

Text Of Moss Announcement Statement For Re-election

In announcing my candidacy for the OFFICE OF MAYOR OF THE CITY OF KINGS MOUNTAIN, on February 10, 1965, I promised, if elected, to devote my time, energy, and whatever talents I possessed, to give progressive leadership to the task of making our city a better place in which to live.

After nearly four years in office, with the vigorous support of a progressive citizenry, and the full cooperation of a dedicated City Council, I feel that a progressive leadership has resulted. With this undivided support, long-range progressive programs have been developed enabling the Administration to move toward achievements that will enrich and benefit the lives of all the citizens of Kings Mountain.

KINGS MOUNTAIN'S FINANCIAL POSITION IS STRONG, SHOWING SIZEABLE SURPLUS FOR THE PAST FOUR YEARS:
1965: \$41,725.11 1966: \$257,954.64
1967: \$160,225.91 1968: \$284,735.73

While continuing to expand our basic services to the citizens. This has come about by the establishment of a long-term budget plan which is responsible for keeping our taxes at a very reasonable rate for a period of years, and a planned systematic approach to the development of vitally needed municipal improvements which has enabled us to maintain an 85c per hundred tax rate. Our bond indebtedness has been met and a substantial surplus is predicted for 1969.

UNPRECEDENTED ACCOMPLISHMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE: THE KINGS MOUNTAIN WATER PROJECT: This project is the key to the future of Kings Mountain. It offers untold potentials for economic growth and recreation facilities for our present and future citizens. We must continue conscientious and dedicated efforts, and leadership is needed to successfully complete this program to develop to the fullest its potential benefit for all the citizens of Kings Mountain.

This I faithfully promise you. **NEIGHBORHOOD FACILITY PROJECT:** The long needed neighborhood facility (COMMUNITY CENTER) is scheduled for completion this summer. This building will permit us to expand our planned recreation program to afford public recreation for every citizen of Kings Mountain from the junior citizens to the senior citizens, while providing our families, and industry a safe DAY CARE CENTER for our children.

WASTE TREATMENT PLANTS: The McGill and Pilot Creek Waste Treatment Plants are scheduled for completion May 1.

These plants will offer the best in waste treatment service to our residential, commercial and industrial citizens. These plants have been designed for long-range growth of the City of Kings Mountain.

THE DOWNTOWN URBAN RENEWAL PROJECT: This million dollar project will revitalize downtown Kings Mountain. The project is now in the planning phase, and the construction work will be started in 1970. The objective of this project will be to provide new buildings, provide better parking, and improve traffic flow and beautify downtown Kings Mountain. When finished, Kings Mountain will have a very modern downtown shopping area, thereby, offering more shopping services to the citizens. It will increase retail trade, keeping the Kings Mountain payrolls at home, making for a more dynamic economy for all.

INDUSTRIAL GROWTH: The Mayor's Industrial Committee and City Government have worked to insure a stable and healthy climate for the growth and endurance of our present industries, and as a result many of them have enlarged their operations. Seven new industrial plants have located in Kings Mountain, along with four service industries.

HOUSING: The Housing Authority has completed plans and anticipates advertising for bids at an early date for 150 units of public housing. The City Administration has requested the Kings Mountain Real Estate Association to adopt a goal of 1000 new homes in the next 36 months to provide adequate housing for the growth of Kings Mountain.

SUMMER YOUTH EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE: The Mayor's Summer Youth Employment Committee rendered distinguished service to both the youth and industry of our community by coordinating student and job availabilities. Thereby, enabling 330 youth to have productive employment. This has enhanced their economic and educational goals.

SUCCESSFUL COOPERATION WITH OTHER AGENCIES: Have worked in harmony and success with State and Federal Agencies for total development and advancement of every area of Kings Mountain life.

TWENTY CITIZEN'S COMMITTEES: Two hundred and fifty citizens served vigorously in the interest of effective and efficient government, which was vital to the continued strength and growth of our community.

KINGS MOUNTAIN AND THE FUTURE: Ours is a time of challenge. 2 — MOSS STATE continue the progressive programs that are underway, and continue

our spirit of cooperation and accelerate action and further planning for progress that will insure the opportunity for quality living for all the citizens of Kings Mountain.

