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Local News

Bulletins

BANK HOLIDAY

B. S. Neill, President of First National Bank, said Wednes-

day the bank will observe a legal holiday on November 11 and will not be open.

KIWANIS CLUB

will see the color movie of "The Big Reach" featuring the

rocket age and the moon probe at their Thursday night meet-

ing. The club convenes at 6:45 at the Woman's club.

FAIRVIEW LODGE

Fairview Lodge 339 AF&AM will be held Monday night at

7:30 at Masonic Hall for work

in the second degree. Secretary T. O. Tindall made the announ-

KIWANIS OFFICERS

treasurer by members of the Kings Mountain Kiwanis club completes the list of officers for 1960. W. S. Fulton, Jr. has

been ellected secretary and J. L. McGill has been elected

ATTENDED MEET

Chty Schools Superintendent B. N. Barnes and school board members Mrs. Lena McGill and Mr. Fred W. Plonk attend-ed the annual meeting of the North Carolina State School Boards Association, Inc. in Chapel Hill Tuesday.

LEGION MEETING

Regular monthly meeting of Otis D. Green Post 155, Amer-

LEGION MEETING

City Schools Superintendent

Election of a secretary and

cement.

treasurer.

Regular communication of

Kings Mountain Kiwanians

Established 1889

for reports from campaign soli-

Well," Mr. Stallings said, "but Died Instantly

we can't know certainly until we In Friday Crash

The United Fund Campaign mark this For Wreck Victim

Charles Alvin (Bub) Mullinax,

46, of Grover was killed instant-ly in a collision between a trac-

tor-trailer and his pick-up truck

on U. S. 29-By-Pass south of here Friday night at 9:15.

United Fund

\$7,000 Mark

citors.

\$18,000.

Donations Top

week, Chairman Sam Stallings

said, as he re-issued an appeal

Mr. Stallings said cash and pledges for the United Fund have topped \$7,000, a consider-

able gain from last week's re-

port. Still, he said, numerous re-

Goal of the campaign

posts are to be made.

Kings Mountain, N. C., Thursday, November 5, 1959

year.

Seventieth Year

PRICE TEN CENTS

FuneralConducted Grover First, Mid-Pines Second Natural Gas Rates **Mrs. Ghantt New Bus Terminal** Manager Here

Pages Today

Mrs. Louise Stringfellow Ghantt, of Shelby, assumed man-agement of the Kings Mountain Bus Terminal and Western Union office Wednesday.

Douglas Ammons, auditor for Queen City Bus Company, made the announcement.

He confirmed that Miss Ida Lattimore, also of Shelby, was relieved as terminal manager last week. She had operated the terminal since 1956.

Mirs. Ghantt is a former ployee of Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph office in the Charlotte exchange. She is a Cleveland county native and a graduate of Fallston high school.

Her husband, Douglas Ghantt is a part-time driver for Queen City and a part-time express agent at the Charlotte terminal. Mrs. Ghantt said the terminal will be open from 7 a.m. to 6:30 p. m., Mondays through Saturdays, and from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. on Sundays.

Community Day

Kings Mountain's annual World Community Day observ-ance will be held Friday at 3:30 p. m. in First Baptist church.

The program, under sponsor-ship of United Churcrwomen in this community, is one in which churchwomen from all over the globe meet together once a year Basil L. Whitener, of Gastonia, in an effort to create a sense of

Congressional represent at ive from the 11th North Carolina dis-Mrs. George Moore, who with trict, will address members of the her husband spent sometime as Municipal distributors don't Carolinas sub-section, American Lutheran missionaries to Africa, have to get Utilities commission Institute of Mining Engineers at will present a program on that

> Kings Mountain women Congressman Whitener will making layettes and giving clo-give a resume of the work of the first session of the 86th Congress. ren now living in refugee camps Mr. Whitener is a member of around the world. These gifts are the House Judiciary committee to be collected at Friday's meetand served as a member of a ing and will be shipped overseas. special sub-committee studying the International Court of Jus. Yarn and yardage goods are also needed and will be accepted.

"It is hoped that all churchwomen will avail themselves of this A business session will be held A business session will be held following the Congressman's ad-World Community Day program,"

Carolinas sub-section of the American Institute of Mining En-

AIME Speaker

approval for a gas price increase. When Transcontinental origi-nally applied for a rate increase, Kings Mountain officials said nofficials said

6:30. industrial rates would be neces-

dress.

the

ed to attend.

tice at the Hague.

