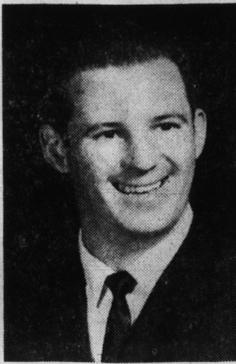




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KAY BROADWATER

Population

Greater Kings Mountain 10,320
City Limits 8,256

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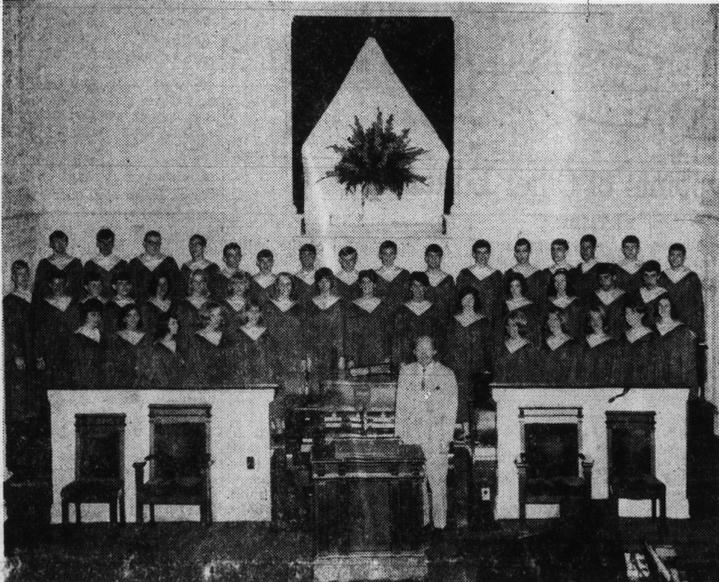
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Seventy-Seventh Year

PRICE TEN CENTS



YOUTH CHOIR HERE THURSDAY NIGHT—The Youth Choir of Green Street Baptist church of High Point will present a program of songs at First Baptist church here Thursday (tonight), at 7:30 p.m. This group of junior and senior high school age young people is selected from the Youth choir of Green Street church for the Youth Touring Choir. Each year on tour, singing in churches, schools, civic clubs, and on radio and television, they present different types of music, ranging from the classics to spirituals, with a part of the repertoire consisting of folk music, and the use of small groups from the larger choir. It will be their first appearance here. First Baptist church extends an invitation to those interested to attend this event. A special invitation is extended especially to all youth groups to attend. Allen Jolley, minister of music, said.

Job Training Contract Signing Set

Redevelopment Group Appointed

Commission To Superintend Improvements

A five-member redevelopment commission was appointed Wednesday by Mayor John Henry Moss.

The members are John O. Plonk, Jr., Carl F. Mauney, Thomas A. Tate, Charles Alexander, and William Herndon.

Appointment of the commission is preliminary to submission to the Housing and Home Finance agency for approval of a "workable program for community improvement."

Two other groups must be named prior to filing the application, a 20-member advisory committee, and a seven-member minority housing committee.

Approval by the federal agency would make the city eligible for various grants and loans for urban renewal and redevelopment, including recreation facilities, open spaces development, slum clearance and other programs.

A Hickory engineering firm has been retained to compile the application.

The Mayor said he hoped to have the remaining committee appointments made early next week in order that the application can be filed within the week.

Smith News Story Is Clarified

A typographical error in a news release from Lackland AFB, San Antonio, Texas, had the telephone ringing at the Clarence (Smitty) Smith house at 800 N. Piedmont avenue during the weekend.

The reason was that friends had read a news story about their son's assignment to Chanute AFB after completing Air Force Basic training. The article said: "Airman George C. Smith, Jr., son of George C. Smith of 800 N. Piedmont Avenue..."

Mr. and Mrs. Smith have been happily wed 25 years. Corky Smith is a 1965 graduate of Kings Mountain high school and attended Gaston college. At Chanute AFB, Illinois, he will be trained on the job as a construction specialist with the Air Training Command. He completed basic training at Lackland AFB.

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I feel he is an able and very dedicated educator," Chairman Mauney commented.