Because of my strong belief that continued advancements in effective, efficient and responsive service and my faith in the citizens of Kings Mountain, I am offering again as a candidate for mayor.

If you place your confidence in me for another term as your Mayor, with God's help and your continued cooperation, I pledge to continue to put forth every effort to achieve the goals of total de- velopment and meet the challenges of the "Seventies."

Opry Show Is April 26

Cleveland County Sheriff's Department will sponsor a Grand Ole Opry show April 26 in Shelby City Park auditorium.

Country music star Jack Greene and the Jolly Green Giants and Miss Jeannie Seely will perform at 7 p.m. and again at 9 p.m. They are members of Nashville's Grand Ole Opry and both are currently recording on the Decca label.

Proceeds from both shows will go to the department reserve fund for uniforms and training equipment.

The first show has already been sold out. Tickets for the second show are \$2.50. Children under 12 will be admitted free when accompanied by an adult.

Rites Thursday For Mrs. Hayes

Funeral rites for Mrs. Ruth Barrett Hayes, 71, of Bessemer City, will be held Thursday at 4 p.m. from Bessemer City's First Baptist church.

Rev. A. A. Bailey will officiate at the final rites, and interment will be in Bessemer City Memorial cemetery.

Mrs. Hayes, wife of Calvin Lee Hayes, died Tuesday morning in the Kings Mountain hospital. She was a native of Cleveland County, daughter of the late William O. and Mary Potrat.

Other survivors include two sons, Ben Hayes of Durham, Conn. and Robert Hayes of Bessemer City; three daughters, Mrs. Roy Johnson, Mrs. John Goode and Mrs. Austin Elmore, all of Bessemer City; and one sister, Mrs. Lula Jones of Blacksburg.

Moss Rites Are Conducted

Funeral rites for Ronald F. Moss, 26, of Charlotte, brother of Mickey Moss of Grover, were held Sunday afternoon from Mt. Paran Baptist church, Blacksburg, S. C., interment following in the church cemetery.

Moss, a car painter for an automobile dealer in Charlotte, died from a gunshot wound Friday at 1:30 a.m. in Charlotte Memorial hospital.

Other survivors include his wife, his parents, one son, one daughter, another brother, and two sisters.

Baptists Begin Revival Series

Rev. Guy Hutchins, pastor of Lavonia Baptist church, will be evangelist for revival services beginning Sunday night and continuing through April 25th at Westover Baptist church.

Services will be held each evening at 7:30 p.m.

Rev. Archie Chapman, pastor, issued invitation to the community to participate in the services.

Starr Rites Held Tuesday

Funeral rites for Roddy Starr, 87, of the Lincoln Academy community, were held Tuesday at 4 p.m. from Liberty Hill Methodist church in York County, with Rev. J. H. Baxter officiating.

Mr. Starr, a Superior Stone Company employee 22 years before his retirement, died Saturday.

