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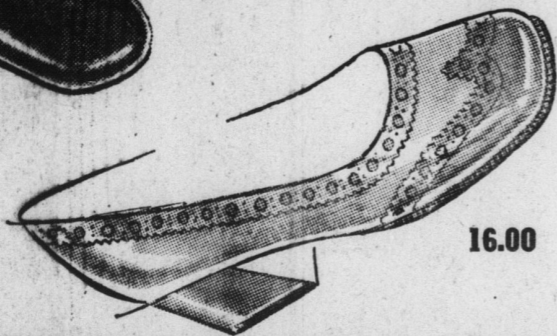
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Police Uniforms Have New Look

The men of the Kings Mountain Police Department will start this week wearing a flag emblem on their uniforms. These are replicas of the American flag, about 2 inches by 4 inches. Wearing of the flags was recommended by the American Federation of Police. These will be worn above the right pocket of the uniforms. Police Departments across the Nation are taking part in this program and are wearing the flags.

"This is our way of showing we are behind our country," says Chief McDevitt. "The policeman is the first to understand his responsibility as a citizen, and wearing this flag shows we care for our country and we wear it proudly. In these days when people are burning the flag and degrading it, we of the Police Department want to show that we are proud to be Americans."

Federal Tax Collections

Greensboro — Federal tax collections in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969 totalled \$187.9 billion, according to the annual report just issued by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

Individual income taxes continue to serve as the biggest source of revenue. Collection totals for all major classes of taxes were:

Individual income taxes, \$97.4 billion

Corporate income taxes, \$38.3 billion

Employment taxes (social security, etc.) \$33.1 billion

Excise taxes, \$15.5 billion

Estate and gift taxes, \$3.5 billion

More than 49 million refunds, amounting to \$12.9 billion, were issued in all tax classes. Most taxpayers received their refunds within a four-to-six-week period after filing, IRS reported.

More than 110 million returns of all types were filed—an in-

Fiddler Show Is Scheduled

The Mooresville Lions club has completed plans for its 30th Old Time Fiddlers' Convention, according to Willis Cook, General Chairman of this year's event.

This big tri-state event will be held on Saturday, April 4th at 6:59 p.m. Please note new location. This year's event will be held at the Roland E. Morgan Auditorium in Mooresville. The Mooresville Lions are elated because, for the first time in 30 years, we will have ample seating and parking. Also, the acoustics will be excellent.

This year's event will mark 30 years in the promotion of Country Music by Mooresville Lions. Large crowds have always attended the Mooresville Convention; however, this year a much larger crowd is expected. Cook stated that this will be due to two reasons. We will have 1500 comfortable seats and all the parking space needed.

Dwight Barker, popular radio personality who has his own shows on Radio Station WHIP in Mooresville and radio Station WDBM will again be Master of Ceremonies.

\$225.00 in cash prizes will be awarded the winning contestants. Prizes will be given to the best modern group, best Country Music Group, best Fiddler, best Banjo, best Buck Dancer, most promising talent, best Novelist. A beautiful trophy will be awarded the best fiddler and ribbons will be presented all winning groups.

Competent judges will be secured to pick the winners of this event.

Entries are now being received for this big contest and any bands, fiddlers, banjo, buck dancers and novelty acts that wish to compete for the large cash awards, please write or call Shaw Brown, P. O. Box 1, Mooresville, N. C., phone (704) 664-1182.

crease of three million over 1968 and a new high. Computers verified that some 3 percent of individual taxpayers made arithmetic mistakes against themselves, while about 5 percent made errors in their favor.



PLANNING BY GIRLS. A group of Senior Girl Scouts meets at Edith Macy Training Center, Pleasantville, N. Y. to discuss the more than 300 ideas for ACTION 70 submitted by teenage girls in Girl Scout councils across the country. ACTION 70 is a nationwide Girl Scout effort to overcome prejudices and build better understanding among all the nation's people.

Liberty Sets New Dividends

GREENVILLE, S. C.—The board of directors of The Liberty Corporation today announced regular quarterly dividends of five cents per share on its common stock, and ten cents per share on its preferred stock. The dividends will be payable March 31 to stockholders of record March 18, which date will also be the record date for the Annual Meeting to be held on April 21.

The company also reported that audited 1969 earnings were the same as previously reported un-audited earnings. Consolidated net earnings were \$7.36 million, equal to \$1.05 per share, compared to \$5.83 million, or 83c per share recorded in 1968.

The company's adjusted earnings, after living effect to the adjustments to the earnings of Liberty Life Insurance Co. as computed by A. M. Best Company using the Association of Insurance and Financial Analysts' formula, were \$1.42 per share, compared to \$1.12 per share in 1968.

On January 9, 1927, telephoto service was introduced to the south, with first transmission from New York City to Atlanta, Georgia.

Pfc. Donald Cowan With 25th Infantry

U. S. ARMY, VIETNAM (AHT-NC) Jan. 26 — Army Private First Class Donald L. Cowan, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn H. Thompson, Route 1, Elon College, N. C., was assigned as a mortarman with the 25th Infantry Division in Vietnam, Jan. 18.

His wife, Vickie, lives on Route 3, Kings Mountain.

Pfc. Jim Adams With 45th Engineers

U. S. ARMY, VIETNAM (AHT-NC) — Army Private First Class James L. Adams, 20, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Adams, and wife, Crystal, live on Route 1, Kings Mountain, was assigned as a truck driver with the 45th Engineer Group in Vietnam, Jan. 23.

Sgt. McAbee Is Team Leader

U. S. ARMY, VIETNAM (AHT-NC) — Army Sergeant Glenn R. McAbee, 24, son of Mrs. Ruby Parton, 220 E. Alabama Ave., Bessemer City, was assigned as a team leader with the 4th Infantry Division in Vietnam, Jan. 18.

Travel Spending On Increase

Travel spending increased by more than 200 per cent in 11 North Carolina counties during the last decade.

These figures are contained in the twelfth annual North Carolina Travel Survey. The survey is published by the North Carolina Department of Conservation and Development, Travel and Promotion Division, in cooperation with the Travel Council of North Carolina, Inc.

Graham County led the increase with a hike of 596 per cent from \$400,000 to \$2,782,000. Avery County recorded a 358 per cent increase, and Watuga jumped 291 per cent. Other counties showing increase were Alleghany (246%), Camden (245%), Cherokee (241%), Currituck (231%), Dare (225%), Jackson (274%), Macon (203%), and Swain (265%).

It is interesting to note that all but three of the counties recording over 200 per cent increase were in the mountains.

The money brought into the state by tourists circulates through business channels with a multiplier effect and stimulates further economic activity. Merchants pass 90c out of each tourist dollar on to other commercial enterprises to cover the cost of goods and services used in business operations. Altogether, 34c out of each tourist dollar circulates as personal income, the survey pointed out.

The travel industry in North Carolina rose to a record \$752 million during 1969. Some 38 million out-of-state visitors traveled to North Carolina. Copies of the Travel Survey may be obtained from the Travel and Promotion Division, Raleigh, North Carolina.

PRESBYTERIAN

Dr. Paul Ausley will use the sermon topic, "Bitterness", at Sunday morning worship services at 11 o'clock at First Presbyterian church.

DIXON SERVICE

Sunday morning worship services will be held at 9:30 Sunday at Dixon Presbyterian church with Rev. Robert Wilson to deliver the message.



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