

TRACEY BRIDGES

## Tracey Is Two

Tracey Dawn Bridges celebrated her second birthday November 1.

She enjoyed an E.T. birthday cake and other party refreshments.

Tracey is the daughter of Mrs. Bill Blanton and Darrell Bridges of Kings Mountain. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Waddell and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Bridges of Kings Mountain.

## Grover Discusses Police

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Mayor McCarter suggested that the commissioners get together later and look over applications that are on file. "But, hiring another policeman is not a cure-all," McCarter said. "At one time we had two full-time policemen and one reserve and had just as much crime as we do now."

In another matter Monday, the board authorized Clerk Jill Dailey to make calls for the Grover Christmas parade committee on the town's telephone and deduct the bills from the city's annual \$600 donation to the parade.

Martha Byers, a member of the committee, made the request that the committee be allowed to make the calls at Town Hall.

The board also approved that parade bills be presented to Mrs.

# Van Is A Life Saver

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the third biggest killer behind heart attacks and cancer.

"There's no way to convey the feeling when your phone rings and a man on the other end says 'we have a kidney for you'," Ledford says. "Most people don't know how prevalent kidney failure is."

The Kidney Foundation is not eligible for United Way or other funds because it is a year-long fund-raising agency and the federal government has

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Brown sugar not only imparts its own distinctive flavor to bakery products but it helps to keep them moist.

Fresh pork sausage does not retain quality as long in the freezer as other fresh pork cuts. It soon becomes rancid. eliminated all transportation assistance for kidney patients, Ledford explained.

Thus, the foundation holds several fund-raising activities each year, including horse shows, golf tournaments and bake sales, and solicits funds through churches, civic clubs and other organizations. The foundation will have a display Saturday at the Cleveland Mall in Shelby, offer baked goods for sale and hand out donor cards and literature.

Although the van program, which offers an immediate service to Cleveland County residents, is the foundation's top priority, Ledford says the group believes in research and last year contributed over \$20,000 to kidney research.

He knows first-hand that research pays off, because a new

drug which was recently developed helped his daughter accept her second kidney 15 months ago. Her body rejected it until she was given the new drug.

The foundation hopes someday to have a dialysis center in Cleveland County, and has talked with two hospitals about the possibility. A Nephrologist (kidney specialist) would have to run the clinic and the county at this time does not have one. But Ledford said one has expressed an interest in locating here.

"Our problem is getting the facility and dialysis machinery is terribly expensive," Ledford said.

Another ultimate goal, Ledford said, would have all patients on home dialysis. But many patients or members of their family aren't qualified to operate the machines, and there are a limited number of machines available at this time.

A recent development in the treatment of some kidney patients is the CAPD (Continuous Ambulatory Peritoneal Dialysis). Ledford explained that a small bag of dialysis fluid is attached to the abdomen and flows in and out of the kidney, working similar to those used by persons who have had colostomies.

The bag is changed every four to six hours.

"That may free people from being tied to the machines," Ledford said. "To my knowledge, no one in Cleveland County has it but doctors are discussing it with a couple of patients."

Ledford believes that once the communities learn the plight of kidney disease victims, they will support the foundation.

"It's amazing the number of

people who are victims," he said. "I didn't dream there could be that many until we got involved.

"Before now, the victims in Cleveland County didn't have any help except what they could get through Social Services," he said. "And now that's being drastically cut."

Ledford said any civic clubs, churches or other organizations interested in a program or desiring any information about the Kidney Foundation may call him at 538-3180 after 4 p.m. or write the Cleveland County Kidney Foundation, Box 398, Lawndale, N.C. 28090.

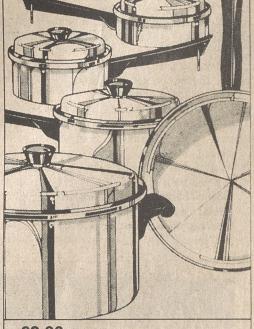
Anyone interested in making a contribution may write the same address. To make a contribution and restrict the money to the van program, donors may write a note or mark their check "Van Program Only."

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Dailey for payment "up to \$600."

In other action Monday, the board:

\*Was told by Commissioner Ronald Queen that the flashing lights at Grover School were coming on a hour early since the time changed to Standard Time and should be changed, and that there were several stop signs and road signs around town that had either been torn down or are in need or repair.

\*Was told by McCarter that the town's insurance had been switched over to the N.C. League of Municipalities effective October 1. McCarter said the town had better coverage, including major medical benefits, and had saved \$133 in the cost of professional liability insurance.

\*Agreed to check the Number Three water pump and if the water is not satisfactory to discontinue using it.

\*Authorized paying \$1,000 for turnout gear for the fire department.

\*Agreed to ask Duke Power to move one light pole which had been planned near Commissioner Bill Camp's residence.

## Yard Sale To Benefit Food Bank

The Margie Scism Sunday School class of Patterson Grover Baptist Church will sponsor a yard sale Sat., Nov. 13 from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. at Oak Grove Fire Department to raise money for the Kings Mountain food bank.

Donations of items to be sold will be appreciated. Contact the church if items are to be picked up.

Cake and coffee will also be sold.

Anything left over will be given to Toys for Tots or to the fire department for burned out victims.



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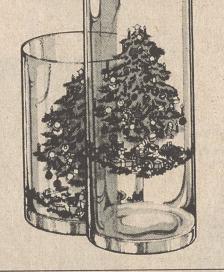
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