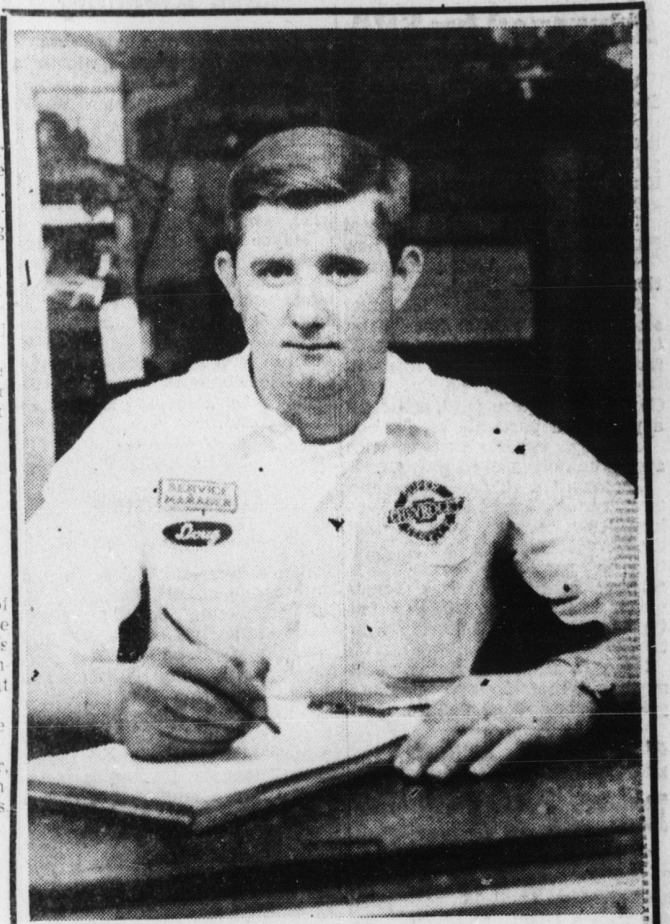
Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Hazel Brown of Kings Mountain and Mrs. Dorothy Johnson of Roseboro; four sons, Quincy Starr and Carl Starr, both of Kings Mountain, Albert Starr of Durham and Joe Starr of Martinsville, Va.; three sisters, Mrs. Essie Hardin of Kingston, N. J., Mrs. Nellie Siegle of Trenton, N. J., and Mrs. Mary Ann Woods of York, S. C.; three brothers, Alfred Starr of Gastonia, Clyde Starr and Isalah Starr, both of Clover, S. C.; 30 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Baptist Series Begins Sunday

Rev. Dale Thornburg of Lenoir will be evangelist for revival services beginning Sunday at Allen Memorial Baptist church in Grover.

Services will be held each evening at 7:30 p.m. through April 25th.

Rev. George Thornburg, pastor of the church, issued an invitation to the community to attend.



Doug Yarbro, Mr. Service

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BUILDING UNDERWAY — Architect Bob Workman, left above, and Kings Mountain Savings & Loan Association official, Mrs. Philip Baker, are pictured at the site of the new home of the association. Grading at the site was 50 percent complete this week. The new construction, at the corner of S. Casler and Mountain streets, is expected to be completed in 300 working days.



GRADING UNDERWAY — Fifty percent of the grading has been completed at site of the new home of Kings Mountain Savings & Loan Association at the corner of S. Casler and Mountain streets. Ground was broken last Wednesday, and despite bad weather several days this week, a clay and cinder foundation has been laid. Joe R. Smith, executive of the firm, sits in the driver's seat of the equipment being used to do the grading work. Observing the proceedings is Mrs. Philip Baker, an officer of the association.

Antioch Series Is Continuing

Revival services are continuing this week through Sunday at Antioch Baptist church near Grover. Visiting evangelist is the Rev. Winfred Bagwell, pastor of Temple Baptist church of Gaffney, S. C. Charles Queen is directing the song service.

Services are being held each evening at 7:30, according to announcement by Rev. Wayne Tuttle, Antioch pastor.

Building Permits Are For Additions

The city issued three building permits during the past week, all for additions to residences.

They included: Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Canipe, addition to residence at 605 Alexander street, D. P. McDaniel contractor, estimated cost \$2500.

Meek Mitchem Heirs, two-room addition to residence at 513 Cherokee street, estimated cost \$4400. Robert Hallman, 713 Linwood road, estimated \$2000 addition.

School Clinics Are Continuing

Pre-school clinics are continuing in this area.

For children who will enter West school first grade in September, clinics will be held Wednesday, April 24th, at 1:15 p.m. at the National Guard Armory.

For children who will enter North school first grade in September, clinics will be held Thursday, April 24th, at 8:30 a.m. at the National Guard Armory.

For children who will enter East and Bethware school first grades in September, clinics will be held on April 24th at 1:15 p.m. at the National Guard Armory.