\$56,000 Grant For Training Of 300 Persons

The United States Department of Labor has initiated a contract under the Manpower Development and Training Act for an on-the-job training project with Industrial Association of Kings Mountain Area, Inc., for 52 weeks of training for 300 unemployed.

Congressman Basil L. Whitener made the announcement of approval of the \$56,000 training program.

Meantime, the 32-member industrial association made plans for a dinner meeting at the Country Club Friday night at which formal contracts will be signed with the Department of Labor's Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training. It was announced by W. K. Mauney, Jr., industrial association president.

Jole Vale, industrial association executive secretary, said that visiting officials expected to be present are Congressman Whitener, J. B. Archer, regional director of Chambersburg, Pa., Thomas V. Poole, state supervisor of Raleigh, Lester Loiselle, area representative of Charlotte, and Buell Bailey manager of Shelby's employment security commission office.

Archer is a native of Davidson, N. C. Our guests will be Mayor John Henry Moss, Senator Jack H. White, and Rev. Charles Easley, along with representatives of the 32 association members.

"The purpose of this program is to develop semi-skilled and skilled workmen from citizens now unemployed because they have not been trained," Mr. Vale said.

Dog Quarantine Is Continuing

No. 4 Township Dog Quarantine is continuing. Pet owners should keep their dogs penned. Stray animals will be destroyed, and county officers reported yesterday a total of 66 killed.

The quarantine continues throughout the month of June.

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June Frederick Is Top Scholar; Rita Caveny Citizenship Winner

Rita Caveny, June Frederick, Richard Etheridge and Neal Cooper won top awards during commencement exercises last weekend at Kings Mountain high school.

The Kiwanis Citizenship award went to Miss Caveny, and the coveted Plonk Scholarship medal president of the Guild Students Group of the Duke Chapter of American Guild of Organists. She also served as registrar, recording secretary and corresponding secretary of Sigma Kappa social sorority on the Duke campus.

Donald Keith Horn, son of Mrs. Holland A. Horn, received the B.A. degree in religion at Campbell college commencement June 3 at Buies Creek. Horn will enter Southeastern Theological Seminary at Wake Forest in September.

Fred Falls, Jr., son of Mrs. Fred Falls, Sr. and the late Mr. Falls, received his Bachelor of Crisico award.

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Son Will Present Blanton Award



GRADUATE — Mrs. Gail Huffstetter Moss will receive her diploma in nursing exercises Thursday night.

Mrs. Moss To Graduate

Mrs. Gail Huffstetter Moss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Huffstetter of the Bethlehem community and wife of J. D. Moss, Jr., of Charlotte, will be graduated from Charlotte Memorial School of Nursing in exercises Thursday (tonight) in Charlotte's Myers Park Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Moss has completed a three-year program of study and will continue her nursing duties at Presbyterian hospital following graduation.

She is a graduate of Kings Mountain high school. Mr. Moss is also a Kings Mountain native, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Moss, Sr. of route two.

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Jo Bridges won the F. R. Summers spelling award. Recognized as national math test high scorer was David Wilson. Winners of football trophies, all previously announced, were Ben Bridges, Danny Kiser, Larry Patrick, Phillip Bunch, Steve Goforth, Sharon Gold and Neal Cooper.

A total of 22 seniors have been notified they are recipients of scholarships for post-high school training. They include: Sylvia Acuff, Deborah Latt, Martha Beale, Phillip Bunch, Rita Caveny, John Clemmer Scott, Cloninger, Rebecca Dunn, Jean Falls, Vivian Fletcher, Michael Goforth, Joy Greene LeCompte Hill, Mary Ann Houser, Teresa Jolley, Susan Lowery, Glynda Lynn, Darlene Oliver, Ann Patterson, Faithel Toney, Lynda Waterson and Roy White.

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Pharmacy Award Will Be Made At Convention

By MARTIN HARMON

The first Don Blanton Pharmaceutical award will be presented at the Sunday-Tuesday convention of the North Carolina Pharmaceutical association at Pinehurst.

Charles D. Blanton, Jr., pharmacist, partner in Kings Mountain Drug Company and son of the late Kings Mountain pharmacist, will present the award on behalf of his family.

