

## The Churches

# Take Journey Without Luggage

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aside as excess luggage!  
Perhaps the heaviest luggage that we carry is that of the accumulated persecutions, mistreatments, and insults by other people. It is as if we had procured a huge moving van and had put into it every little detail or ugliness that had come our way. Both spiritual and physical health are impaired beyond imagination by such luggage! If we would make our journey without luggage, we must learn to forgive and forget. How wisely did Jesus warn us, "For if ye forgive men their trespasses, your Heavenly Father will also forgive you; but if you ye forgive not men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses." Matt. (6:14-15).

Another piece of luggage that is a weight, as well as a sin is that gnawing feeling or insecurity which besets so many of us. We fear and our hearts fail us for the things that are coming upon us, and upon the world. "Abraham went out, not knowing whither he went." But we think that we

must have the latest road maps, membership in the AAA, and ample insurance, as well as travelers checks or credit cards to cover the expenses. We carry excessive baggage by feeling that we must have all the material conveniences the world affords.

The luggage of life which weighs most like lead is that of known sin. Not only doth "conscience...make cowards of us all," but unconfessed sin eats like a cancer upon the soul. In an age in which "situational ethics" is having a field day, we Christians would do well to stand by the old precepts of the Bible.

After our text has given us the negative side—"Lay aside every weight...and sin"—it instructs us with a powerful, positive admonition: "...Looking unto Jesus that author and finisher of our faith." Therefore, if we would take the journey of life without luggage, we should "lay aside every weight and the sin that doth so easily beset us," and keep "looking unto Jesus". Who has promised never to forsake us, but to go with us until the consummation of the age!"

## Dickson To Speak At KM Baptist Church

James M. Dickson, a layman from the Clover Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of Clover, S.C., will be guest speaker at the Kings Mountain Baptist Church Sunday evening, September 9. Dickson, an attorney, has recently made two trips to Zaire, Africa, where he visited the mission hospital

where Dr. Kenneth McGill is chief surgeon.

Dr. McGill, former resident of Clover and Kings Mountain, was formerly on the staff of the Kings Mountain Hospital, but for many years he and his wife have been missionaries in Zaire.

Though sponsored primarily by the Presbyterian Mission Board, the McGills have been assisted with equipment and supplies by several churches and individuals of this area.

The minister and members of the Kings Mountain Baptist Church, located at 101 West Mountain Street, Kings Mountain, cordially invite others of the area to hear Mr. Dickson in his report on Dr. and Mrs. McGill and others at the mission hospital. The special service will be in the sanctuary of the church, and will begin at 7:30 p.m.

### Penley's Slated Special Service

Penley's Chapel Methodist Church of Kings Mountain will have a special worship service Saturday at 7 p.m. at B.N. Barnes Auditorium.

Special guests will be the singing group of "Squire Parsons and Redeemed."

A love offering will be taken. Rev. W.L. Huffstetler, pastor, invites the public to attend.

## Breakfast Set Saturday At KM Church Of God

The Kings Mountain Church of God will sponsor a breakfast Saturday from 6:30 a.m. until 10 a.m. at the church at 111 East

### GOSPEL SINGING

The Kings Mountain Church of God will have a singing Friday at 7 p.m. Featured will be Todd Bryant and the Ladies Ensemble from Linwood Church of God in Gastonia. The public is invited.

Parker Street.

Plates will be \$2.75 each and will include eggs, bacon or sausage or ham, grits, biscuits, drink and jelly. Ham, sausage and bacon biscuits (with or without eggs) will also be served, along with biscuits and gravy.

Order of 10 or more biscuits or five or more plates will be delivered by calling 739-7206.

All proceeds will go to the church building fund.



**SELL FAIR TICKETS** - (Left to right) Robert Dinwiddie, Winn-Dixie store manager; J. Don James, division manager, Winn-Dixie Stores, Inc.; Agriculture Commissioner Jim Graham and N.C. State Fair manager Sam Rand kick off advance sale ticket promotion for the 1984 N.C. State Fair.

## State Fair Goers Can Get Discount

**Raleigh**—Although the 1984 North Carolina State Fair is over a month away, fairgoers can use the time to take advantage of special discounts if they buy fair admission tickets and ride ticket booklets early by mail.

The N.C. State Fair, in conjunction with Winn-Dixie grocery stores across the state, are offering fairgoers an opportunity to order tickets for the State Fair in advance and save fifty cents on each admission ticket and \$2.50 on each ride ticket booklet.

How do you take advantage of these savings?