Board Meeting Agenda Short

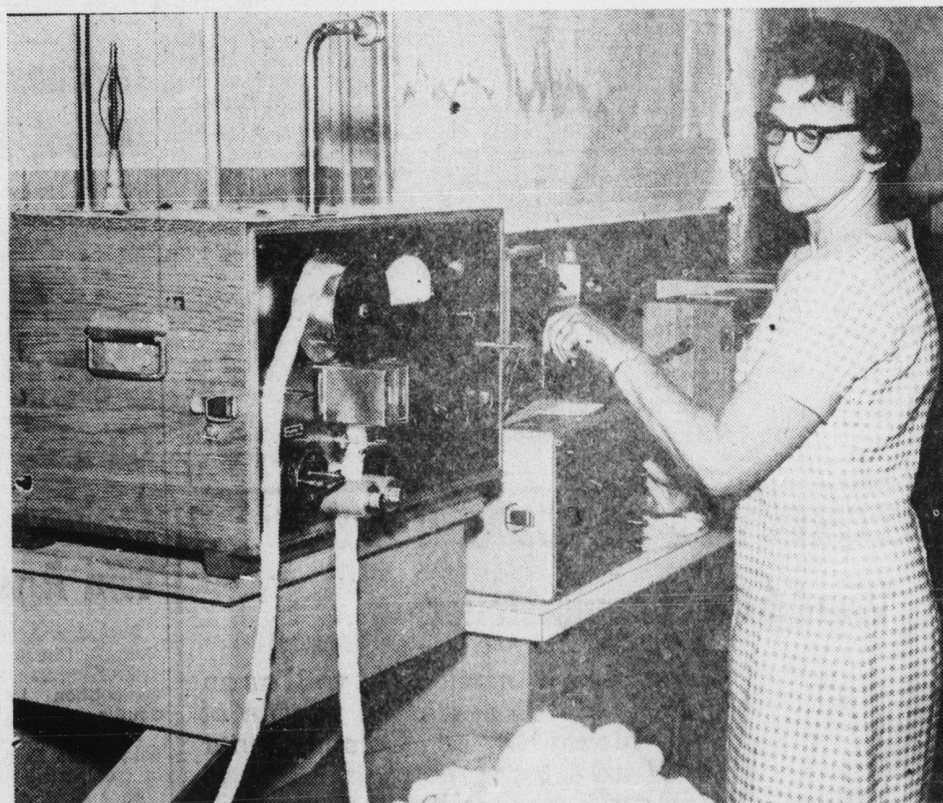
Agenda, as of Wednesday, for Tuesday night's city board meeting was short.

Public hearing is scheduled on Kiser-Harper petitions for rezoning of tracts on Canterbury road from residential area to general business area. The petitions' approval has been recommended by the zoning board.

The commission is to receive bids for a line truck for the electrical department.

WANZA GOFORTH, CRAFTSPUN'S ORIGINAL QUALITY CONTROL DEPARTMENT

That's right . . . Wanza was the first member of the Q. C. Department at Craftspun Yarns Company. That was several years ago, but she's not telling how many (something about disclosing her age). Wanza was not always in the Q. C. Department. She worked at several different jobs in the plant which gave her experience in all the operations of manufacturing yarn. She later attended the N. C. Vocational Textile School to learn the technical processes of testing yarn. After completing that training, she started the Quality Control Department and has

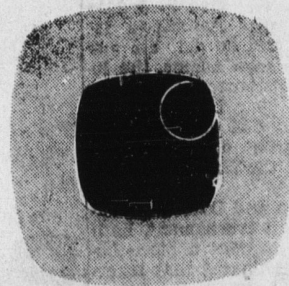


been there since. Wanza is invaluable to the Craftspun team.

When Wanza finishes her job at Craftspun, she hurries home to her favorite pastime . . .

Gardening. She's known to have a green thumb which every year produces an abundant supply of garden vegetables. This goes hand in hand with her next favorite pastime . . . Cooking and eating. Her gardens, like many others, have had some unusually large specimens. She recalls one year having sweet potatoes running approximately 3 1/2 pounds each. Wanza cans and freezes most of her produce. She likes having that good food year round, and you know how grandchildren like Sunday dinner at Grandmothers . . . that's year round, too.

Whatever work Wanza does, quality control, gardening, cooking, or anything else, she does it well. We're as proud of her work at Craftspun as her grandchildren are about her cooking . . . She makes a difference here . . .



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