

# Julie Durham Is Carrousel Princess



**JULIE DURHAM**  
... Carrousel Princess

Miss Julie Durham, senior student at Kings Mountain Senior High School and daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Durham, will represent Kings Mountain in the 30th annual Carolinas Carrousel Parade and festivities to be held in Charlotte on Thanksgiving Day.

Miss Durham won the title in a contest recently at KMSHS.

She was also a member of the Homecoming Court. During her three day stay in Charlotte, Miss Durham will take part in a variety of activities and will be competing with 31 other princesses for the Carolinas Carrousel Queen's Crown.

Activities prior to the parade will include a Queen's luncheon and the Pageant and Coronation Dance. The luncheon is planned for Wed., Nov. 24, from 11:45 a. m. until 1 p. m. It will be held in the Charlotte Civic Center. The Pageant and Coronation Dance, scheduled for Wednesday evening, will also be held in the Civic Center.

The parade, beginning at 2 p. m. on Thanksgiving Day, will be the climax of the festival.

The route will travel from North Tryon (beginning at Sears) to Stonewall St. where it will make a left turn and proceed down Stonewall, turning left again onto Caldwell St., and then right onto Third St.

The parade will climax at Third and McDowell Streets with awarding ceremonies immediately following in Marshall Park.

Relatives and friends are encouraged to attend both the Queen's Luncheon and the Pageant and Coronation Dance as well as the parade. Luncheon tickets are \$3 each and Dance tickets are \$4. The Pageant and Coronation Dance is a semi-formal affair. Tickets are available by sending check or money order to Carolinas Carrousel, Inc., 212 S. Tryon St., Room 601, Charlotte, N. C. 28281.

Mrs. Sheffield briefly summarized the beginning in 1969-70 of North Carolina's state supported kindergarten program following with the assumption that by 1978 the early childhood program will offer every five-year-old in North Carolina the opportunity to attend a state-supported kindergarten.

Slides with their narration presented the group with visual observation of early childhood staff development and pupil activities in North Carolina's eight educational districts.

Mrs. Sheffield's presentation was most informative and interesting to her audience of professional women.

Beta Epsilon Chapter, Delta Kappa Gamma, held its November dinner meeting at Bessemer City Woman's Club on Thursday evening. Bessemer City members were hostesses for the occasion. The invocation was given by Mrs. Genevieve Mathews. Greetings were expressed by Mrs. Edna Coon. Mrs. Maude Carter, president, presided over the business meeting.

Guest speaker for the evening was Mrs. Lynda Sheffield, Area Director of Early Childhood Education from the State Department of Education. Mrs. Sheffield was introduced by Mrs. Ruby Goff. Her subject was "The New Little Look."

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**MRS. EUGENE FLOYD LOVELACE**  
(Elizabeth Fitch)

## Fitch-Lovelace Vows Are Spoken

David Baptist Church provided the setting Friday evening for a 7 p. m. wedding uniting Miss Elizabeth Fitch and Eugene Floyd Lovelace.

The couple pledged vows of the double-ring ceremony before the Rev. L. M. Schuman and Rev. N. S. Hardin.

Mrs. Margaret B. McSwain, aunt of the bride, was organist for the program of nuptial music and vocal numbers were by William McSwain, cousin of the bride. Mr. McSwain sang "O Perfect Love" before the ceremony and "Wedding Prayer" as the benediction.

The altar of the church was banked with palms and enhanced by wrought-iron candelabra holding 15 cathedral tapers.

Jim Fitch of Shelby escorted his sister to the altar and gave her in marriage. The bride's wedding gown was a formal design of white bridal satin and lace featuring high neckline and long sleeves. Her elbow-length veil of illusion was draped from a Camelot cap and she carried a bouquet on a white lace-covered Bible.

Mrs. Carol Wiggins of Kings Mountain attended her sister as matron of honor and bridesmaids were Mrs. Virginia Clark of Shelby and Miss Wanda Lovelace of Kings Mountain, sister of the bridegroom.

The three attendants wore full-skirted Bicentennial gowns in red and blue-check gingham and carried bouquets of white mums.

Best man for the bridegroom was his father.

Joey Allen of Kings Mountain ushered with Mike Wiggins, brother-in-law of the bride.

Miss Jackie McSwain kept the guest register.

After a wedding trip to Charlotte, the newlyweds will be at home on Rt. 2, Bessemer City.

**BRIDE AND BRIDEGROOM**

The bride is the daughter of James Fitch of Monroe and the late Mrs. Fitch

and is a 1972 graduate of Kings Mountain High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lovelace of Kings Mountain are parents of the bridegroom. He is employed by Kings Point Knit Co. of Bessemer City.

**CAKE CUTTING**

The bride and bridegroom cut their wedding cake Friday evening at an after-rehearsal party held in the Fellowship Hall of David Baptist Church. The Bicentennial theme of the wedding was featured in decorative details and in refreshments. The green and white wedding cake was cut and served with punch.

Mrs. Margaret McSwain, aunt of the bride, was hostess.

## Here's Good News



# Lib Stewart

Your Thanksgiving turkey won't cost you as much this Thursday as the gobbler cost last year.

This is the good news from Jack Hughes, Dixon Community turkey farmer, who recently raised 30 to 40,000 in time for the holidays.

The Hughes family loaded up their last shipment this week for the market and Clara Hughes says they won't "have any more until after Christmas."

Mrs. Hughes says that turkeys are more plentiful this year and production has been at an all-time high.

Local grocers are selling turkey for about 20 cents per pound cheaper than this time last year, according to Mrs. Hughes.

**LEGION DANCE**  
"The Zodiacs," popular rock and roll band, returns to the American Legion Saturday for a big dance and floor show beginning at 8:45 p. m.

Advance tickets are on sale at \$10 per couple. Tickets are \$15 at the door.

Post Commander Rick Moore said the kitchen will be open for serving of steak dinners at \$5 per plate.

Legionnaires and guests are invited to attend.

**COMINGS AND GOINGS**

Orangrel (Mrs. C. L.) Jolly spent Thursday in Cary with her cousin, Jackie (Mrs. Jimmy) Harris, former resident.

**"MY FAIR LADY"**

"My Fair Lady", one of the top musicals to come off Broadway in recent years, will be presented for its final performance of four by Community College Players Saturday night in LRC Auditorium at Isothermal Community College near Spindale. The performance is at 8 p. m.

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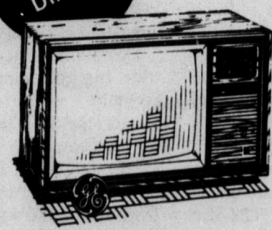
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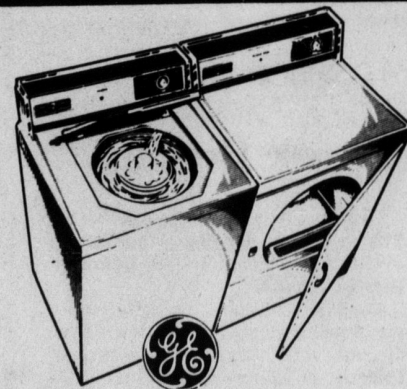
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