

Ex-House Member Falls Says Morgan Won't Be Walled In

Falls Contends Morgan Ducked "Yea-Nay" Jobs

By MARTIN HARMON Solicitor B. T. Falls, Jr., for-mer Cleveland County represen-tative in the General Assembly, says that his former legislative confirere State Senator Robert Morgan elected to seek the em-pty honor of speaker pro tempore in 1959 because "he doesn't want to be walled in".

Senator Morgan, seeking re-el-ection to a fifth term, is opposed for the first time since his initial election by City Recorder Judge Jack H. White, of Kings Mountain.

Senator Morgan went to the Senate in 1951 after defeating Senator Clyde Nolan in the 1950 primary.

Then-Representative Falls said that Senator Morgan asked his advice on whether to take the chairmanship of one of the Senate money committee, (Appropri-ations or Finance), which Sen-ator Morgan said Lieutenant-Governor Luther Barnhardt had tendered, or whether to seek the senate pro tempore office for which Governor Luther Hodges had pledged his support.

"I told him", Solicitor Falls said, "that I had served on the money committees in the House, that membership on these com-mittees require hard work, that you get shot at plenty, and in the end have to say yea or nay.

"We both know." Solicitor Falls recalled he told Senator Morgan, "that the speaker pro tem job is an empty honor. You'll get your picture in the papers

Local News Bulletins

CHOIR TO SING

Kings Mountain Baptist Chwill sponsor the Touring Choir of Mars Hill College in a spec-ial worship program on May 15th, it has been announced.

LODGE MEETING Regular communication of Fairview Lodge 339 AF&AM will be held Monday night at

7:30 at Masonic Hall, accordto announcement by T. D. Tindall, secretary.

COIN CLUB

The Coin Collector's Club will meet Friday at 7:30 p. m. at City Hall in the courtroom. ported 969.

TO CONVENTION

Challegene day will be observ-ed Saturday and election officials in the Bethware district antici-Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Grant-ham and Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Dixon will attend the North Carolina Auto Dealers convention which convenes Thursday in Pinehurst.

KIWANIS CLUB

J. Harold Kirbman, repre-sentative of Behr-Manning Company will present the co-lor film, "Manufacture Of Modern Coater Abrasives" at Thursday's Kiwanis club meeting. The club convenes at 6:45 p. m. at the Woman's club.

JAYNES TO SPEAK

2317 Persons Registered **For Merger Vote**

BY DAVID BAITY A total of 2,317 voters from Grover, Bethware, Compact and Park Grace school districts had been logged into registration books before close of registration for the May 14 school consolidation election Saturday.

vare, Compact, and Park Grace school districts will consolidate with the Kings Mountain City tary Band and the Girls Chorus Administrative unit or merge will be working a brisk schedule with No. 3 school in the county in May, according to an announsystem.

At the official closing of the books Saturday, Mrs. Fred Cock-Wednesday.

rell, Grover registrar, reported 670 registrants. Mrs. James The two groups will present Cloninger, Park Grace registrar, the annual spring concert Fri-reported 678, and Mrs. Will Wat. day, May 13 at Central High committee. erson, Bethware registrar, re. school auditorium at 7:45 p. m.

the area committees and the pl The public is invited and no aces the Saturday meetings will admission price will be charged. be held:

Selections for the high school East Kings Mountain, at City band will include music from Hall courtroom, S. A. Crouse, Broadway musicals and select, chairman, John Mauney, Mrs. J.

pate brisk action. Keen interest and a boundary line question in Broadway musicals and select the northeastern sector of the ions familiar to all. district are expected to bring

district are expected to bring challengers. Officials at Grover and Park Grace reported Wednesday they expect no unusual activity. Officials at Grover are Mrs. Fred Cockrell, registrar, and Mrs. Martha Scruggs and Miss Ethel Martin, judges. Kenneth Barnes, Paul Fulton, and Douglas Burton will play "Flirtations" by Herbert L. Clar-ke. Paul Fulton, high school sen-ior, will direct the band in the march, "Anchors Aweigh" and Gale Kirgus, senior will lead the

fartin, judges. Mrs. Will Watterson is Beth-band in the school song, "O Da-

ware registrar and Otto (Toby) vidson". Williams and Leonard Gamble The elementary schools band

are judges. Park Grace officials are Mrs. will also present a concert of fa-D.

