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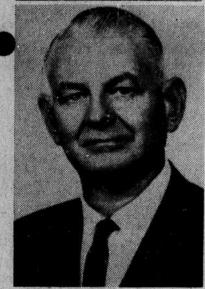
Kings Mountain, N. C., Thursday, February 16, 1967

Seventy-Eighth Year

PRICE TEN CENTS

800 Reported To Have Signed Liquor Vote Petition

Garbage Grounds, Clean-Up, Retired Bell Air Pollution Groups Named Uperator, Dies Funeral rites for Miss Pashia Wright, 67, were held Tuesday at 3 n.m. from First Bantist church



SPEAKER — Dr. James Hervey Ross, medical secretary of the Board of World Missions of the Presbyterian Church, U. S., will fill the pulpit at Sunday morping services at First Presby-

Presbyterians To Hear Ross

Dr. James Harvey Ross, recently appointed the first medical ecretary of the Board of World Missions of the Presbyterian Church in the U.S. will fill the pulpit at First Presbyterian church here Sunday.

His sermon topic at the 11 o'clock worship service will be "Medical Missions to Mexico."
In his new position, Dr Ross Chief's car).

The beard approved pattien The Men's

io La Luz, a 120-bed missionary hospital. Under his direction the hospital

has gained a high reputation. Its Dr. L. J. Coppedge School of Nursing accomodates 100 student nurses and is accredited by the National University. The hosi pital's program for interns is ac-

As a son of pioneer U.S. missionaries, Dr Ross grew up in this session's "hot" one ositions and grievances.

Mexico. He graduated Phi Beta Kappa from Davidson college, but returned to Mexico for his medical education.

While taking his doctor of married to R. T. Spiro, a student ramifications. gia in Augusta. Helen McRae is ing's mail here contained 30 or this meeting. at the Medical College of Geor-

ville sometime in 1967.

Long Rites To Be Thursday

Paul McDee Long, 54, former Kings Mountain restauranteur House Speaker David Britt are and owner of Helen's Restaurant rules, conservation and develop in Bessemer City, died Tuesday ment, finance, institute for the in Baptist Hospital at Winston deaf, local government and man-

Funeral rites will be held Thursday at 4 p.m. from Bessemer City's First Baptist church. Rev. A. A Bailey, asisted by Rev. Hoyt Pruitt will officiate. Interment will be in West View Gar-

Mr. Long was the son of the late George and Ida Long.

Survivors include his wife, Helen Taylor Long; three sons, Paul dent, will serve as chairman of (Buddy) Long, Suitland, Md, the drive. Alan, a student at East Carolina Miss Bla College, and Chris, of the home; two daughters, Paula, a student at UNC Greensboro, and Peggy,

Citizens' Aid To Be Enlisted **On Committees**

Mayor John Henry Moss, with city commission approval, Tuesday night named three commission committees, to be augmented by citizen appointments on community problems:

1) On national cities clean-up and community safety Norman King, is chairman, with O. O. Walker and W. S. Biddix other members.

2) On air pollution, T. J. Ellison, is chairman, Ray Cline and Norman King members.

3) On city garbage disposal grounds, Mr. Cline is chairman, Mr. Walker and Mr. Biddix mem-

In another action, the city voted a \$1565 appropriation for a neighborhood analysis study by the Community Planning Division, Department of Conservation & Development. The analysis is a prelude to renewal of the Kings Mountain workable program which makes the city eligible for federal grants for various public facilities.

Street assessments were confirmed on several streets and a portion of the Glenn Carroll prop-erty was annexed to the city

The board voted to seek bids on a street-roller and for a fence

will counsel the Board, staff and for installation of curb-and-gut-render the special music. mission personnel about a world-wide medical strategy. He comes for installation of curb-and-gut-ter on the north side of East

Mail Is Heavy

Representative W. K. Mauney, Jr, of Kings Mountain, has been Brotherhood Department he servappointed to seven House of Rep. ed as associate director in the resentatives committees including same department. He was pasthis session's "hot" one - prop-

state's liquor laws and the postman is already bringing heavy medicine degree from the Univer- loads of mail to Rep. Mauney's Department, and his executive sity of Mexico, he married Pau. address, both here and at the line Ribelin. The Rosses have Legislative building in Raleigh, all members of the Brotherhood three children. Mary Elizabeth is on the liquor issue and its several

