



PLAN MOTHER'S DAY OFFERING — Rev. John E. Lawrence, left above, moderator of the Kings Mountain Baptist Association, Rev. C. O. Greene, missionary, and Dr. John C. Hamrick, right above, Baptist hospital representative, participated in a recent planning meeting to make plans for this year's Mother's Day offering in Baptist churches in the Kings Mountain Association. The offering, which is the principal source of support of the Winston Salem hospital's charity program, will be received in Baptist churches of the state on May 10. Last year's Mother's Day Fund made it possible for the Baptist Hospi-

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Stroupe To Head VFW Post 9811

Earl Stroupe, Sr. has been elected commander of Frank J. Glass Post 9811 Veterans of Foreign Wars. Mr. Stroupe will succeed Harold Pearson. New officers will be installed following the annual convention in June. Other officers are: Marion Dixon, senior vice-commander; Lafayette Pearson, junior vice-commander; Earl Stroupe, Jr., adjutant and quartermaster; William Earl, chaplain; Marvin G. Orth, surgeon; Bill Whetstone, judge advocate; Tom Gordon, trustee. The house and rules committee is headed by Paul Dover. Other members of the committee will be Harold Glass, Arthur Flowers, James Sanders and Corbet Nicholson.

School Bonds Sale May 26

The Kings Mountain school district's \$1.1 million in bonds for building the new district high school on Phifer road are being offered for sale by the North Carolina Local Government commission on May 26, according to information provided county officials. The 20-year amortization schedule calls for payment of \$150,000 in principal the first year, and \$30,000 per year thereafter. Meantime, the Kings Mountain district is expected to derive about \$56,000 from a debt retirement bond issue of \$229,000 to be issued soon by the county, the \$5,000 representing the Kings Mountain district's pupil per capita share of the issue. The bond sale, approved by the county commission Monday, will be made under the state law permitting issuance of bonds, without a vote of

Bankruptcy Sale To Be Friday

Public auction for cash of the assets of Designer Yarns, Inc., of Forest City and Kings Mountain, will be conducted on Friday, beginning at 10 a.m. according to notice by J. Harry Sample, referee in bankruptcy. Excluded from the sale are accounts receivable and other intangible assets. The sale will begin in Forest City at 10 a.m., and will continue here at the Designer plant on Childers street as soon as practicable, the notice says. It was noted that the sale must be approved by the Western District U. S. Court and that participants, in any year in an amount up to two-thirds the previous year's net debt retirement. County Auditor Max Hamrick said the \$229,000 will necessitate no increase in county taxes.

Optimists Set Child's Funday

The Kings Mountain Optimist club will present a Children's Funday at the Deaf Street playground on May 23, Optimist Larry Adams announced this week. Funday will feature numerous acts and amusements, and a jungleland safari ride aboard Jewel, a three-ton elephant, also billed as a dancer specializing in the twist. A mammoth parade will be a morning feature. **COURT OF AWARDS** Girl Scout Court of Awards will be held May 15th at 6:30 p.m. at Lake Montonia. A covered dish supper will be served.



Speaker Mrs. Frank Lacy, Presbyterian lay leader and author, will speak at May Fellowship Day services May 14th at Central Methodist Church.

Breathalyzer Passes First Test In City Recorder's Court Monday

The Kings Mountain Police Department's newly purchased breathalyzer passed its first test in City Recorder's Court Monday. The instrument, which is operated by police officer Robert Green, is designed to measure the alcoholic content of a given person's blood stream. Green attended classroom instructions several months ago in Raleigh to learn the operating procedures of the instrument. Willie C. Hayes, of 311 Childers Street, was found guilty of driving while intoxicated as a result of the instrument's calculations, and was sentenced to 12 months suspended upon the payment of a \$100 fine and the costs of court and a one year revocation of his driver's license. Hayes appealed the decision to Superior Court and bond was set at \$200.

The case involving James Byers, of Gamble Hill, Gastonia, was not pressed. He was charged with not having in his possession a valid driver's license. Byers presented a valid license to the court Monday, and the case was dismissed. Harold Littlejohn was sentenced to 30 days suspended upon the payment of the costs of court after being found guilty of assault on a female. Randolph E. Stewart, of 911 Second Street, pled guilty to charges of speeding 60 in a 35 mile zone, and was sentenced to 30 days suspended upon the payment of the costs of court. B. W. Blanton, of 111 Blanton Street, received a 30 day suspended sentence and was assessed the costs of court after being found guilty of simple assault.

Paul W. Pettigrew, of Route 1, Grover, posted a jury fee after being found guilty of driving while intoxicated. The following defendants submitted: Charles J. Childers, 113 Oriental Avenue, issuing worthless check, paid check and costs of court. Charles P. Carpenter, 319 Gillespie Street, violating the prohibition laws and public drunkenness, \$5 and costs. Clarence Bidoix, 108 Oriental Avenue, assault on female, costs of court. Garland A. Bess, Route 5, Lincolnton, exceeding safe speed and improper muffler, half costs. Crommie H. Huffstetter, Route 3, violating the prohibition laws and public drunkenness, \$5 and costs. Richard T. Williams, Gastonia, no operator's license, and violating the prohibition laws, \$30 fine and costs. The following defendants were assessed half the costs of court:

Local School Share \$374,557

Kings Mountain school district's share of a \$100 million state bond issue for school construction, to be considered by the voters on November 3, would be \$374,557. Governor Terry Sanford last week set the date for the bond issue to coincide with the November 3 general election. The bond issue election was ordered by the 1963 General Assembly, with the Governor empowered to set the election date. Jessie Thackerston, Richard St. Lawndale, stop light violation. Oleene L. Anderson, 915 N. Piedmont Street, failure to yield right-of-way. Hugh D. Putnam, Jr., Gastonia, following too closely. Robert M. Spargo, Gastonia, speeding 50 in 35 zone. Russell L. Moore, Blacksburg, S. C., stop light violation. William F. Blanton, Route 5 Shelby, stop light violation.



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