Purpose of the award is to recognize the member pharmacist who has done most during the past year to advance the principles and ideals of pharmacy, to honor a pharmacist who regards the practice of pharmacy not as a job but as a way of life — worthy of preserving and improving and being proud of, to honor a person who has given generously of his time to pharmacy and who has set a worthy example to other pharmacists and to other citizens.

The late Charles Donald Blanton, Sr., was born in 1903 in Forest City, one of eight children. As a matter of economic necessity, he became a high school dropout and took a soda fountain clerk's job in a Forest City drug store. The pharmacist encouraged Mr. Blanton's return to school and his eventual enrollment in the University of North Carolina School of Pharmacy. He became a licensed pharmacist in 1926.

The late Mr. Blanton came to Kings Mountain in 1935 as general manager of Summers Drug Company, was a partner in the Successor firm, Kings Mountain Drug Company, until his death in 1963.

Active in Kings Mountain religious and civic affairs, as an elder of First Presbyterian church, Lion, and in many eleemosynary projects, he served seven years as a member of the executive committee of the North Carolina Pharmaceutical association, and was its president in 1957.

Moss, Hendrick To Support Bill

Mayor John Henry Moss and County Manager Joe Hendrick are scheduled to testify before the House Agriculture committee in Washington Friday on Senate Bill 2934 — the Community Development District Bill.

They will speak in favor of passage and ask inclusion of an amendment for a community water-sewer program with Cleveland County designated for a pilot project. The two will speak in behalf of the Cleveland Organization of Government Officials.

Supporting their testimony will be counsel for the National League of Municipalities and the National Association of County Commissioners.

All Eligible Runners-Up Call Run-Offs; Voting Day June 25

Treasurer, Commission Re-Runs Set

All eligible Democratic runners-up called for run-offs prior to Monday's deadline, producing two county-wide contests involving two county commission and a treasurer's nominations.

Neither B. E. "Pop" Simmons, the leader, nor David E. Beam, the runner-up in the eight-man race, attained the necessary 4687 votes for a majority over C. A. Greene and Fritz Morehead, Jr. Simmons lacked 211, Beam 335.

The count was Simmons, 4476, Beam 4352, Greene 3150, Morehead 2568.

Mrs. Doris Dent Osborne, at 3461, was 829 behind Mrs. Harriet Roberts Evans who polled 4290. George E. Hord, at 1140, and Mrs. Driscilla Morgan, at 954, left 2094 votes to be fought over.

A constable run-off in Number 11 Township is limited for settlement to voters of that township.

Don Wirick last week called his run-off with Hall Young for the Republican Congressional nomination.

Voting day is June 25. Mrs. Osborne's statement: "After much encouragement to enter a runoff in the treasurer's race and also after much consideration, I have filed to enter the second Democratic Primary in which two other candidates have already called for run-offs in their respective races."

"My entry as a candidate in the first Primary was a totally new and most interesting experience. I thoroughly enjoyed it and deeply appreciate the wonderful support given me."

"I feel my long years of business."

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SELECTED — Mike Greene has been selected to represent Cleveland County 4-H'ers at state forestry camp next week at Camp Millstone. He is son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Greene of Kings Mountain.

Mike Greene To Forestry Camp

Mike Greene, rising high school senior and son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Greene, will represent Cleveland County 4-H'ers at the state forestry camp next week at 4-H Camp Millstone near Rockingham.

Greene is president of Dixon Community 4-H Club and has completed a forestry project this year in connection with other activities.

He will be sponsored at camp by Southern Bell Telephone Company.

Only one person from each county is eligible to attend the state forestry camp program annually.

In addition to his 4-H activities, Greene has been active in the Kings Mountain high school band.

Development Grant Of \$26,200 Is Approved

Sidney H. Wollner, acting regional director, Middle Atlantic regional office, Office of Economic Opportunity, announced today a grant of \$26,200 to Cleveland County, North Carolina, for a nine-month Program Development project.

The applicant agency is Cleveland County Community Action, Inc., and the local share of the grant is \$2,925.

Following a survey of the poverty areas of Cleveland County, evaluations will be undertaken, and an analysis will be made of the existing organizations. Subsequent studies will then be made of various operational programs. This will enable Cleveland County Community Action to establish realistic priorities.

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