

### GED Exams Are Slated

The monthly G.E.D. examinations will be offered at Cleveland Tech on Friday, December 15th from 1-6 p. m. and Saturday, December 16th from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. Both sessions will be required to complete the full test which

will be given by Rev. Fred McGehee in Tech's Learning Center.

A fee of \$3.00 will be charged and collected prior to the exams.

Rebecca Cook, learning center coordinator, requests that interested adults make application to her at the school by December 12th.

### Mintz Rites Are Conducted

Funeral services for Arthur Mintz were conducted Saturday at 2 p. m. at Eskridge Grove Baptist church by the Rev. F. R. Gills and the Rev. G. W. Driskoll.

Mintz, 47, of Route 4, died Tuesday in Cleveland Memorial hospital.

He was a city of Shelby white employee and a member of White Oak Baptist church.

He is survived by his widow, Linnell Mintz; two daughters, Mrs. Sadie Carroll of Hickory and Mrs. Joyce Evans of Grover; three stepdaughters, Mrs. Willie Mae Poston, Mrs. Diane Chambers and Mrs. Dorothy Jane Spikes, all of Shelby; seven sons, Charles, Gene, Harold and Kenneth Mintz, all of Shelby and Mack Arthur and Richard Mintz, both of Hickory; and Arthur Mintz Jr. of Statesville; four stepsons, Johnnie, Dwayne, Randy and Warren Spikes, all of Shelby; two sisters, Mrs. Minnie Brooks of Shelby and Mrs. Ruthie Mae Wilson of Kings Mountain; three brothers, Luther Mintz of Shelby and Edward and William Mintz, both of Grover; and 17 grandchildren.

### Library Mystery Still Unsolved

Where do all the books go?

In order to solve this mystery, Mauney Memorial Library last week instigated a procedure whereby cards are being sent out to all holders of overdue books stating that borrowing privileges are limited to those who return their books. This statement also appears on the back inside pocket of every book that goes out.

The library loses hundreds of dollars worth of valuable books each year through these lost books. When a student comes in for term paper material, or a reader comes in for a specific book—it is out. This is a frustrating experience to those who need or want specific material.

Unless books are on special reserve, they are loaned for a period of two weeks, renewable for two additional weeks. That is one month out of circulation to other patrons of the library. Any longer than that is just not good library business.

It is a public service for all the people of Kings Mountain, and the library wants to keep it that way.

### Rites Conducted For Mrs. Faris

Funeral rites for Mrs. George Faris, of Clover, S. C., sister of Mrs. Lester Biddix of Kings Mountain, were conducted Sunday afternoon at 4 p. m. from Clover, S. C. First United Methodist church with the Rev. Wallace Culp officiating.

Mrs. Faris was the former Miss Clem Bell and was aunt of Mrs. George T. Stewart and Mrs. George W. Sellers, both of Kings Mountain.

Interment was in Woodsdale cemetery.

Mrs. Faris died Friday after a long illness.

Other survivors are two daughters, Miss Edith Morgan of Columbia, S. C. and Mrs. Gladys McCarter of the home; four sons, Clyde Faris of Stony Point, Harry and Connie Faris, both of Clover, and Ted Faris of the home; two brothers, Clyde Bell of Shelby and M. L. Bell of Mount Hely; eight grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

### Legion Sets Yule Events

Annual Children's Christmas party for the area needy sponsored by Otis D. Green Post 155 is slated for Sunday, December 17th. The party annually draws a large crowd. Lunch will be served to the children and treats will be presented.

The annual Christmas dinner-dance for members, their wife and members of the Auxiliary is set for December 23rd at the American Legion building.

### Mrs. Mode's Rites Conducted

Funeral services for Mrs. Florence Smith Mode, 52, of Route 1, Ellenboro, were conducted Friday morning at 11 o'clock from Lutz-Austel Funeral Home Chapel, interment following in Sunset cemetery.

Mrs. Mode died Tuesday at her home. She was a native of Cleveland county, daughter of the late William B. and Jennie Louise Rab Denton.

Surviving are her husband, Paul Mode; one son, Joe D. Smith of Gaffney, S. C.; three daughters, Mrs. David King and Mrs. Kelly Camp, both of Kings Mountain and Mrs. Bruce Shallow of St. Thomas, Virgin Islands three brothers, Ivey Denton of Belmont and Charles Denton and Robert Denton, both of Shelby; one sister, Miss Madge Denton of Shelby and 10 grandchildren.

### Jaycees Tree Sale Begins

Kings Mountain Jaycees will again conduct the sale of Christmas trees, and the trees, which are on order, are expected to arrive this weekend.

The Jaycee tree lot has been moved to the corner of Mountain and Battleground, the former Ted Gamble Gulf station location. A variety of trees will be offered, said President Bob Myers.

Co-chairmen of the Jaycee tree project are Tom Jenkins and Gene Harris.

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### Lula Petty Tech Queen

Reigning over a flock of lovely girls on Cleveland Tech's float in the Christmas parade last Thursday in Shelby was Queen Lula Petty. Miss Petty was chosen by popular vote of the student

body at Cleveland Tech.

Miss Petty's attendants were Margie Eallard, Marian Smith, Rita Hawk, Dottie Greene, Irene Clark, Becky Barrett, Doris Lowery, Karen Whitener, Donice Murdock, Juanita Boyd, Betty Owens (alternate queen), Teresa Hartsoe and Louverne Crosby.

# LUNCH IS READY



## The Dessert Is Death ...

Drugs have an appetite of their own. Their staples are humans — mostly children. When a child becomes suddenly listless, slovenly and shows little interest in food it could be he's already eaten. Intravenously. Using his own needle. Watch for signs of radical personality change in your child. Watch for missing valuables. They go together to signal an alert that a vicious habit is underway. Watch also for new and suspicious acquaintances of his lurking about the neighborhood. Especially someone the kids seek out furtively. Work with the police, the schools and civic groups dedicated to dig up and put away the pushers. Those evil chefs of a poisonous brew.

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