clock a. m. or within legal hours, the following described real estate:

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This the 20th day of September, 1954.

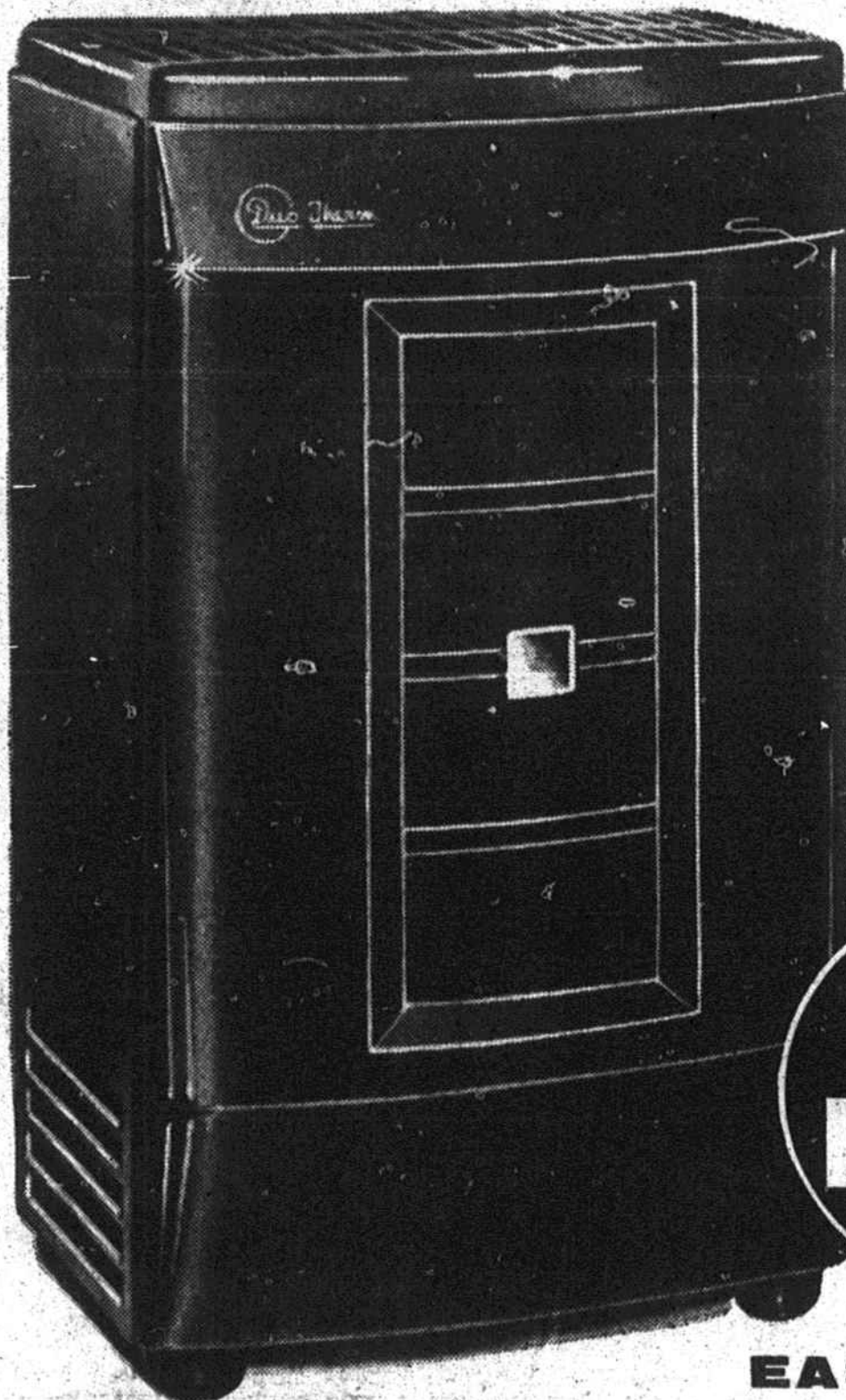
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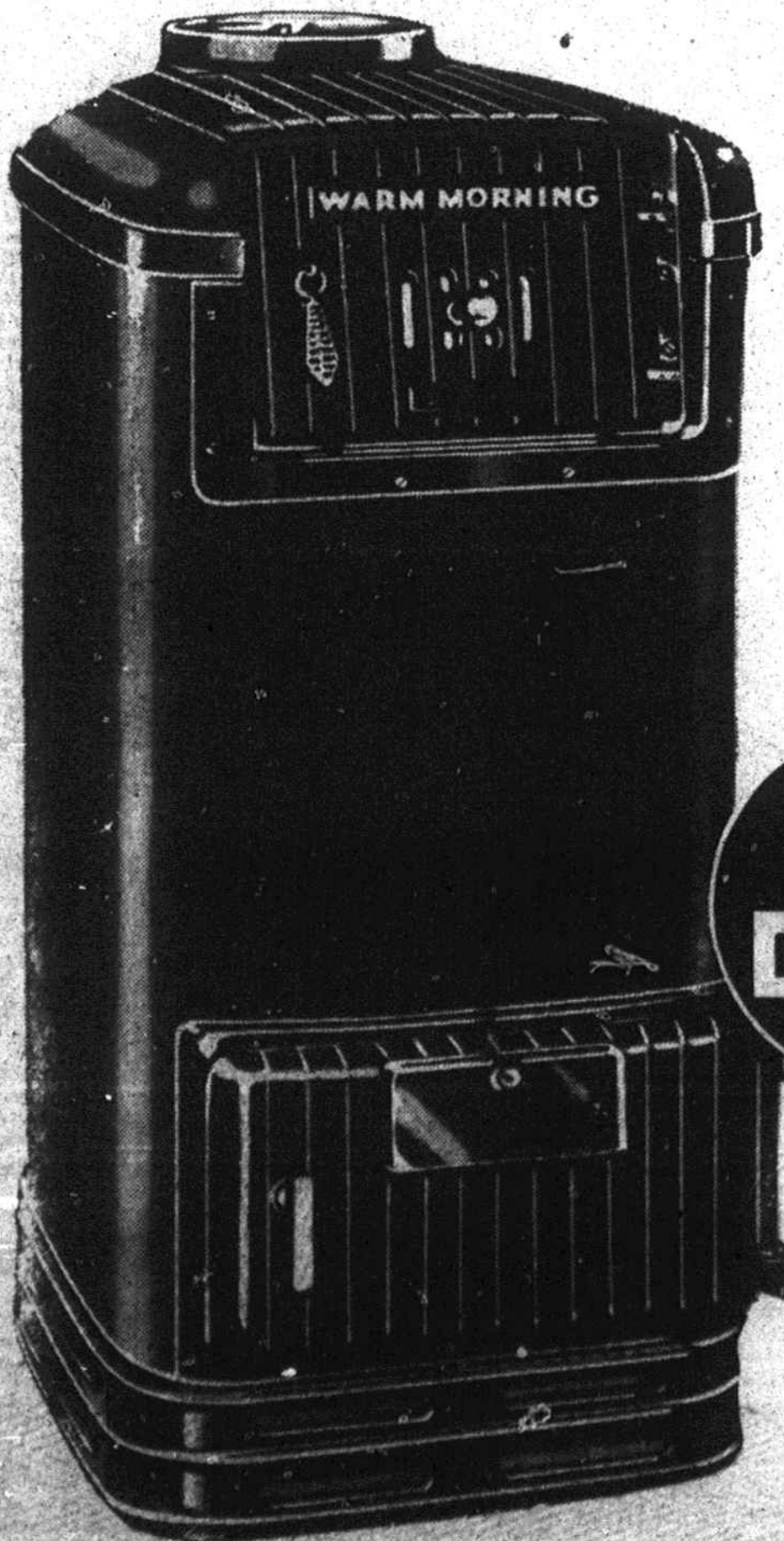
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