

Hospital Notes

The following is the complete list of admissions at Kings Mountain Hospital from Dec. 9, 1977 until noon Wed., Jan. 11.

12-9-77
Namon H. Byers, 1700 Parkdale Cir., Kings Mountain.

12-27-77
Cora G. Falls, 402 Wilson St., Kings Mountain.

12-28-77
James O. Barber, 102 Cloninger St.; Cleone W. Jackson, 106 Cloninger St.; and Daisy Jordan, 223 Walker St., all of Kings Mountain.

12-30-77
Connie M. Anderson, Box 3531, Gastonia.

12-31-77
Walter H. Humphries, Rt. 11, Shelby.

1-1-78
Mary E. Shuford, 422 E. Georgia Ave., Bessemer City; Belle M. Finger, 211 Canlier St., Apt. 4; Florence W. Putnam Rt. 1, Box 70; and Bertha M. Ellison, 206 N. Dilling St., all of Kings Mountain.

1-3-78
Lillie Hinson, 417 Tracy St., Kings Mountain.

1-4-78
Raymond Canipe, Rt. 3, Dallas; Nora M. Harlacher, Rt. 2, Grover; N. Pauline Lunford, Rt. 2, Bessemer City; and Eric S. Sanders, Jr. 511 Parham St., Gastonia.

1-5-78
Charles L. Adams, 102 W. Maryland Ave., Bessemer City; Eva P. Graham, Rt. 1,

FBI PROGRAM

An area FBI agent will present the program at tonight's Kings Mountain Kiwanis Club meeting at the KM Woman's Club, E. Mountain St. The dinner-meeting begins at 6:45 p. m.

ONDEAN'S LIST

Monte Falls, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gillie Falls of Rt. 4, Kings Mountain, a junior at N. C. State University, has been named to the dean's list for the first semester. Monte is majoring in Civil Engineering.

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Dallas, Mary E. Heath, 506 Bridges Dr., Kings Mountain; and Jerri K. Randle, Box 343, Grover.

1-4-78
Dorothy S. Davis, 1013 E. Ozark Ave., Gastonia; Betty B. Froneberger, Rt. 1, Clover, S. C.; Worth E. Huntsinger, 306 Dover Dr., Bessemer City; Baby Boy Goforth, Rt. 1, and John D. Shockley, 823 Second St., both of Kings Mountain.

1-7-78
Audrey Haney, No. 6, Cobb Trailer Park; Marie M. Queen, 610 Meadowbrook Rd.; and Kenneth C. Wheeler, 413 Tracy St., all of Kings Mountain.

1-8-78
Blanche B. Parker, 1725 W. Maxton Ave., Gastonia; Jack Belk, 807 Third St. and Emma J. Pearson, 403 Chestnut St., both of Kings Mountain.

1-9-78
Mikkevaron D. Floyd, 316 W. Sloan St., Gastonia; Pauline Green; Rt. 3; Pauline Harbin, 101 Columbia St., Ernest Hood Jr., Rt. 4; Betty Morris, Rt. 4; and Donald W. Woods, No. 14 Silver Dollar Trailer Park, all of Kings Mountain.

OBITUARIES

ANDY DOVER

Funeral services for Andy Dover, 63, a resident of 29 Bennett Drive, will be conducted at 4 p. m. today at Cherokee Street Baptist Church by Rev. George Leigh. Burial will be in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

Dover died at 7:45 a. m. Tuesday at Kings Mountain Hospital after several months illness.

A native of Kings Creek, S. C., he was the son of the late Emmitt and Isabelle Horn Dover and was a retired employe of Burlington Mills.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Carpenter Dover; one son, Billy Lee Dover of Kings Mountain; two daughters, Mrs. Bob Hayes and Mrs. Clifford Lovelace of Kings Mountain; four brothers, Rufus and Herbert Dover of Kings Mountain, Charlie Dover of Mt. Holly and James (Buddy) Dover of Gastonia; two sisters, Mrs. Bertha Patterson of Kings Mountain and Mrs. Alice Weaver of Gastonia; and three grandchildren.

Harris Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

FRANCES HILTON

Funeral services for Frances Beckman Hilton, 93, of 311 Downing Street, will be conducted at 10 a. m. today at Harris Funeral Home Chapel by Rev. Gary Bryant.

Burial will be in Forest Lawn Cemetery in Anderson, S. C., at 3 p. m.