Rep. Mauney's Monday mornsenior student nurse at Presby. more letters on the liquor issue, ames Hervey, Jr, is a senior at the liquor laws. Only a few were Darlington School in Rome, Ga. from Kings Mountain area citi. Is Legal Holiday Dr. Ross will assume his new zens and all were "dry." Many position with the Board in Nash- were "bone dry", asking return to prohibition days

One dry letter came from a Blacksburg, S. C., woman, and a Rutherford lady wrote congratulating Rep. Mauney for his "dry" committment. (Rep. Mauney is committed neither "dry"

His other appointments ufacturing and labor.

Mother's March To Be Thursday

an's club members will conduct a school board member, the annual Mother's March on In contrast to pre-election sea-Birth Defects Thursday (tonight) from 7 until 9 p.m.

house-to-house canvass of the

half-brothers, C. Bert Long, Rock
Hill, S. C., Claude, Clarence, and
George Long, Gastonia, the Rev.
W. F. Haufman, Gastonia and
Ralph Griffin, Howie-in-the-Hills,
Fla; two sisters, Mrs. M. T.
Saunders, Bessemer City and Miss

Griffin, Gastonia.



SPEAKER - Rev. J. Edwin Bullock, North Carolina State **Baptist Convention Brotherhood** Secretary, will make the address at the Associational Brotherhood meeting Tuesday night at Grover's First Baptist

Brotherhood Grover Guests

at the public works resevoir area. ing to be held Tuesday night at dends was \$10.

It also voted to sell at auction 7:30 p.m., at Grover's First Bap- Shareholders re-elected eight

office as secretary of the State again retained. tor of the Evergreen Baptist It is this committee which will olina, prior to his coming to the State Baptist Convention

Paul Lancaster, director of the Associational Brotherhood board extends an invitation to organizations in the Kings Mountain Baptist Association and other interested laymen to attend

terian hospital in Charlotte, and only two in favor of liberalizing Washington Birthday

Kings Mountain financial institutions will be closed on Wednesday, February 22, in observance of George Washington's Birthday Spokesmen for First Union National Bank, First Citizens, Home tions announced these firms will serves was 10.31 percent. observe the legal holiday and will be closed all day Wednesday.

Pashia Wright, Operator, Dies

3 p.m from First Baptist church

Miss Wright died at 6 p.m. Sunday at Kings Mountain hospital following a 10 day illness.

She was a native of Cleveland County, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Wright She was a retired 30-year employee of Southern Bell Telephone Company. She was chief evening operator at the time of her re-

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. William F. Osborne of Kings Mountain and Mrs. Robert B. Osborne of Gastonia; and one brother, Baxter Wright, of Kings

Rev. Robert C. Mann officiated at the final rites, and interment was in Mountain Rest cemetery.

Active pallbearers included B. T. Wright, Jr., Fred Wright, Jr., Steve Wright, W. F Osborne, Jr., Robert B. Osborne, Jr. and J. E. Rhea. Jr

S & L Officers Are Re-Elected

Three Kings Mountain Savings Loan association directors were appointed to a building committee following the annual pate. Rev. J. Edwin Bullock, North
Carolina State Baptist Convention Brotherhood Secretary, will be the featured speaker for the Associational Brotherhood meet amount previously earning dividends on savings accounts as little as one dollar. Minimal amount previously earning dividends on savings accounts as little as one dollar. Minimal amount previously earning dividends on savings accounts as little as one dollar.

directors and elected the asso-The Men's Chorus, Allen Jol-Ciation secretary - treasurer, Joe ley, director, of the First Baptist R. Smith, a member of the board. Directors re-elected all officers is a graduate of Wake Forest Baker, assistant secretary-treas- Cleveland County. Mauney "Liquor" college and Southeastern Seminary. He is married to the formary. He is married to the formary. There are the seminary of the s

ficers, are George Lewis, of Bes- Heart Month. semer City, Boyce H. Gault, Clyde committee.