Martin, judges.

Webster Also To Step Down Action Date At Hospital Bob Rhea, Kings Mountain

Gatherings

On Saturday

Kings Mountain area Democra-

tic precinct committee chairman

this week urged all members of

the party to attend biennial

Principal business will be e-lection of precinct committee-

men for the coming two years,

carpenter, suffered a back in-jury a couple of weeks ago and became a patient at Kings Mountain hospital.

Rheas Do Duo

Son Ronnie Rhea, seventh grader, was out visiting his ailing father one day and com-plained of a pain in his side. Dr. Craig Jones happened to be walking up the hall, and, as Father Bob puts it, "About 30 minutes later they were wheel-ing him to a hospial bed, min-us his appendix."

Father Bob and Son Ronnie were together on their leave-taking of the hospital. Both were discharged Tuesday a-bout noon from the room they had shared.

Bands, Chorus The high registration is an in-dication of keen interest in the election which will settle the question of whether Grover, Beth-

organization of the committee, and election of delegates to the county convention, scheduled for Kings Mountain High School 2 o'clock Saturday, May 14. The precinct chairman is exofficio a nember of the county Democratic committee.

> All of the precinct meetings in Webster, member of the board of the Kings Mountain area will be convened at 2 o'clock.

expressing his intent to resign Party rules require that a wofrom the school board if the man be vice-chairman of the township merger is effected May

Following are the members of

Harmon Quizzes Sanford On T-V

Martin Harmon, Kings Moun E. Lipford (also vice-chairman tain Herald editor, Gene Roberts, of Cleveland County Democrats), of the Raleigh News & Observer, Leonard Smith and J. Ollie Har-and Bob Gately, manager of the

And Bob Charlotte office of United Press International, will throw ques-tions at Gubernatorial Candidate Terry Sanford in a "Meet the Press" program over WBTV, Thursday night, May 12, from 8 1. McGni, International board of educa-tion, to Horace Grigg, superin-tendent of county schools, B. N. Barnes, city superintendent, and to the Kings Mountain Herald. Text of Mr. Webster's letter of international bob county schools, B. N. West Kings Mountain, at Vic-tory Chevrolet Company, Hugh D. Ormand, chairman, Mrs. J. H. Arthur, H. B. Jackson, Martin Harmon and Mrs. F. A. McDan-to 8:15.

Bethware, at Bethware school, ready been conducted, the three H. A. Goforth, chairman, Bruce newsmen having quizzed Mr. Bethware school, the first discus- bility.

If Township Schools Merge Webster Reminds Webster Reminds **Of His Pledge**

The church has voted to build Citizens of the area adjacent a super market of to the Kings Mountain city for Harris-Teeter. a super market on the property

school district were assured of anber Tuesday should these citi-zens vote on May 14 to consoli-date their schools with data to the bearing and due to the date their schools with the city absence of two city commissiondistrict.

board of education, joined Arnold W. Kincaid in announcing the home immediately adjoining his intention to resign from the the ARP property, said he felt board effective the date of con- the city would be doing an injussolidation

Mr. Webster made his state-ment in a letter to Fred Plonk, ed and a super market construcchairman of the Kings Mountain ted. board of education. He remind-Mrs. O. W. Myers questioned ed Mr. Plonk that he had orally legality of the change in view of the fact the zoning ordinances

specifies that the city commistion, at the initial consolidation sion appoint a zoning commisdiscussion meeting at Bethware school in April 1959. Information copies of Mr. Web-

Lowery, chairman of the Bethware district committee, J. T. Malcolm, Park Grace chairman, M. H. Camp, Grover chairman, Luther Jamerson, Compact chairman, to Arnold W. Kincaid, Dr. P. G. Padgett, and Mrs. John

Mr. Bridges said "this board "As I pledged last April at took upon itself that responsi-

mission does have re-zoning au-thority, but that the petitioners,

as well as opponents to particu-

lar re-zoning have right of ap-

peal to the city commission. In

practice, Comm. Bridges con-

tinued, the zoning commissions

which have served in the past

took action only on those peti-

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Today

Board Sets

For May 12

act was passed.

