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Local News Bulletins

REVIVAL

Rev. Robert Harris, of Asheville, will conduct a week's revival meeting at Chestnut Ridge Baptist church on July 13, it was announced by Rev. W. L. Thornburg, pastor. Mr. Harris will preach beginning with the July 15th service at 7:30 p. m. nightly through July 19.

ATTEND MEETING

Mrs. Y. F. Thronburg, Miss Grace Davis, Mrs. Fred Wright, Sr., and Mrs. Charles A. Goforth, Sr., represented Central Methodist church at a three-day district meeting last week of the Women's Society of Christian Service in the Methodist churches in Western North Carolina held at Lake Junaluska.

LODGE MEETING

An emergent communication of Fairview Lodge 339 AF&M for work in the third degree will be held Monday night at 7:30 p. m. at Masonic Hall, according to announcement by T. D. Tindall, secretary.

ON DEAN'S LIST

Miss Cynthia Plott, daughter of Mrs. E. T. Plott and a recent graduate of Anderson Junior college, was named on the Dean's list for the second semester. Some 44 students made all A's and B's to earn places on the dean's list for the past semester.

AT MEETING

Mrs. J. W. Gladden, Mrs. W. D. Whitesides, and Mrs. Ben Long represented Otis D. Green Post 155, American Legion Auxiliary, at the auxiliary convention in Asheville last week.

MOVES

Kings Mountain Beauty Shop operated by Miss Winifred Fulton has moved from its downtown location on Mountain St., to the Fulton residence at 512 West Mountain Street.

FIELD DAY

Boy Scout Field Day will be held July 12th at 3 p. m. at Deal St. Pool. Trophies will be awarded in eight events, including dashes, jumps, and swimming. Don Crawford has announced.

FOOTE SUPERVISORS

Archie McGee, of Philadelphia, Pa., internal auditor for Foote Mineral Company, discussed auditing procedures at a quarterly meeting of supervisors of Foote's Kings Mountain plant last Thursday. The dinner session was held at Kings Mountain Country Club.

HOME COMING

Homecoming will be held Sunday at Enon Baptist church. Rev. W. P. Bumgardner will preach at the morning worship hour and picnic dinner will be spread at the noon hour. Special music will feature the afternoon song service.

METER RECEIPTS

Parking meter receipts for the week ending Wednesday at noon totaled \$131.27, with \$18.78 from off-street meters and \$112.49 from on-street meters. Mrs. Houston Wolfe, assistant city clerk, reported.

HOSPITALIZED

The condition of A. P. Warlick, hospitalized in Gaston Memorial hospital for blood poisoning of the left foot, had worsened Wednesday, his wife reported. Mrs. Warlick said her husband's condition had shown some improvement the day before.

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TO WASHINGTON

Mrs. Marcelle B. Navey, daughter of Mrs. Florence Blanton and the late Mr. E. W. Blanton, will leave Monday for Washington where she is being sent as a delegate to the national meeting of the American Association of Instructors of the Blind. On her return, she will go to New York where she will teach and serve as assistant coordinator in a workshop in Arts and Crafts

First Baptist Committee To Meet Weekly

First Baptist church's joint conference committee on the church dispute regarding building on a new site met for the first time last Thursday night against a background of arrival at the North Carolina Supreme Court of the majority group's appeal of a Superior Court Judge's ruling.

Specifically, the appeal, filed in behalf of the majority group by its attorney, seeks to set aside a ruling by Judge Dan K. Moore—now retired from the bench—denying motion for non-suit of litigation brought by the dissident group.

Last Thursday's meeting was described by Yates Harbison, chairman of the First Baptist board of deacons and also named chairman of the joint conference committee, as no more than an organizational meeting.

He said the group talked informally and agreed to meet for further discussions on each succeeding Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

Other members of the committee are:

For the majority group—James E. White, Dr. Paul Nolan and W. A. Williams.

For the minority or dissident group—W. T. Weir, Glee A. Bridges and Harold D. Crawford. The church has charged this group with formulation of a point report for consideration by the church membership.

Mr. Harbison declined to predict when such a report would be completed or forwarded to the church membership.

The majority group, supported by a 235-163 membership vote, wants to build a new church plant on a new site at the corner of W. King and Sims streets.

The dissident group opposes the building of a plant on a new site and has lodged legal action to abrogate the church vote, charging undue duress on the part of the former pastor Rev. Aubrey Quakenbush, and other alleged illegalities.