ate building plans, but that the Morrison, Memorial Gifts. committee will begin studying Smith, a native of Nebraska, Meeting At 7:30 report in the near future.

decline in assets during 1966, re- Athlene, and two children, Dana vited, will be held at City Hall port of the secretary showed, but G. and Devere, Jr. He has been Thursday (tonight) at 17:30 for Fire Department increased its total of mortgage active in fund-raising projects for discussion of providing the Kings loans by \$136,680, or 3.5 percent. several years having served as Mountain area a convalescing Gifts Reach \$1700 Loan total at December 31 was City Heart Fund Chairman in and nursing center. \$3,976,635. During the year the 1966 Smith is a graduate of

Year end total was \$4,567,327.

percent, in the amount of \$23. Savings & Loan and Kings Moun- 125, for a year-end total of \$409,tain Savings and Loan Associa- 730. Ratio of savings to re-Savings accounts declined by

Biennial City Political Season Quietest To Date In Two Decades Hambright of Grover. A graduate of Gupton-Jones College of Employed

rom 7 until 9 p.m. there is outwardly an near-com-Miss Jackie Blanton, club presi-plete dearth of politicial activity. Normally, for those past ten All members of the Moss Adelections, several candidates have ministration are expected to of "Heart disease is still the Supt. B.

elect a mayor and five city com- side the corporate limits of the Chairman. He is also past pre- Elementary and Secondary Edu- Murphy. Librarian - aide, Mrs. missioners. Kings Mountain City of Kings Mountain. In-city sident of the Lions club, past cation Act, Title 1 will provide Hugh Logan of Kings Mountain. Kings Mountain Junior Wom- school district citizens will elect residents are not eligible for the president of N. C. Funeral Di- three librarians, four library

Miss Blanton said members are paid filing fees by mid-February, fer again, Mayor John Henry leading killer in Cleveland Counvacancies are for a librarian for Miss Linda Walker of Kings asked to gather at the Woman's and rumors of potential candidates are numerous and frequent. or and W. S. Biddix, are comstate and nation. Last year, some

Wather in Cleveland County

Compact school and a speech Mountain, librarian aide; Mrs.

Dorothy Etheridge of Kings

Dorothy Etheridge of Kings Terms of all members of the pleting first terms. Comm. Ray 23,000 North Carolinians died as six-man Moss Administration ex-Cline, Comm. Norman King, and a result of cardiovascular disease. clude:



Foust Plonk, North school sixth grader, is winner of the American History Month essay contest sponsored by Colonel Frederick Hambright Chapter,

Laura Plonk **Essay Winner**

Laura Foust Plonk, sixth grader at North School and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John O. Plonk, Jr., is winner of the DAR-spon-Jr., is winner of the DAR-spon- \$6000 per year. (Mayor John sored American History Month Henry Moss and several of his essay contest.

Announcement was made by \$600) Mrs. L. E. Hinnant, chairman of the History Month contest in which all fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth graders of the district schools were invited to partici-

Young Miss Plonk's winning essay was entitled, "The Day Of Senator Jack White discussed the

Harris, Smith Heart Leaders

Rev. Fred Crisp, pastor of the and employees: J. R. Davis, preswide medical strategy. He comes to the board from Morelia, Mexto the devotion.

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The provident local from Morelia, Mexto the devotion from Morelia, Mexto the devotion from Morelia, Mexto the board from Morelia, Mexto the devotion from Lumberton, North Carolina and tary-treasurer; Mrs. Ruby H. son, Heart Fund Chairman for

mer Barbara Thompson and torneys for the firm, George B. various activity chairmen for the increased during their terms of ant dean before returning to full- which the citizens committee will Thomasson and Davis, White, community and will direct their Before assuming his present Short, Harris and Powell, were efforts during the North Carolina and American Heart Asso-Directors, in addition to the of- ciation's drives in February,