Drop by any Winn-Dixie store in North Carolina and pick up a

State Fair advance sale ticket coupon. From September 1 through October 6, you can use this mail order coupon to order State Fair admission tickets, regularly \$3.00, for \$2.50 each. Children under 12 and senior citizens over 65 are admitted free and do not need a ticket. Ride ticket booklets can be ordered for \$5.00 each which normally cost \$7.50. The ride ticket booklets contain a combination of tickets for adult and children rides and amusements. The tickets will be sent to you by return mail well in advance of the opening of the State Fair.

Then, when October 12-20 rolls around, instead of waiting in line to buy admission tickets and ride tickets, simply go to the gate at the fair, present your tickets and get on with the business of enjoying the sights and sounds of the 1984 N.C. State Fair.

## Insurance For Peaches Available

**Washington**—For the first time, the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation will offer crop insurance for peaches in Cleveland County, according to Congressman James T. Broyhill (R-N.C.). Coverage will begin with the 1985 crop year.

"Though no farmer likes to think about the possibility of his crop being destroyed by a storm, or due to a drought, it makes good business sense to take some precautions," Broyhill said. "That is why I am glad to see the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation offer this expanded coverage for the farmers of Cleveland County."

## Westover Homecoming Scheduled

Westover Baptist Church of Kings Mountain will observe its annual homecoming day Sunday.

Rev. Archie Chapman, former pastor, will be guest speaker for the morning worship service.

Dinner on the grounds will be served at 1 p.m. A gospel singing, featuring "The Sounds of Hope" from Shelby, will begin at 2 p.m.

Interim pastor Winfred Bagwell and the congregation invite all former members and friends to attend the celebration.

There will be no evening services Sunday.

### REVIVAL

A "Save America Crusade Revival" will be held September 9-12 at Midway Baptist Church in York. Guest evangelist will be Dr. Max Morris, from Kings Mountain. To get to the church, take Highway 161 south to McGill's Store and turn right on Highway 55. The church is two miles on the right. Rev. Floyd Seay is pastor.

### WKMT DEVOTIONS

Rev. R.L. Walker, pastor of the Kings Mountain Church of God, will lead morning devotions at 9 a.m. each weekday morning next week on Radio Station WKMT. The program is sponsored by WKMT and the Kings Mountain Ministerial Association.

## Ruth Kinzey Joins Staff At Carolina

Carolina Freight Corporation has appointed Ruth Kinzey to the position of director of advertising and public relations.

Kinzey is currently serving on the board of directors for the American Trucking Association's Public Relations Council. She has also served on the public relations committee for the Iowa Motor Truck Association.

Before joining Carolina Freight, Kinzey was the public relations specialist at CRST, Inc.

Carolina Freight, a \$350 million corporation, is headquartered in Cherryville, North Carolina. The holding company provides nationwide freight transportation and is comprised of: Carolina Freight Carriers, Red Arrow Freight Lines, Cardinal Freight Carriers, and G.I. Trucking Company. The corporation also has special commodities and international divisions.



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## Auction Sale

Saturday, Sept. 8th, 1984

10 a.m., 12 noon & 1:30 p.m.

Real Estate

(Large Vacant Lot & 80% Acres Farm)  
**SURPLUS VEHICLES & EQUIPMENT**  
City of Cherryville, Cherryville, N.C.

### 10:00 A.M. Vehicles & Equipment

Located: At City Works Dept. on Allen Street, just off South Mountain St.  
1953 Chevrolet Truck with sewer and pipe cleaning body; 1972 International Truck with garbage packer (Garwood); 1957 International Truck Cab & chassis (like new tires); 1961 Chevrolet dump truck 60 series; 1975 Plymouth 4 DR sedan; 1980 Malibu 4 DR sedan (bad motor); 1980 Malibu 4 DR sedan (running); Huber Warco asphalt roller (good motor); 641 Workmaster Ford Tractor; Mark master riding lawn mower (less motor); Steam Jenny.

### 12 Noon Vacant Lot 123x418 ft.

Nice Large Lot approximately 1 6/10 acre. Located corner of West Academy & South Dixie Street. The former Old West School.

### 1:30 P.M. 80% Acre Farm (in Cleveland County)

Located: From Cherryville, turn off South Mountain St. on Old Post Road (No. 1425), follow Old Post Road to TOBE BRIDGE RD. (No. 2002) and follow Auction arrows. From Waco, turn South on STONY POINT ROAD (No. 1001) go approximately 1 mile turn East on Old Post Road and follow arrows. Approximately 20 acres was cultivated in 1983 none cultivated in 1984, with very little effort 90% of this farm could be put in cultivation.

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