Meantime, the dissident group, before former Judge Moore, was able to obtain an injunction preventing the pastor, trustees and officers of disposing of any of the church's real assets or its building fund asset of about \$90,000, pending settlement of the suit now pending in Cleveland Superior Court.

Officers Named By DeMolay

Appointive officers were named by Kings Mountain chapter, Order of DeMolay, at the group's regular Thursday night meeting at Masonic Hall.

The new officers include Jimmy Blanton, scribe; Mac Lennon, senior deacon; Glenn Eiters, junior deacon; Bruce Thorburn, senior steward; Buddy Kircus, junior steward; Bobby Early, chaplain; Johnnie Williams, almoner; Mike McKee, marshal, and Wray Plonk, standard bearer.

Preceptors named were Arthur Allen, Mike Ledford, Eddie Herridon, Norma Bumgardner, Phil Mauney, Bud Bumgardner, and Paul Hendricks. Orator is Don McKinney and sentinel is Tommy Martin.

The other officers, recently installed, are Dewayne Caldwell, master councilor; Phil Padgett, Jr., senior councilor; Barry Smith, junior councilor, and Richard McDaniel, treasurer.

Order of DeMolay meets weekly on Thursdays at 8 p. m.

Political Activity Still Quiet; Second Primary Ten Days Distant

County Democratic politics remained outwardly quiet this week, though second primary voting day is only ten days distant.

Particular interest here and throughout the county is in resolving the contest between Carl P. Finger, Kings Mountain laundryman and incumbent county commissioner, and J. Broadus Ellis, the Grover challenger.

Comm. Finger was a 149-vote leader in the first primary voting on May 31. However, he failed to obtain a majority over Mr. Ellis by 365 votes, as A. Barrett ran third.

The first primary totals were: Finger 2428; Ellis, 2279; Barrett 919.

Mr. Ellis notified the county election board he was calling the second primary voting on June 9.

Only other race to be settled in the second primary voting is a township affair. In No. 6 Township (Shelby), C. E. Fisher, who ran second on May 31, asked for

Throwing Firm Plans Addition

Re-Zoning Clears Way For Adding To Yarn Firm

Carolina Throwing Company, producer of nylon stretch yarn, contemplates beginning in the near future construction of a two story addition to provide 3456 more feet of floor space.

The company was successful last week in obtaining rezoning of property on the east side of Candler street to permit the addition.

It is understood the addition will provide the company both space for production machinery and needed storage space.

The addition will be built of brick, with mill flooring.

Bids are currently being received.

It is anticipated the addition will enable the company to produce greater quantities of stretch nylon yarn, used primarily in the manufacture of men's hosiery, at less unit cost.

Carolina Throwing Company, Inc. is owned by W. K. Mauney, Jr., Carl F. Mauney and Howard B. Jackson.

Mrs. Ware's Rites Conducted

Funeral rites for Mrs. Flossie Kendrick Ware, 81, who died Monday morning at 1 a. m. in Kings Mountain hospital, were held Tuesday at 4 p. m. from Harris Funeral Home.

Rev. James B. McLarty and Rev. P. D. Patrick conducted the final rites. Burial was in Mountain Rest cemetery.

Mrs. Ware, a Kings Mountain native, was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John T. Kendrick. She was the widow of Julius Ware who died in 1931. She was a member of Central Methodist church.

Surviving are three sons, Horace and Fred Ware, both of Kings Mountain; Paul Ware, Charlotte, two daughters, Mrs. Robert Harrison, of Gastonia, Mrs. George Horne, Kings Mountain, and four sisters, Mrs. Agnes Thomasson, Mrs. Mary Lipford, Miss Margaret Kendrick, all of Kings Mountain, and Mrs. T. L. Ware, Sr., of Mount Holly. Twelve grandchildren and two great-grandchildren also survive.

Club Elects Miss Goforth

Miss Margaret Goforth, city schools faculty member, has been elected divisional chairman of areas of the International Affairs Department, North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs.

A former vice president of District IV, Miss Goforth has been active in the affairs of the Woman's Club on both local and state levels for several years.

She will be one of the leaders Thursday at the Council-Institute on departments to be held in Raleigh.

MEETING

New officers of the Kings Mountain Garden Council will meet Wednesday morning at 10 a. m. at the home of Mrs. Henry Neisler on Phifer road.

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AT UNION SERVICE — Dr. Eugene C. Few, superintendent of the Western North Carolina district of the Western North Carolina Methodist conference, will deliver the sermon at Sunday night's union service at Central Methodist church.

Dr. Few Union Service Speaker

Dr. Eugene C. Few, superintendent of the Western North Carolina Methodist conference, will deliver the sermon Sunday night at this week's union service.