Activity Chairmen are: Special Kerns, and Dr. John C. McGill. Gifts, Dick Maxey; Business Days church in Evergreen, North Car- Dr. McGill, Mr. Kerns and Mr. Days, Mrs. John Gamble; Heart 1967-68 fiscal year. Lewis constitute the building Sunday, Carl Wilson and Mrs. John Bedford; City Heart Fund sociation does not have immediate building plans but that the Secretary Smith said the as- Benefits, Mrs. George H. Mauney

> plans and make a preliminary is accounting manager at Foote Mineral company. He resides at The association showed slight 701 Marion treet with his wife with all interested citizens in-Reserves were increased by 5.9 is past president of Kings Mountain the amount of \$23, 25, for a year-end total of \$409, Charlotte City club and Kings Mountain Rotary club, member of W. S. Biddix. Mountain Country club.

Harris, Kings Mountain Mortithe former Abby Jane Wall of Shelby, The Harrises have two children, J. Ollie Harris, Jr. of Houston Texas and Mrs Donald balming. Harris has been active Mountain's Title 1 program is Mountain. On May 9, less than months distant, Kings Mountain citizens will tion of the school district outand was 1965 Rural Heart Fund

Approve Mr. Williams has made no an of NC. State Board of Embal. teaching aides, a nurse and guidsons of the past two decades, nouncement but has indicated to mers and Funeral Directors and ance counselor for a projected Elizabeth W. Mauney of Kings Morticians. He was awarded the schools were approved for the Paschal of Kings Mountain, li-

"Heart disease is still the Supt. B. N. Barnes said the two

How Much Salary For City Fathers?

Commission To Seek Hikes By Assembly

By MARTIN HARMON

How much should Kings Mountain pay its mayor and city commissioners? A pay raise from the present

scale is in the offing, the legislative delegation and commissioners have their particular ideas. but they're also interested in what citizen-taxpayers think.

As City Commissioner Ray Cline expressed it: "We want to be fair to those who hold office, and at the same time be fair to the citizens who pay the bills." The present pay scales as set forth in the city charter are:

Mayor, minimum salary of \$600 per year, maximum salary of predecessors are paid \$5400 salary, plus an expense account of City Commissioner - A city

ed, or a maximum of \$300 per year. He receives no pay for special meetings. The city administration and

commissioner is paid \$25 per

regular monthly meeting attend-

question during a weekend con-Senator White said he felt should be \$10,000 to \$12,000 per year, since he is the city's chief administrative officer, and that the commissioners pay should be

commission action at the special Hayes of Charlotte meeting of February 28.

tration is elected and sworn. The bill is expected to specify that the pay increases - in what problems of the blood. ever amounts decided - will be effective July 1, beginning of the Kathryn Barrier. They have ment Division, is far superior to

A community-wide meeting,

Assets decline was \$10,909. Air Training Program and Ben-finding and promotion committee drive last Friday for fire-fighting Citizens Committee to cite the which also includes Commission equipment.



ELECTED - Dr. Donald Hayes has been elected to member. ship in the national medical honor society, Alpha Omega Alpha. Dr. Hayes is formerly of Kings Mountain.

Medical Group **Elects Hayes**

Dr. Donald M. Hayes, formerly figure would be 511.)

members of the Bowman Gray them authenticated." Kings Mountain's mayoral salary faculty who were tapped for The spokesman said it would membership to the national med- probably be two or three weeks ical honor society. Nine students before the signing effort is comalso were elected.

Mayor Moss said he anticipated son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. the legislative delegation. The

State law does not permit man Gray faculty in 1959 and man said. salaries of elected officials to be served for two years as assist. Text of the statement under office. Earliest effective date time teaching, research and par organize follows: would be when the next adminis- tient care. His chief research interests involve chemotherapy of Legal and Lawful sale of alcocancer with special emphasis on holic beverages under the Strict

three sons.

stalled Feb. 21 at the annual able bootleg method which presbanquet of the North Carolina ently exists in Kings Mountain Beta Chapter of Alpha Omega and with the further knowledge Alpha. Dr. Leon O. Jacobson, that by participating in North dean of the Division of Biologi- Carolina's Legal Control Pro-cal Sciences at the University of gram, the City of Kings Moun-Chicago, will deliver the ban tain, as provided by State Law, quet address.