One hundred feet of the lot,

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business when the city zoning

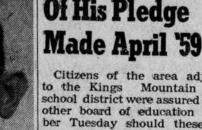
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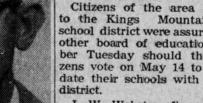
ers. It scheduled action on the

Jacob Cooper, who resides at

tice to the N. Piedmont proper-

W. Boyles, Ben T. Edwards, John Sanford before the television ca-D. Jones, Ted Ledford, Clyde meras last Saturday afternoon. Sion by the several school com-mittees involved in the proposed Mayor Glee A. Bridges noted s involved in the proposed that no zoning board had been The nine questions were im- consolidation of Kings Moun- named since he assumed office promptu and Mr. Sanford had no tain area schools, I repeat my in 1953 for the same reasons. Cloninger, judges. Polling places for the special sent an outdoor concert at West Lois H. Gold, Ed Bolin, Carley told the newsmen when inviting Mountain Board of Education on zone the whole town." told the newsmen when inviting them that the rougher the ques-the effective date of the consoli-(Continued On Page Ten)





J. W. Webster, five-year vet- request for its regular May 12 eran of the Kings Mountain meeting.

WILL STEP DOWN - J. W.

education, Tuesday joined fellow member Arnold W. Kincaid in pledged to resign, to assure the consolidated areas of representa-

sion, which has authority to rezone. Mrs. Myers pointed out that there is no zoning commission ster's letter were mailed to Hill Comm. Ben H. Bridges replied that the non-extant zoning com-

tions unopposed, passed the buck to the city fathers on the contested requests without recommendation.

homefolk into thinking its important."

Solicitor Falls said the next thing he knew Senator Morgan was in a hot campaign for the speaker pro tempore role, which Senator Morgan won by a close 26-21 vote over Senator C. V. Hen-kel, of Iredell, currently a candidate for lieutenant-governor.

date for lieutenant-governor. The hot speaker pro tempore fight was an open battle between pro-Hodges Administration and anti-Hodges forces. Senator Mor-gan was a friend of the Gover-nor from the time of his acces-sion to the governorship in 1954. Senator Henkel broke with the Governor prior to the 1958 pri-marises on what Edward L. Ran-kin, then the Governor's person-al secretary, termed "personality differences."

differences." In turn, Jay Huskins, States-ville newspaper editor and pub-lisher, says that the Governor sent Harold Makepeace, then with the highway commission and now successor to Rankin in the Governor's office, to States-ville to do a "hatchet job" on Senator Henkel. Descubing details of the cam-

Senator Henkel. Recalling details of the cam-paign, Editor Huskins, himself a candidate this year to succeed Senator Henkel, said he'd lent his full support to Henkel in his successful bid for re-election.

"It wasn't that I was particu-larly close to C. V., though his record in previous sessions had suited me generally," Editor Huskins said. "But there's no-body in North Carolina, be it Governor Hodges or Harold Makepeace going to come into my county and try to tell us who to put in office." and the set of the set of

Dr. Morrison **New Commander**

Dr. D. M. Morrison, Shelby op-tometrist, was elected command-er of the 27th district of the American Legion at a district meeting at the Hanrietta post Monday night.