The service will be held at Central Methodist church, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Dr. Few, who holds honorary Doctor of Divinity degrees from both High Point college and Duke University, is a veteran Methodist minister who has served many large Methodist churches, including Edenton Street church, Raleigh, Druid Hills church, Atlanta, Ga., Riverside Park Church, Jacksonville, Fla., West Market Street church, Greensboro, and Myers Park church, Charlotte. He was assigned to Gastonia district superintendent at the recent annual conference at Lake Junaluska.

In addition to his work as a pastor, Dr. Few has served as contributing author to three devotional books, "God's Answer," "The Book of Daily Devotions" and "A Spiritual Diary."

Dr. Few's sermon will be the third in the summer's series of union services.

Hullender Trio Holds Reunion

Louise Hullender Tucker, Larry Hullender, and Bobby Hullender, sister and brothers, were reunited this week after a separation of 10 years.

The separation came as a result of the children growing up, joining the services or school, and moving away.

Larry, a resident of Tacoma, Washington, for the past ten years, came into the Herald office Tuesday afternoon with his sister. When asked how he came to locate so far away he replied he was stationed there while serving in the U. S. Army and met a girl.

After being discharged from the service he went back for a better look and ten years, one marriage, and two children later he returned to Kings Mountain for a visit with his family.

The girl was Patty Lindstrom of Tacoma and children are Steve, age 5, and Carol, age 10.

Mr. Hullender is employed by Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company as a route salesman.

The Hullenders will return to Tacoma this weekend, but hope their next reunion will not be as far distant as the first.

Summer School Now Underway

It was back to school for numerous students attending Kings Mountain high school's summer school. With recent emphasis on science, biology and general science students began a week earlier than Tuesday's enrollees for English and American history.

Science time has been upped to 180 hours, an increase of 20 hours over last year's schedule.

Instructors include Mrs. George Moss, English; Mr. E. L. Brown, American history; and Miss Odesa Black, science.

Five day week school day's beginning at 7:45 and ending at 1:00 p. m. will conclude July 30.

"Living Giving", Brokhoff Says At Union Service

by ANNE HARMON

"Faith, resources, and a life-guiding principle of giving are the requisites which are needed if we are to launch out into the deep and reach the port of success."

This was the statement of Dr. John Brokoff, pastor of St. Mark's Lutheran church of Charlotte, speaking to members of the Lutheran, Presbyterian, Methodist, and A.P.C. churches at the second union service of the 1958 series at St. Matthew's Lutheran church Sunday night.

Using as a text Luke 5:4, the verse in which Jesus told Simon to "launch out into the deep," Dr. Brokoff compared life to a sea and every life to a little boat. He used as a parallel the illustration of the ill-fated voyage of the young North Carolinian who tried sailing his poorly equipped boat, "The Impossible" from Wilmington to Bermuda.

Dr. Brokoff remarked that since he named his boat "The Impossible" the young man showed lack of faith.

"We must believe in ourselves, our fellow man, and our God, and with God's help we can conquer any obstacle."

The would-be Bermuda visitor didn't have food or other supplies sufficient for the journey. From this, Dr. Brokoff said, we can learn to "count the cost before we go on a venture."

"Are we willing to pay the price?" he asked. "Jesus said we must deny ourselves. We must not come easily. We must fight for it and work for it, if we accomplish anything really worthwhile."

The Charlotte minister concluded his remarks with the statement that life is built on the principle of giving. "We must give, and give and give," he said. "Life is never meant to be conserved, and it matters not how long we live, but how well."

Discussing the fact that the Wilmington "sailor" had only a receiving set for radio communication, Dr. Brokoff said, "Be sure to launch out with the right principle—giving instead of receiving. If you do, your work will be a blessing to all mankind and a glory to God."

Mrs. Cochrane In Play Role

Mrs. Margaret McLarty Cochrane, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. B. McLarty of Kings Mountain played the role of "The Nightingale" in the production of "The Emperor's Nightingale" presented recently in New York by Neighborhood Playhouse School of the Theatre.

Both Mrs. Cochrane and her husband, William Cochrane, are completing their second year at the New York school.

The play was presented as part of a week long celebration of the 30th anniversary of the playhouse.

"The Emperor's Nightingale", written by Dan Therof, is based on the story by Hans Christian Andersen. Presented in authentic Kabuki style, the choreography was under direction of Miss Yuriko, well-known choreographer of Broadway plays.

Amateur Athletes Sustain Injuries

Two Kings Mountain players were injured in baseball and softball action Tuesday.

