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Payne Joins Station WAAK

Ernie Payne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest C. Payne, has joined the staff of Radio Station WAAK at Dallas as staff announcer.

A former student at Western Carolina college in Cullowhee, Payne was formerly employed as chief announcer and program director for WWOV, voice of Western Carolina college. He is also a former employee of Radio Station WKMT and the Kings Mountain Herald.

Payne has completed a year of study at Western Carolina.

MORE ABOUT Mauney Firm

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mar Fletcher and George H. Houser. Other donors were Azriah Mitcham, Doytt Falls, Walter Lee Smith, Charles F. Mauney, Azzi J. Jamerson, Mrs. Dixie Blanton, Mrs. Pat Haynes, Mrs. Helen Smith, Robert Paul Eiters, Mrs. Jaunita Blanton, John A. Chesire, Jr., Charles E. Ballard, H. G. Clayton, Leonard Wright, C. T. Dixon, Donald Sellers, Gathier Ledbetter, Mrs. Alma Queen, Charles Queen and Daniel Green.

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MORE ABOUT K. M. Citizens

(Continued From Front Page) sentatives and 50 Senators, or whether House membership is pared to 100—with one from each county—and Senate membership is increased to 70 to be determined on basis of population.

Under the present arrangement the seven more populous counties are allotted the 20 additional House members. Mecklenburg county, with five, has the most representatives.

Cleveland County's current delegation, Senator Robert Morgan and Rep. Jack Palmer are opposing the amendment.

The Democratic Party in the state has taken no position for or against the amendment, and the Republican party opposes it. Lincoln Democrats are supporting the amendment.

The Cleveland County Republican Executive committee has gone on record as opposing the little federal amendment. A statement approved by the committee says that the amendment, if passed, will mean "minority rule" and will result in unequal representation in the state legislature.

At Shelby Friday night the Cleveland County Lady Democrats and Republican Women sponsored a public meeting at which speakers discussed the pros and cons of the amendment. William (Bill) Plonk of Kings Mountain and E. C. Mangum of Shelby, president of the State Farm Bureau, argued for a "yes" vote and Senator Morgan and Rep. Palmer argued for a "no" vote.

Voters will also decide a second amendment at the polls which gives women equal status with their husband on matters of property rights. (See editorial—Section II.)

Mrs. Smith is Transferred

Mrs. Athlene G. Smith, wife of Devere R. Smith, has been transferred from the Shelby office of Thomson & McKinnon stock brokers to the firm's Charlotte office.

The Kings Mountain woman's transfer was effective January 1. Mrs. Smith joined the Shelby firm in 1959. Approved by the exchange as a registered representative in November 1960, she completed a course in commodities in November 1961 and was granted a certificate by the Association of Commodities Exchange Firms, Inc. She has also completed courses at the New York Institute of Finance.

Mrs. Smith, her husband and two children make their home here on Maria drive. Mr. Smith is an employee of Foote Mineral company.

MORE ABOUT Wreck

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ers added in the recovery of the occupants of the car.

Gene McSwain, Joy Theatre manager, another first arrival said that someone was carrying a small boy from the wrecked car. The injured victim was placed at the side of the road in front of the old Dixie Theatre building, and, according to McSwain, who checked the pulse of the youngster—the boy was already dead.

Coroner J. Ollie Harris said dead-on-arrival at Kings Mountain hospital were:

Jerry Randolph Ward, 12, East school student, of 112 Guyton Loop.

Raymond Harrison Hayes, 13, East school student, of 108 Guyton Loop.

Mrs. Arzilia Grayson Hayes, 37, died four hours after the accident at 11:30 p.m.

Jeffrey Morgan Davis, age 8, of 112 Guyton Loop, died 11 hours after the accident.

Mrs. Hayes, wife of Ralph Hayes, was reportedly driving the four children to the Joy Theatre. Her car was traveling west on Gold street, the coroner said, when it was struck by Southern Railway's southbound freight No. 63 at the Gold Street crossing a block from the theatre.