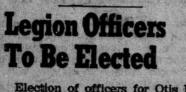
The 27th disrict includes posts in Cleveland and Rutherford

Broadus G. Hamrick of Chir-side was elected vice commander R. T. Lankford of Shelby's Post 82 was elected as the district's delegate to the national conven-tion, to be held in Miami, Fla., in October, Broadus F. Hamrick, al-se of Post 82, is alternate dele-state Broadus G. Hamrick of Cliff-

Harry Jaynes, principal of Kings Mountain high school will address members of the Kings Mountain Lions club at their Tuesday night meeting at the Woman's Club. Mr. Jaynes will discuss teacher education. The club convenes at 7 o'clock.

PERMIT ISSUED

A permit was issued this week to James Lewis, Jr. to build a one story, 6-room house. The residence, contract-ed by Hobant Dye, will cost an estimated \$11,600,



lain; Charles E. Dixon and Myers Hambright, historian; and Ho-



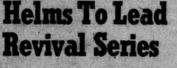
ware, Grover, Compact, and Park Grace will continue to operate in an advisory capacity indefi-nitely if these schools are con-solidated with the Kings Moun-tain city unit the city beard of od tain city unit, the city board of ed

ucation resolved at a special meeting Tuesday night. The board passed the motion at a joint meeting with the dis-trict school committeemen.

Cloninger, registrar, and miliar music with two solos from Randle, and Cameron Ware. Mrs. T. W. Smith and L. June the group.

fire station, the Park Grace school election are the Grover school building, and the Beth-ware school building. Mrs. James Byers.

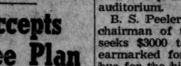
marches and concert music for young and old.



day. Services will be held each eve

inary. He preached his first sermo at the Kings Mountain church last Sunday.

Talent Show



ing on special committees rsday's event are: W. K. Mauney, Jr., and J. Bridges, co-chairmen of the

committee Harold Coggins, chairman he committee on tickets. Harold Hunnicutt, chairman of

the publicity committee. Dr. D. F. Hord, chairman

the committee to secure prizes for winners in competition. The School Talent Show bring together winners in con-tests held in each of the city school plants who will be vieing for prizes in the city-wide con-

Waco, at Stirewalt's Store, M. C. Whitworth, chairman, Mrs.

Rev. W. M. Helms, new pastor of East Side Baptist church, will begin a week of special evange-listic services at the church Sun-day. Services will to the service se Hugh Davis, Clyde Barrett, Glenn Sperling and Marshall Wolfe.

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Alert Tuesday

will present its annual spring concert Thursday May 19 in the high school auditorium at 7:45 Kings Mountain participate in a nation-wide civil defense a lert Tuesday and Wednesday. Kings Mountain participated in a nation-wide civil defense a-

To Be ElectedElection of officers for Otis D.
Green Post 155 of American Le-
gton will be held from 1:00 to
8:00 p. m. Friday at the legion
hall.Services will be held each eve-
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will lead special singing. He will
also sing at both services on
Sunday.
May 14. Cosmo Pecke of Troy
will lead special singing. He will
also sing at both services on
Sunday.
Man Helms comes to East
Side from Troy where the has
served as chairman of evange-
lims in the Montgomery Baptist
Association. He is a graduate of
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Inter, and David Delevie, first
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Business of the evening will be Television and radio facilities the election of officers for the co-ming year, reports of the various committees, and a discussion of Kings Mountain Mayor Glee Bri-the cancer fund solicitor called.

the proposed budget for the com-ing year. dges talked via the county com-munications system on Tuesday. She asked that persons in this category either mail a check to

Whitesides Says Kings Mountain Show of the Kings Mountain Ki-wanis club will be held on May 12th at 8 p. m. at Central school "Kings Mountain may be used on Quality with the Kings Mountain Ki-wanis club will be held on May 12th at 8 p. m. at Central school "Kings Mountain may be used on Callent

12th at 8 p. m. at Central school auditorium. B. S. Peeler, Jr., is general chairman of the project which seeks \$3000 to complete funds tearmarked for a school activity bus for the high school. Advance tickets are on sale at \$1 for adults and 35 cents for