Wayne Ledford, 15-year old youngster from the Patterson Grove community, suffered a broken jaw when struck by a thrown ball in a Babe Ruth League game at City Stadium Tuesday afternoon. The jaw was set by Dr. D. F. Hord Wednesday morning.

A member of the Rebel team, Wayne was hit in the face by a thrown ball when he was sliding into home following a wild pitch by the Margraze pitcher. The catcher retrieved the ball and was attempting to nab the runner at the plate when the toss hit the runner.

Joe Bill Cornwell of the Merchants team of the Slow-Pitch Softball League suffered a back injury in a collision with an Osage player while running the bases in a league game at Bessmer City.

Cornwell was removed to Kings Mountain Hospital and remained there overnight Tuesday, pending X-Rays Wednesday. His physician, Dr. John McGill, said that Cornwell probably would be released from the hospital Wednesday afternoon if X-Rays did not show a fracture.

Grade Arrangement Change Considered In City Schools

Hospital Board Names Barrett, Jack Herndon

Jack Herndon, of Grover, and A. A. Barrett, of Waco, have been appointed to the board of directors of Kings Mountain Hospital, Inc., it was announced this week.

The two new appointees, who will serve for five-year terms, will succeed R. Burris Keeter, of Grover, and Hugh Davis, of Waco, on the ten-man board of directors of the non-profit corporation which now operates the hospital on lease from the county board of commissioners.

The board will hold a dinner meeting at Kings Mountain Country Club next Wednesday night, when the newly appointed members will be seated and the board will also organize for the coming year.

George W. Mauney, of Kings Mountain, is president of Kings Mountain Hospital, Inc.

Directors with unexpired terms of office are George W. Mauney, George H. Mauney, Charles E. Neisler, Lamar Herndon, Holmes Harry, Luther T. Bennett, W. L. Plonk, and George Thomasson.

Mr. Barrett is a Waco contractor-farmer. Mr. Herndon is a department manager for Sears-Roebuck in Shelby. He is a son of the late Lester Herndon, former county commissioner.

Burlington Sets Vacations

Most plants of Burlington Industries in Gaston County will observe vacation schedules during the July 4 week, according to an announcement today by managers and superintendents of the various units.

Two exceptions will be the Cramerton and Flint plants, which will be shut down for vacations the split week of July 27-August 3. These two plants will also be closed both Friday and Saturday, July 4 and 5, to enable their employees to enjoy the holiday week end.

Robert O. Craig, Jr., group manager for Burlington Spinning plants in the area, said that the Raulo, R. C. G. Love and Phenix plants would close at the end of operations June 27 or 28. George Jubrias, D. C. Gunter and Ben Grimes are respective superintendents of these plants. The Modena plant of Klopman Mills, a Burlington member company, will observe the same vacation week, according to superintendent Alex James.

James D. Barbee, Cramerton executive vice-president and general manager, said his plants would shut down for the vacation week at the close of operations July 25 or 26. Fred Daugherty, Flint plant superintendent, announced a similar schedule.

Burlington's Gaston terminal and warehouse will stagger operations during the vacation periods in order to maintain service as may be required to the manufacturing units it was announced by Garrett Woodward, terminal manager.

Vacation pay will be distributed to employees as in the past, prior to closing down for the vacation week.

City Fathers Admit To Confusion But Buy Three Insurance Policies

Granting of insurance contracts, on bid, was a principal item of business at the city commission's regular session last Thursday night. Out of the considerable discussion and some confusion, the results were:

1) Awarding to John I. George, agent for Nationwide Insurance Company, comprehensive general liability, workmen's compensation coverage, and employer's liability coverage, for an aggregate premium of \$4,731.27.

2) Awarding to B. F. Maner Insurance Agency a scheduled property floater and fire coverage policy on City Hall for a premium of \$73.45.

A belated result was a refund to the city by Tom Trott Insurance Agency of \$18.24 on a fleet liability policy written to be effective March 13 past.

In discussion on the bidding, Mr. George had contended that Mr. Trott had not submitted a bid on the basis of coverage per policy expiring. Mr. George con-



WINS AWARD — Dean Bridges, Kings Mountain Ministerial student, was among winners of Eastern Star scholarships presented last week at the Grand Chapter meeting in Asheville.

Bridges Wins OES Award

Dean Bridges, Kings Mountain student at Gardner-Webb college and son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Bridges has won the Eastern Star Training Award for religious leadership for the second consecutive year.

The award was presented to 18 North Carolina ministerial students at the 53rd annual session of the Grand Chapter of North Carolina, Order of the Eastern Star.