To School Post

Fred Withers, Kings Mountain

high school teacher, was elected

chairman of the steering com-

a meeting at State College in Ra-

The group also discussed gen

Mr. Withers teaches history

and social studies at Central

eral improvement of the history.

television program in

In PADA Awards Grover and Camp Call com-munities took first place and Midpines, near Kings Mountain, Widpines, hear kings interin the was second place winner in the 1959 Cleveland County commun-Bridges Says It is the second year the com. Board Awaiting

securing a resident doctor and a resident druggist, in addition to ties in collaboration with other civic groups, and 100 percent corate increase of six percent

Though the applications hav. SPEAKER - Members of the

place honors. Midpines entered the contest for the first time this Engineer Report Judged on rural non-farm ba-sis, Grover excelled in all five gas rates be increased?

phases of the contest: increasing Mayor Glee A. Bridges said ncome, home improvements, Wednesday he didn't know, but youth, community projects, and that the city commission is exparticipation in church, school pecting a report from its gas enand other activities. Among the gineer, Bell Edwards, of Greentown's major achievements were wood, S. C., in the near future,

The possibility of a rate incre erecting a new home for the school principal plus major im-provements in 154 other homes Pipeline Coroporation, from whom provements in 154 other homes Pipeline coroporations, filed application with federal and state regulatory commissioners for a

award given to the winners Thursday night. Mrs. A. D. Har-ris accepted the award for Camp Call (the area of Union Baptist church northwest of Shelby on N. C. 26) and Vator Smith accented

made their application.

ago, said his firm would special-ize in commercial and residential thinks it possible all rates might

the \$15 second prize check for the Midpines community. Winners in the area contest, to

munity of Grover has won first

Bill Moss Opens rian of the Official Board of the Electrical Firm

on "You Have Been Called" and Baxter Payseur will read the scripture and lead the morning scripture and lead the morning street, it was annonuced by R. mercial rates, though they did prayer. Special music will be pro-W. (Bill) Moss, owner.

"Layman's Day is designed to honor men and women for their work in making the church a fit instrument to be the body of and wiring and in commercial and

operation with the town. Rev. Trent Howell, chairman en't been approved, Transcontinof the Grover Development Coun-cil, accepted the \$25 first place higher rates on November 18, award given to the winners meantime posting bond to cover

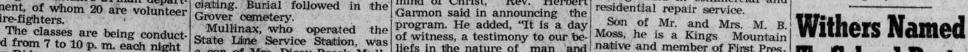
Moss Electric Company open-

Mr. Moss, who obtained a state

mind of Christ," Rev. Herbert residential repair service.

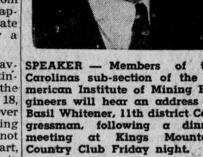
schools

high school.



C. 26) and Yates Smith accepted the \$15 second price check for make refunds to its customers. Winners in the area contest, to which first place winners will compete, will be announced at application for four privately-operated North Carolina gas dis-

On Tuesday, the North Carolina Utilities commission set







escalate slightly.



leigh last weekend.

Layman's Day Laymen of Central Methodist church will conduct the Sunday 21 at Park Center in Charlotte. they filed after Transcontinental Laymen of Central Methodist morning worship service Sunday at 11 o'clock in a special Lay-

man's Day program. The service will be under the direction of Sam Stallings, chair-

EVANGELIST — Rev. George Hopper of Glen Alpine is con-ducting evangelistic services at First Wesleyan Methodist chur-ch on Waco road. Services get

Methodists Set

vided by the Men's Chorus.

"Layman's Day is designed to

work in making the church a fit

The accident site was a straight stretch of the two lane chu ch. Dr. Harvey Bumgardner highway south of the Dixon will speak at the morning service on "You Have Been Called" and The crash brought the 1959 ac cident toll to 23, already topping the entire year of 1958 which

the year.

gasoline

He was the only occupant of the pick-up truck on the fog-sh-rouded highway. It is Kings Mountain's first ef-The Burlington driver, Frederfort to aggregate giving. ick Jennings Pou, 32, of Saluda, Nine agencies are participa. S. C., told Patrolman R. E. Sha-ting members in the United ney that the Mullinax vehicle S. C., told Patrolman R. E. Sha-

Fund campaign, including the was about 50 feet from him in Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Red the opposite lane when it sud-Cross, Kings Mountain city denly swerved into his path. Pou schools band, Davidson school veered toward the shoulder, Shaband, Jacob S. Mauney Memorial ney said, but could not avoid the library, city recreation commis-

sion, special education fund and A hole dug out by the force of the Cleveland County Life-Sav-ing crew. Budgets of the second county long out by the tore of the underway Thursday and contin-lane of the tractor-trailer, Sha-m. nightly.