A native of Long Branch, N. J., Mrs. Hilton died at 11 a. m. Tuesday at Kings Mountain Convalescent Home.

She was the wife of the late



Photo By Tom McIntyre

STONE PLACED INCORRECTLY — This headstone has been the focal point of a three-year fight between Rountree and Sisk Funeral Home. The stone, according to Rountree, is incorrectly placed on the burial plot and extends 23 inches into

the three foot wide walkway designated for the Grover Cemetery. Efforts to get Sisk to remove the stone have failed to date, Rountree said.

Rewarding, Frustrating

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Rountree said in the old section, called the first phase, "I think there is one plot remaining. I don't know about this for sure, but if it was sold a long time ago it still has nothing on the site."

In phase two Rountree said there are 10 six-person and 10 eight-person plots remaining for sale.

"I have been telling people since last July that I was going to see if the price of the lots couldn't be increased," Rountree said. "I have a long waiting list, mostly people from outside of Grover with no real connections here, for cemetery plots. I have held up on the list because I felt the price of lots should be increased."

Another problem Rountree said he has faced in the past is the lack of cooperation from at least one funeral director in adhering to the guidelines for use of the cemetery. Monday night he complained that "for at least three years we have had a situation concerning Sisk Funeral Home. His men disregarded our rules in placing a large headstone on a grave site."

Rountree said in the second phase section of the cemetery there are three-foot wide walkways running about plot sites. He said Sisk placed the headstone 23 inches into the walkway area, instead of placing it in the center of the burial plot.

"We have been trying for three years to get him to remove the stone and place it where it should be," Rountree said.

"The family that owns the plot has tried also. We always get the same answer. 'We'll take care of it.' So far it hasn't been taken care of."

Rountree said he also has complaints about Sisk regarding where his diggers dump dirt. Because of this Rountree said he had to ask the town board for a man with a tractor and blade to come to the cemetery and push the dirt back in order to clear the site for more burial plots.

"I would suggest that if Sisk Funeral Home is not going to abide by our rules and regulations," Rountree said, "then let's check with the town attorney to see what we can do about barring the Sisk firm from handling burial arrangements in Grover Cemetery."

Again, the town board agreed to check out the legality of barring a funeral home from handling burials in the town's cemetery and funeral home from handling burials in the town's cemetery and further to track down a copy of rules and guidelines set aside for the cemetery and to add to that list any new considerations to add to the town.

The last thing Rountree asked for is for the board "to be thinking about someone else to take my place to be in charge of the cemetery."

"I've put in 25 years of work on this job," he said. "For the most part I feel I have been blessed for it. It has been rewarding work, but now I feel I've done my share for the town in this particular job. What we need is new blood to carry on. New ideas, new strength here."

REACT Helps A Needy Family

Members of Kings Mountain REACT used proceeds of their recent hot dog sale to supply a needy family a load of firewood and groceries.

Ken Yarbro, Charlie Frank Stowe, Ross Lefevers, Eugene Lefevers and Terry Lefevers made the delivery Tuesday.

REACT, which is 12 members strong, has already undertaken several projects since its organization several months ago, and a spokesman said helping out needy families in the area is just one of the many ways they can lend aid.

In addition to helping needy families, REACT, a group of

licensed CB radio operators, patrols the area nightly helping the local law enforcement officials prevent crime, they monitor CB Channel 9 for emergency situations, direct traffic at events such as ballgames, and other projects.

REACT meets the first Sunday of each month at 4 p. m. at the Community center and has members ranging in age from 21 to 81. Any persons interested in joining are urged to attend the meeting.

Any persons wishing to make donations may send them to Kings Mountain REACT, P. O. Box 605, Kings Mountain 28085.

KM's Jeffrey Gregory To Enter Air Force

Jeffrey D. Gregory, son of Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon E. Gregory, of 815 Ellison St., Kings Mountain, has enlisted in the U. S. Air Force.

allows him to accumulate time in the Air Force Reserve until he enters active duty on Feb. 14, 1978.

Sergeant Dale F. Rose, Air Force Recruiter in Gastonia, stated that Airman Gregory successfully completed a series of tests which qualified him for the Cargo Specialist field of training.

Airman Gregory, a 1976 graduate of Kings Mountain High School, joined under the Air Force's Delayed Enlistment Program (DEP), which



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