The scholarship totaling \$200 and applicable at any college the winner wishes to attend was presented during the Eastern Star meeting in Asheville June 9-12. Bridges, a college sophomore, is sponsored by Kings Mountain chapter 23, OES.

Hoyle To Speak To Kiwanians

Jack Hoyle, superintendent of the Cleveland County Welfare department, will address members of the Kings Mountain Kiwanis club at their Thursday night meeting.

Mr. Hoyle will discuss the forthcoming opening of a welfare department branch office here. He will speak on a program arranged by J. H. Thomson.

The club convenes at 6:45 at the Woman's Club. Born and reared in Cleveland county, Mr. Hoyle attended Waco high school, and was graduated from Gardner-Webb college and Wake Forest college. He holds a Master's degree in social work from the University of North Carolina.

He previously served as a case-worker in Burke and Cleveland counties before joining the North Carolina Department of Public Welfare as supervisor of child caring institutions. He became superintendent of public welfare in Cleveland County on June 1, 1957.

Mr. Hoyle is a navy veteran of World War II.

ON NAVY DUTY

Lt. (j. g.) I. Ben Goforth, Jr., naval reserve, left for Washington, D. C., last weekend for a month's active duty.

tended that Mr. Trott's bid was \$2.58 low, but that, had he bid correctly, Nationwide would have been low.

Mr. Trott informed the Herald Wednesday that he'd asked his company, Home Insurance Company of New York, for a re-check and that the result was that the city's fleet liability policy had been amended to Class III, with an \$18.24 premium return in order. He gave the city the check Wednesday.

On the employer-general liability policy, Mr. Maner had pointed out that his bid, which was much higher than either the Nationwide bid or one posted by Hay Insurance Company, were questionable. He said the three bids would have proved identical had each firm had the city's prior experience rating. He added that Nationwide, as a dividend-paying company, would actually

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Grammar Unit Grade Schemes May Be Effected

The city board of education discussed organizational arrangements for 1958-59 at Monday night's meeting.

No action was taken, but conversations indicated these possibilities:

a) Central elementary school may be minus first and third grades, due to insufficient registration.

b) East and North schools may be minus eighth grades, due to insufficient classroom space.

c) West school may be minus a seventh grade, due to insufficient classroom space.

Supt. B. N. Barnes, in advising the board members of grade-load problems anticipated, noted that he merely advised the board for information and that he did not expect final decision as yet.

In other actions, the board 1) Elected Miss Delores Blanton, of Shelby, as a high school faculty member. Miss Blanton will join the Kings Mountain faculty after teaching at Lexington.

2) Accepted the resignation of Mrs. Pauline Harrill, of Shelby, first grade teacher at North school. Mrs. Harrill resigned to accept a teaching position in Shelby.

3) Authorized a committee, including F. W. Plonk, A. W. Kincaid, and B. N. Barnes to let contract for new curtains for Central auditorium.

4) Authorized tender of contract for local funds audit to Robert H. Cooke, Shelby accountant. The board discussed, without action, proposal to grant right-of-way from school property for extending N. Ramseur street to McGinnis street.

Supt. Barnes told the board that summer school enrollment was much higher than usual and that an additional faculty member had been engaged. John Gamble was added to the faculty which also includes E. L. Brown, Miss Odessa Black and Mrs. George Moss. Mr. Barnes said summer band enrollment is not as great as had been hoped.

Lifesaving Crew Is Now Organized

The Cleveland County Rescue and Lifesaving Crew, set up in Kings Mountain a few weeks ago, is fully organized and ready to go, barring the procuring of several pieces of equipment.

Delbert Dixon, secretary of the group, said Wednesday the crew needs a good boat, motor, and trailer, plus the grappling rig and a resuscitator. Also needed will be a truck.

Dixon reported the crew has acquired an ambulance, which is already painted.

First aid instructions for members will begin Monday night at City Hall.

A \$2,500 budget was set for the year at the first Board meeting.

Mr. Dixon added all donations should be made payable to the Cleveland County Rescue and Lifesaving Crew, Kings Mountain.

"We're pretty enthused over the unit. It will be a big benefit to the county and our community," he said.

"Of course, we hope there won't be anything to do, but in case we're needed, we want to be ready. In several cases in this area, a lifesaving unit would have meant the difference in life and death" he added.

The unit will serve the whole of Cleveland county and assist other crews when needed. When fully ready, the crew will be on 24-hour call.

Privilege License Law Is Unchanged

The city board of commissioners adopted for next year its current privilege license ordinance.