Budgets of the several organiney reported. No skid marks zations were approved by the U-nited Fund directors before the were left on the highway. Mullinax's body was pinned in campaign began.

the wreckage for some 45 min-Principal purpose of the effort utes after the crash. Cleveland is to eliminate many of the an-County Life Saving and Rescue nual drives by conducting one Squad, Inc., worked with jack campaign for all. and crowbar to pry truck parts

from the man's legs, it being Officers, in addition to Mr. impossible to use acetylene tor-Stallings, are J. C. Bridges, vice-president; Wesley Bush, secreches to cut away the wreckage because the vehicle's gas tank tary; and R. S. Lennon, treasurer. had burst, spreading and fumes at the site.

School road cut-off.

thony Mullinax of Grover.

da, and Jack of Grover; three

City Firemen Go To School

ican Legion, will be held at 8 o'clock Thursday night, it was announced by J. T. McGinnis, Kings Mountain firemen have saw 17 persons die in Cleveland been going to school this week. County traffic accidents.

Serman Pickard, represerting the State Commissioner of Insur-inax were held Sunday from the State Commissioner of Insur-ance, is the instructor and has been holding classes nightly for Kings Mountain's 24-man depart-ment, of whom 20 are volunteer fire fighters. The monthly meeting of the Otis D. Green Post No. 155 of the Amercian Legion will be held Thursday night, November 5, at 8 p. m. at the Legion

ed from 7 to 10 p.m. e

Ginnis urges a good attend-

ance

building. Commander J. T. Mc-

AT PASTOR'S SCHOOL

Rev. W. C. Sides, pastor of Grace Methodist church, and Rev. Frank Blalock, pastor of El Bethel Methodist church, are attending a school for pastors at Duke University in Durham.

TO MEETING

The Luther League of Resurrection Lutheran church went to Antioch Lutheran church, Dallas, to attend Sunday's Southwestern district meeting,

TO CONFERENCE

Rev. George Moore and E. K. Whitener attended Thursday's Southern conference of the North Carolina Lutheran Synod at St. John's Lutheran church, Concord, as representatives of Resurrection Lutheran chur-

IN SORORITY

Miss Jean Hicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Hicks, has been elected to membership in the Appalachian State Teach-ers college chapter of Alpha Psi Omega, national honorary dramatics sorority. Miss Hicks is an ASTC sophomore.

METER RECEIPTS

Parking meter receipts for the week ending Wednesday at noon totaled \$105.60, with \$98.05 derived from on-street meters and \$17.55 from offstreet meters, City Clerk Joe McDaniel reported. An additional \$13.50 was received from over-parking fees.

Some Pranksters Got Wedding Cake

Hallowe'en pranksters or wedding jokesters?

Whoever or whichever, one or the other evidently made off with the major portion of a lar-ge wedding cake following cake - cutting festivities for the Logan-Tate wedding party at the Woman's club Saturday night.

The cake was in the E. K. Whitener car, with the top layer and superimposed figurin-es intact. The idea was to deep-freeze this portion of the cake for a future anniversary

"I'm angry but I don't think I'm sarcastic enough to say how angry I am," Mir. Whiten-er commented.

on Ridge street in front of Central school. Chief Pat Tignor said the class-

es have been well - attended and will continue through Thursday Joe Alvin of Jacksonville, Flori-Instructor Pickard has been daughters, Mrs. Paul Lovelace, demonstrating newest methods Miss Mary Mullinax, and Miss of fire-fighting including speedler Susan Mullinax, all of Shelby;

means of handling hose and hooking up to hydrants, and water- Evelyn Mullinax, both of Grotwo sisters, Misses Aileen and fogging - defined as use of wa- ver; and three grandchildren. ter spray, rather than direct Second Crash The traffic jam on U. S. 29 be stream - to lessen water dam-

hind the accident scene resulted A similar school was conducted in another accident, a three-car by Mr. Pickard here last year. collision, about 10:45 p. m. There will be one omission.

Last year, the firemen were man Barrett, 25, of Gastonia hit College Honors able to find an old building to ignite to put themselves to the test on quickness in dousing fire. This year, Chief Tignor said, the firemen haven't been able to ignite an old building sufficiently to a parked foreign make car driven by J. Paul Warrick, 31, of Atlan-ta, Ga., knocking it into a car driven by Eugene Moffett Car-roll, 17, of Kings Mountain. find an old building sufficiently derelict to destroy.