Mayor John Henry Moss, who contributed a total of \$1700 to hereby affix my signature to this association made 163 mortgage George Washington University, announced the upcoming meeting, the Bethlehem Volunteer Fire loans totaling\$818,541.

Duke University under Naval heads a city commission fact- Department via a community my fellow citizens in forming a

> A spokesman for the firemen expressed appreciation to citi- ing bring these facts to the attenzens for their "generous support."

cian and Cleveland County Coroner for 20 years, is married to Title I Faculty Is Rear Complete; Speech Teacher, Librarian Needed

With the exception of two staff | Davidson school: Teacher aide, members, faculty for Kings Mrs. Erma McCullough of Kings

Approved under the federal ectors Association, past president aides, a speech therapist, seven Crisp of Grover, teacher's aide. member of National Selected four-month program. Seven of 10 Mountain, librarian; Mrs. Fred

Davidson - West schools: Li-

brarian, Miss Dorothy Hill of Grover school: Miss Brenda Grover - North schools: Mrs. brarian aide.

Kings Mountain high school: Mountain, teacher's aide.

North school: Mrs. Emma Lou

"Pro" Control Committee To Be Formed

BY MARTIN HARMON

A spokesman for a citizen's group seeking an election on establishment of ABC stores and legal sale of beer and wine for off-premises consumption said Wednesday over 800 citizens have signed the petition.

He also said that a dozen or more of the 40 citizens circulating the petition will organize next week as a Citizens Committee for Legal Control (or similar title), will elect a chairman and other officers, each of whom, along with the membership will be iden-

Among the citizens who have been circulating petitions are Richard Maxey, Charles Mauney, Richard McGinnis, Cha.les E. Dixon, Jay Powell, and Lee Sell-

The spokesman said that the statutes have been thoroughly checked and that, in city elections on legal sale of alcoholic beverages, petitions by citizens are not mandatory in calling ABC store voting, can be mandatory in elections on legalizing beer and wine sales. In the latter instance, to make the beer-wine section mandatory 25 percent of voters balloting in the 1965 municipal election would require the calling of the election. (In 1965, 2042 voters cast ballots in the municipal election. The minimum required

of Kings Mountain, has been elected to membership in Alpha "While the petition is not needed for the ABC store election, nor the beer-wine is-Dr. Hayes, associate professor mandatory on the beer-wine is-of medicine at the Bowman Gray sue, we expect to proceed with School of Medicine, is one of two obtaining signatures and to have

pleted and the city board of elec-Election to membership in AOA tions (the city commission) ask-\$100 per month for two regular is based on scholastic achieve ed to authenticate signatures on

> election will probably be sought He was appointed to the Bow- during the summer, the spokes-

Control of the State ABC Board He is married to the former and its Malt Beverage Enforceand more acceptable than the il-The new members will be in- legal, uncontrollable and untaxwill share in the millions of dollars of unrestricted tax revenue which is presently being remitted to approximately 80 percent of North Carolina's citizens residing Kings Mountain area citizens in Legal Controlled areas . . many reasons Legal Control is needed in our City and in so dotion of all the voters in order that they may decide the matter for the best interest of our City. "Further, we cannot continue to ignore this additional tax source

water system and financial as-(Continued On Page Six) Harris Disclaims

'Dry" Leader Title

which could go a long way in fi-

nancing additional recreational

facilities for our young people, improving and expanding our

J. Ollie Harris, Kings Mountain mortician and Cleveland County coroner, acknowledges his membership in the "dry' forces of the county and state but disclaims he is leading, or will lead, any dry efforts to prevent a vote on legal sale of liquor in Kings Mountain or, if the election is ordered, to defeat the proposal.

"My position as a dry is historic and well-known but I am not a dry forces leader and won't be," Mr. Harris said in response to a Herald inquiry. He said he had so informed

Rev. R. M. Hauss, veteran Cleveland County dry forces