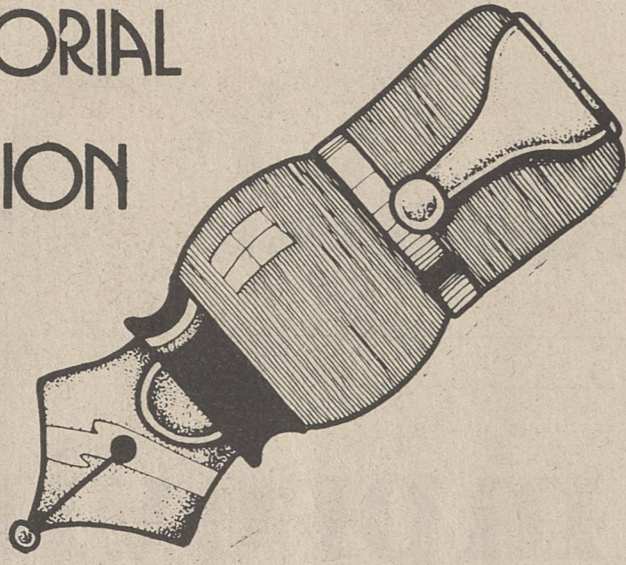


EDITORIAL
OPINION



Thanks

To the editor:
I would like to take this opportunity to personally thank Dr. Terry Sellers and Dr. Scott Brodnax for speaking on proper nutrition, vitamins and chiropractic medicine; and Ronnie Franks, Doug Lawing and Larry Woods for sharing their knowledge on the proper procedures for running and jogging at the recent Family Health Night activities at the Community Center.
I feel it was an honor to have such caring people to share their knowledge with my class.

Sincerely yours,
Patsy Parker
Ladies Exercise Instructor

Deeply Troubled

To The Editor:
At the Orange County Republican Convention I received a hand-out which troubles me. It was prepared by a young man who has worked for the Congressional Club and for the North Carolina Republican Party. He has seen the way in which the Club rules the state Republican party and is fighting that influence by opposing the re-election of the chairman of the state party.

One paragraph of the hand-out describes how the paid staff of the Congressional Club insult and bully the local party officials and volunteers. Although I have not been active in politics myself for the last year or two, I have served the party as County Chairman, as member of the state Executive Committee and as Chairman of the Resolutions Committee at the 1980 state convention. My own observations and the observations of many of my friends in the party give credibility to his indictment of the way the Club operates. Indeed, anyone who has paid attention to the Club's political advertising will recognize a quality of meanness in it. I am far from being a pacifist in politics, but I do believe in a distinction between honest blows struck against someone you regard as a particular villain and poison gas attacks against innocent victims.

Good Republicans are supposed to march together under the banner "Resistance to Bullies". We claim justifiably as a party to be specially sensitive when the Russians harry some poor Refusenik way off in Kiev. Can we tolerate it if here in our own home thugs in three-piece suits are bullying the members of our own political party?

Gilbert Lee Boger is running for the chairmanship of the state Republican party against the candidate of the Congressional Club. If we elect Boger and if he does not behave as we like, we can easily vote him out. I am deeply troubled by the fact that the same thing cannot be said of the Club's candidate. Because of its size (millions of dollars collected every year) and its reputation for vindictiveness many Republicans hesitate to oppose any of the orders that come down to the party from the Club. That young man with the hand-out has shamed me into standing up to be counted. Is there anyone in Cleveland or Gaston County who cares enough about the party of freedom to stand up with us?

Sincerely,
Richard Smyth

Against ABC

To the editor:
I'm writing in regards to the ABC referendum. I would like for those that are in favor of it to please think about it first and if they would just visit Kings Mountain Mountain Rest Cemetery. There's a marker with my loved ones name on it, just because of the bootleggers in Kings Mountain.

I'm sure there are more if it was known. It has robbed me of a husband and my children of a daddy. So please, think before you vote yes.

Lona Gaddy
Kings Mountain

Thank You

To The Editor:
Thank you for the fine coverage of the West School Talent Show. We appreciate your willingness to support our school activities.

We are proud of the children at our school and we are grateful for the newspaper coverage of their accomplishments.

Sincerely yours,
West School PTO

Waste Treatment Plan Open For Inspection

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plan that will be acceptable with the State and Federal governments without running industries off," he said. "In short, the plan tells industries what they can give us and what we won't accept."

The biggest non-residential waste being put into the system is dye, Ollis said. The system is designed to accept residential waste which measures 7 to 8 on the PH (acidity-alkalinity balance) meter, and has the capability of varying two points either way.

"When dye runs through the system, the PH goes high as the acid is used up and you have only alkalinity left," Ollis said. "You have to put acid in to balance the alkalinity."

When the PH amounts vary drastically, he said mother nature's treatment—bugs and other insects which consume bacteria—are killed. One of the main objectives of the plan is to see that the correct PH levels are maintained to insure that the insects survive.

According to the proposed plan, the city will not accept anything with a PH lower than five nor higher than nine.

If the plan is accepted, Ollis said, the city's work will be over, except for enforcement.

"We're proud of the plan," Ollis said. "Most towns hire legal staffs to draw up their plans."

Al Moretz and Don Newman, former city employees, and Ollis

Insurance
Women Meet

The Gaston County Association of Insurance Women met Tues., Apr. 12 at the Western Steer Steak House in Gastonia. Carolyn Carringer presided.

JoRhetta Smith was elected president for 1983-84. She is employed by Pace Insurance Company.

Plans were made for National Insurance Women's Week May 15-21, and for the annual state convention in Fayetteville May 20-22. Carolyn Foley was appointed delegate for the state convention.

A white elephant sale was held to raise money for the treasury.

BAKE, YARD SALE
First Assembly of God will sponsor a bake sale and yard sale Saturday in the parking lot next to Holly Farms on York Road. The sales will begin at 7 a.m.

did most of the work on the Kings Mountain plan, including writing a new city ordinance to replace one written over 40 years ago.

"We appreciate the cooperation we've received from the industries," he said. "We've been

lucky in the past. We've had a good working relationship with our customers and don't see any problems down the road."

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The JIM HUNT Record

Ted Kennedy
FDM PAC Head

Jim Hunt
Out-of-State Liberal Support

Julian Bond
BLAC PAC Head

Jim Hunt Says: Out-of-state campaign contributions "create obligations you ought not to have."¹

Fact: Out-of-state BLAC PAC and liberal Fund for Democrat Majority PAC, headed by Ted Kennedy, are helping Jim Hunt defeat Jesse Helms.^{2,3}

What Did Julian Bond And His BLAC PAC Say?
Julian Bond said: "I'd like to see us run a picture of Jesse Helms in North Carolina newspapers with a rifle's crosshair over his chest . . ."²

What Did Ted Kennedy Say: "We can—and we must—end the disgraceful power* of Jesse Helms in the Senate."³

**(Is this because Jesse was using his power in the Senate to preserve the tobacco program while Kennedy was using his power to destroy the tobacco program?)*

" . . . There's a streak of meanness and intolerance in the campaign to 'get' Helms that has no place in American politics—and that should be disturbing to all regardless of party label or ideology."⁴ The Augusta Chronicle

ASK YOURSELF —
WHY DO BLAC PAC AND KENNEDY PAC WANT TO ELECT JIM HUNT TO THE U.S. SENATE?

1. Asheville Citizen 10/6/82 3. In These Times 3/2-8/83
2. Atlanta Constitution 5/2/82 4. The Augusta Chronicle 3/19/83

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