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Dasen's All "A's" Weren't Easy; **Five-Hour Homework Chore Cut**

BY DAVID BAITY Pierre Dasen, 17-year-old ex-change student from Geneva, Switzerland, has adjusted well to Kings Mountain life and is doing well in his scritivities home BY DAVID BAITY well in his activities here.

vell in his activities here. he traveled, as a summer stu-Pierre, who at first found the dent, to Germany last June language a barrier, buckled down through the American Field Ser-to a rigorous five-hour nightly vice program.

ession on school homework. His Dasen at first had little time session on school homewarding. Young Dasen's name was among those on the "straight A" list for the past report period. He has been elected vice-president of the Se-nice alors.

nior class. nior class. Dasen, who speaks English very well, exceut for difficulty with "th's", which his language— French and German — do not have, said in an interview Wed-nesday now that he is familiar with his courses of study, only a bout two hours each night are required for preparation of home work.

Pierre is very much in favor of the American Field Service ex-He is enthusiastic about the change student program and com-The is entrustable about the change student program and com-free, friendly way of life in mented that the group needs mo-ney to operate on. "It's a wonder-ful opportunity for us," he said ly and that I would get to know just about everyone, but I could not quite believe it and didn't really expect it," he said. "But

iust about everyone, out and didn't not quite believe it and didn't really expect it," he said. "But it turned out they were exactly right. Even here at school, I walk down the hall and it's "Hi, Pierre' from everybody. Some, I don't know, but everybody is really ing and particularly ice skating. Know, but everybody is really ing and particularly ice skating. Know, but everybody is really ing and particularly ice skating. Know, but everybody is really ing and particularly ice skating. Know, but everybody is really Know, but everybody is rea

and warmer winters. Pierre is a winter sports fan. He likes ski-ing and particularly ice skating. "On Sunday a great many peo-ple from Geneva go out skiing," he recalls, "and a great many (Continued On Page Bight)

a son of Mns. Dicey Roark Mull- liefs in the nature of and FIRST Pres the nature of God. We believe byterian church. For the past 18 inax and the late Charles Anthat the laymen of the church months he has been employed

can remind us of the regular re- by Reid Electric Company, Char. lotte, and prior to that time spsponsibility of laymen and laywomen in the work of each local ent eight years in electrical construction with various firms. He mittee of Television-in-thechurch.

Mr. Garmon added that Cen- is a graduate of Kings Mountain Schools, a statewide program, at tral Methodist laymen will begin high school and attended North Carolina State college. the day at breakfast to be served in the church fellowship hall.

Mrs. Moss is the former Betty The Layman's Day program is suggested by the General Confer-ence of the Methodist Church

Mr. Millen's Board of Lay Activities for use in all Methodist churches during **Rites Conducted**

Mrs. Arnold W. Kincaid of Kings Mountain was one of 50 and former operator of an ice

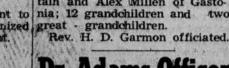
Gardner-Webb College alumni plant at Bessemer City, succumb-honored at the Founders and ed Monday morning after a short Homecoming Convocation last illness. He was the son of the late payers had paid \$90,000 into city week on the Boiling Springs Joseph W. and Mary Hance Mil- coffers, Tax Collector J. W. Webcampus.

Citations were given for out. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. the total levy of \$153,000.

June screened by an anonymous com. of Riverdale, Md., Charles Sumter, S. C., and Thomas

The Kings Mountain woman Millen of Columbia, S. C; was recognized for service in the brothers, Ervin of Kings Mountain and Alex Millen of Gasto-

Citizen citations also went to nia; 12 grandchildren and



Final rites for William Robert Tax Payments Millen, 74, of Parker street, were held Tuesday at 4 p. m. from Cen-tral Methodist church, interment Total \$90,000 following in Mountain Rest ceme Mr. Millen, a retired farmer are now due at par. Local property taxes for 1959

Through the end of the discount period Saturday, city tax-

ster reported this week, against fund campaign is progressing

Citations were given for out-standing achievement in parti-cular fields of endeavor. The 25 alumni receiving honor citations, including Mrs. Kincaid, were se-lected from over 10,000 former students of the the 54-year-old Bantist college. The is survived by his wife, Mrs. Zettie Deal Millen; six daugh-ters, Mrs. Ruth Gregory, Mrs. Nosanell Mayhue, Mrs. Doris Hardin, all of Kings Mountain; Students of the the 54-year-old Bantist college. The is survived by his wife, Mrs. Tax bills are due at par through February 1. Penalty of two percent applies on February 2. Committee in charge of the so-the total levy of \$153,000. Tax bills are due at par through February 1. Penalty of two percent applies on February Crawford and J. C. Bridges.

ing.