Southern Engineer H. L. McQuiter of Greenville and Southern Conductor J. B. Morgan, also of Greenville, told Coroner Harris that the engine was pulling 85 cars and traveling through Kings Mountain at about 37 miles per hour when the accident occurred at 7:25 p.m. They said the engine's whistle sounded before the train reached the crossing. The automobile was knocked 50 feet from point of impact and into a ditch, Coroner Harris said. The car was struck in the right back door section, Harris said.

There are no electric signals at the crossing.

Harris ambulances and the Cleveland County Rescue Squad carried the five passengers to the hospital. Four of them—a mother, two teenage boys and an eight-year-old boy died from the injuries they received. Two of the youngsters were pronounced dead on arrival.

Law enforcement officers called the crash "the worst in years."

Double funerals were held for victims of the accident.

Funeral services for Jerry Randolph Ward and Jeffrey Morgan Davis were held at 4 p.m. Monday from Penley's Chapel Methodist church. Rev. Leonard Huffstetler and Rev. N. H. Pusey officiated and interment was in Mountain Rest cemetery.

Funeral services for Mrs. Hayes and her son, Raymond Harrison Hayes, were held at 4 p.m. Tuesday from Grace Methodist church. Rev. O. E. Costner, Rev. Play Payne and Rev. N. H. Pusey officiated and interment was in Mountain Rest cemetery.

The Ward child is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Ward; two brothers, Donald Leigh of Gastonia and Kenneth Ward of Kings Mountain; five sisters, Mrs. Jimmy Houser of Cherryville, Mrs. John Heavener of Lincolnton, Mrs. Delores Davis, Mrs. James Surber and Mrs. Coy Bolin, all of Kings Mountain.

Surviving young Davis are his mother, Mrs. Delores Davis; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ward; a brother, Kelly Davis; and five sisters, Teresa, Debbie, Susan, Tona and Lisa Davis, all of the home.

Mrs. Hayes is survived by her husband, one son, Richard; one daughter, Jewel, of the home; her mother, Mrs. Robert Grayson of Shelby; two brothers, Woodrow Grayson of Texas and Beech Grayson of Colorado, and one sister, Mrs. Willie Weaver, of Shelby.

Young Raymond Hayes, a native of Shelby, is survived by his father; one sister and one brother.

MORE ABOUT Laycees Tap

(Continued From Front Page) contributions to the general community welfare. Former winners have been B. S. Peeler, Jr., Grady K. Howard, Everett L. Carlton, Bob Maner, Charles E. Dixon, Sam Stallings, Charles Blanton, Otis Falls, Jr. and W. Donald Crawford.



PRESIDENT — Foote Mineral Company and members of the Carolinas Section of the American Institute of Mining, Metallurgical and Petroleum Engineers, will be hosts to the national president of the AIME here and in Charlotte next Wednesday.

Foote To Host AIME President

Members of the Carolinas Section of the American Institute of Mining, Metallurgical and Petroleum Engineers will entertain Roger V. Pierce, their organization's national president, in Charlotte on Wednesday, January 15.

Bill Taylor, General Secretary of the AIME, will accompany Pierce to Charlotte. Mr. Pierce, a graduate of the Montana School of Mines, now lives in Salt Lake City, Utah. Prior to becoming a mining consultant, Mr. Pierce was associated with the Anaconda Company, U. S. Smelting Company, and Ingersoll-Rand Company. His clients are in Latin America, United States, Canada and Alaska.

Members of the Carolinas Section will escort Messrs. Pierce and Taylor on a tour of the Kings Mountain, North Carolina, mineral district.

Luncheon is planned at the Kings Mountain Country Club. Later the group will tour the nation's largest lithium mine, operated by Foote Mineral Company. In the evening a reception and banquet will be held at the Sheraton-Barringer Hotel in Charlotte. Neil O. Johnson, Operations Manager at Foote Mineral Company, is general program chairman for this meeting.