Charles Blanton. Holdover directors with terms

expiring next year are Bill Chil-ders, Robert Maner, Otis Falls, Jr., and retiring president Bob Maner.

ions the better. (Ed. Note: see dation, if the voters effect it on Martin's Medicine.) May 14. Like Mr. Arnold Kincaid, recommend that the board ap-

Buck Timberlake, of the WBTV staff, reported the scheduling of point a successor from the area the "Meet the Press" program joining us.

and said it had proved impossi-ble to schedule the program for have enjoyed very much my fiveshowing any earlier. Mrs. Timberlake, incidtntally,

is the former Betty Lee Neisler, of Kings Mountain.

Cancer Fund

tem, should the outside areas be or imprisonment. annexed, to assure representabutions were not available, Mrs. tion to the incoming citizens.

well and consider the response to the appeal very gratifying." Mrs. Neisler suggested that some folk may have been away to be a point of town when **May Fellowship**

category either mail a check to her or call her home.

and get their gift," she concluded. Mrs.. Neisler said amount of

the donations will be announced next week.

cee pursuits and said the fast-growing international organiza-tion has two principal aims, lead-ership training and community Kings Mountain, said she add-

Ads, Letters Must Be Signed

The Herald has a policy of refusing to publish unsigned letters to the editor on controversial issues.

of education are filled by ap- the publication of advertising con-North Carolina law prohibits bers of the board. The Kings Mountain board is pledged to ask the General Assembly to cre-ate a school district ward sys-ter (be it job printing or news-paper advertising) not abide by the law he is subject to fine and

> The Herald mentions its policy and the law at this particular time for two reasons:

(1) The Herald received an anonymous letter in the mail Tuesday which supported the po-sition of North Piedmont avenue residents who oppose re-Kings Mountain churchwomen will join Friday in the nation with Memorial ARP church proper-

will join Friday in the nation-wide observance of May Fellowship publish this letter if the author will acknowledge ownership. (Ed.

The annual program here is Note: See editorial in today's under sponsorship of the Kings edition entitled "Sign It." The Mountain Council of United Herald feels any person unwill-Church Women, an interdenomi- ing to sign his name to his comnational organization represent- ments on a controversial issue ining all churches in the communi- eligible to use the news columns, which the Herald considers be-

Miss Jeannine Easterling, Bible longs to all, as a medium in teacher in the city schools, will which to sell his views. Writers make the principal address at of anonymous letters are guilty the program to be held at 3:30 of seeking to have their cake and

bus for the high school. Advance tickets are on sale at students. Other Kiwanians who are ser-Ving on special committees for

ser- Lybrand, first vice-president; Bill vid Baity, Kings Mountain Her-for Allen, second vice-president; Bell vid Baity, Kings Mountain Her-for Allen, second vice-president; Bell vid Baity, Kings Mountain Her-for Allen, second vice-president; Bell vid Baity, Kings Mountain Her-ald staffer, as a member.
C. Moss, treasurer; Jake Dixon, jay-bird. Installed directors to terms expiring in 1962 were W. G.
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of Jonas, Charles, Blant, and the called attention in science with the called attention in science with the several Javees of the several J serious vein to several Jaycees who had lost their lives in Jay-cee pursuits and said the fast-zens won't' get a vote in the May of Friday's program. Other mem- at least one name of a person bers of her committee are Mrs. known to the Herald is append-Menzell Phifer, Mrs. H. R., Par-ed., A case in point is an ad-

will Maner. Maner. Mr. Maner presented & mimeo-tity vieing the year which filled com-con-a full page and declared, "Kings the invocation. Maner in the invocation. Maner involution in the involution in the involution in the invocation. Maner involution in the involution in the involution in the invocation. Maner involution in the involut

"I'll be glad to visit any donors Day.

year association with you, other members of the board of education, and school officials. Like Mr. Kincaid, Mr. Webster's term of office runs to May 1961. Interim vacancies on the board

pointment of remaining mem-cerning political candidates which