Baptist college. They were nomi. nated by their fellow alumni and Charlotte; three sons, Willard Education Week Observance Here **To Feature Open House At Schools** two

Kings Mountain city schools week are:

two will join in the nation-wide ob-Sunday "The Child: What servance of American Education Does Education Mean To Him?"

week, beginning Sunday and Monday – continuing through November 14, Can they Work for

Dr. Adams Officer Robert M. Kennedy, East school principal and president of the Kings Mountain National Edu. Schools?" Uuesday — "The What Is a Teacher?" "The Teacher: Wednesday — "The Pe Next Door: Who Are They?" "The People cation association unit said this reek.

The schools will hold open Thursday, November 12--"The house next week and are inviting School Board Member: What Are all citizens to visit the schools His Responsibilities?"

treasurer of the medical staff of during the observance. Friday, November 13 First observed in 1922, Ameri-Adult Citizens: How Can the can Education Week is sponsored Schools Serve Them?"

nationally by the National Edu-Saturday, November 14 "The Mountain to become a plant cation association, the American Voter: How Does He Make His physician for DuPont in Tenn- Legion, the United States Office Decisions?"

of Education and the National In connection with the Kings Dr. Adams began the practice Congress of Parents and Teach-Mountain observance, school of medicine in Grover last sum- ers displays will appear in shou

Theme of this year's observan- windows of the former Griffin's ce is "Praise and Appraise Your Drug Store, Belk's Department Kenneth McGill, president, and Schools' store and Plonk Brothers and Mr. Kennedy said, American Company.

National Education week is a "Last year 26 million adults report time, when the schools tell visited their schools during Air owners, the public, what it merican Education Week, and

tain businessman, was dis-charged Sunday from Kings Mountain hospital, where he had been a patient for several is doing, their purposes, methods, we hope all Kings Mountain ci-achievements, needs and pro-tizens will make a particular

blems." Daily topics for considering during American Education point of visiting one or more of the Kings Mountain schools next week," Mr. Kennedy said.

a spokesman for the local group It is anticipated, Secretary W. said. Mrs. W. M. Gantt is presi-E. Horst said, that the sub-sec- dent of United Churchwomen, an tion members will petition the inter - denominational group rep-AIME for formation of a Caro- resenting virtually all churches linas section. in the community. Members and their wives from

UNICEF Gifts Total \$140

Hallowe'en night "Trick or Treating" provided \$140.07 to UNICEF, the United Nations Children's Fund, a project conducted locally by young people of Central and Grace Methodist

The Kings Mountain mer chants association is conducting currently a fund drive to im. churches. prove the city's Christmas light-

throughout the area are expect-

Christmas Lights

To Be Improved

improving Christmas lights.

Young people all over the na-tion joined in the Hallowe'en promotion

Last year, the association a-The United Nations Children's dopted a policy of dispensing Fund is helping over 50,000,000 with a Christmas parade, with children and mothers to better the funds ordinarily expended health in over 100 countries and for this purpose to be used for territories by assisting govern-ments in programs of disease Mrs. Luther Joy, association secretary, said Wednesday the control, nutrition, and maternal and child welfare.

With only a small group participating, Grace Methodist young received donations of people \$30.50 Hallowe'en night. Central Methodist young people, in their canvass, received donations totaling \$109.57 and their group workers included Sandy Stallings, Billy and Joe Patterson, David and Danny Dilling, Tommy Black, Judy Long, Marilyn Dixon, Joan McClure, Richard McDaniel, Steve Wright, Butch Ormand, Steve Marlowe, Teresa McDaniel,

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Monday - "The Parents: How Phone Cable Damage Better **May Be Avoided**

Careless hunters are giving Southern Bell Telephone Company repairmen a hard time. Kings Mountain Manager, Floyd Farris, said at least three incidents in the past few weeks can be traced to damage to cable by shotgun or rifle fire. One of these happened in the Oak Grove section, one in the Grover area and the other up the Waco road. In many instances one stray shot from a gun will cause considerable damage.

If a cable is punctured in any manner and to any degree, Far-ris said, moisture will enter and short out the cable, making it necessary to replace a section of the cable.

Farris asked hunters to be careful where they aim their guns. After all, he said it might be their own telephone they are knocking out, besides ma-king themselves responsible for a costly repair job on the cable.

Of Hospital Staff Dr. Charles Adams, of Grover, recently was elected secretary-

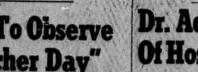
Kings Mountain hospital.

'All teachers in the city schools

physician for DuPont in Tenn-

George Houser. Mrs. Gene McCarter is

gram chairman for the annu



Education Week. He succeeded Dr. Paul Nolan who resigned when he left Kings