The Carolinas Section has 130 members located throughout North and South Carolina. Its members are principally geologists and mining engineers. This Section is one of ninety-eight sections located in seven regions throughout the United States and foreign countries. There are approximately 40,000 members including associates and student members. The AIME has its national organization headquarters in New York City.

Most mineral activity in the Carolinas is in the field of non-metals. North Carolina is the leading state in the nation for producing lithium minerals, feldspar, and sheet and scrap mica. It ranks second in crushed granite and olivine; and third in talc and pyrophyllite combined. South Carolina ranks second in the nation in output of kaolin, kyanite, and vermiculite; and fourth in crushed granite.

Rescue Unit Elects Officers

Fain Hambricht has been re-elected captain of the Grover Rescue Squad for 1964-65.

Officers were elected at a ladies' night event Saturday.

Other officers will include Dennis McDaniel, first lieutenant; Buren Randle, second lieutenant; Tom Wright, secretary; Knox Neeley, treasurer; Bill Putnam, first sergeant; and Marvin Panther, second sergeant.

Hambricht announced that in 1963 the squad answered 290 calls, put in 6,232 man hours of hicles 11, 558 miles in duty and work and training and drove ve-training. The budget during 1963 was \$13,576.40.

J. Ollie Harris of Kings Mountain and David Harry of Grover were awarded honorary membership in the Grover Rescue Squad "for outstanding contributions to and cooperation with the unit."

MORE ABOUT Lennon

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H. Mauney, Hugh D. Ormand, B. S. Peeler, Jr., and B. L. Raines. Outgoing president, Grady K. Howard, presided and presented Dr. Suggs.

Lennon, vice-president of First Union National Bank here, and Mrs. Lennon live off Phifer road and are members of the First Presbyterian church. They have two children, Mae, a student at the University of North Carolina and Sara Rose, a student at Hollas College.

Caravans of pack camels move at a speed of about 2 1/2 miles per hour, according to the Book of Knowledge. With each animal carrying about 500 to 600 pounds, a caravan can cover from 15 to 25 miles a day.

Local News Bulletins

DIRECTORS TO MEET

The January meeting of the board of directors and committee chairman of the Kings Mountain Kiwanis club will be held Tuesday night at 6:45 p.m. at the Country Club. Dinner will be a dutch affair.

VETERANS TO MEET

Regular monthly meeting of Barracks 3275, Veterans of World War I, will be held Sunday at 2:30 p.m. in City Hall courtroom. Quartermaster F. H. Glenn has announced, Veterans who want to add their names to the charter are asked to be present for the meeting.

METER RECEIPTS

City parking meter receipts for the week ending Wednesday totaled \$208.70, including \$1229 from on-street meters, \$661 from fines and \$18.70 from off-street meters, according to report from the city clerk's office.

LIONS MEETING

Kings Mountain Lions will view a film on the training of seeing-eye dogs at Tuesday night's regular meeting at 7 p.m. at the Woman's club. Lion George Plonk is program chairman.

LOGDE MEETING

Regular communication of Fairview Lodge 339 AF & AM will be held Monday night at 7:30 p.m. at Masonic Hall. Secretary T. D. Tindall has announced.

STUDENT TEACHER

William Clyde Carroll, Kings Mountain senior at Appalachian State Teachers' college, has completed his student teaching at Ashley high school, Gastonia, and has returned to Boone after a holiday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carroll.

KIWANIS CLUB

Bill Bates, Kings Mountain high school football coach, will show pictures of the recent Kings Mountain - Shelby football game at Thursday's Kiwanis club meeting at 6:45 p.m. at the Woman's club.

Camel bone is used in enormous quantities as a substitute for ivory, according to the Book of Knowledge.

Though fossil camel forms suggest that the Arabian camel may have arisen in India, camel tribes began in North America. According to the Book of Knowledge, the first camels were about the size of a fox.

Halley's Comet, which was last seen in 1910, has a history of recorded appearances going back as far as 240 B.C. According to the Book of Knowledge, it will return again in 1986.

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