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KINGS MOUNTAIN, NORTH CAROLINA

Mountaineer Days Slated Saturday

The "biggest and best ever" Kings Mountain area Mountaineer Days celebration is how Kings Mountain Fire Department is advertising Saturday's all day celebration.

Fire Chief Gene Tignor said that citizens attending the Celebration will find a variety of family fun and entertainment.

Rain or shine, Saturday's events will be held and will get underway at 10 a.m. in the area of the Kings Mountain Parking Plaza with on-stage and off-

street activities that will delight visitors to Kings Mountain.

"Whatever you like in the way of entertainment, you'll find it in Kings Mountain on Saturday", says Tignor.

There will be singing groups, dancing groups, cloggers, entertainment and novelty acts, costume contests, and all capped off with a big street dance Saturday evening at 8 p.m. Concession stands will be manned by Kings Mountain firemen and Kings Mountain Shriners and on

the street a number of exhibits will remind citizens of the "good ole days" in Kings Mountain.

Quiltmaking, cidermaking, an ole timey blacksmith shop, woodworking, an auto show, churning butter, horse shoe contests, and various exhibits will be free of charge to the public. Youngsters can take hay rides, fire truck rides and buggy rides and citizens can also enjoy an all day craft fair and student and scout exhibits.

"Tell all your friends about Mountaineer Day and bring your whole family to town Saturday to celebrate the Battle of Kings Mountain Anniversary and join in the fun", said Chief Tignor.

White Plains Shrine Club will sell barbecue Saturday during Mountaineer Days Celebration and all proceeds are earmarked for the Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children.

A concession stand will be operated at the corner of Gold Street and York Road and also in downtown Kings Mountain offering barbecue sandwiches, barbecue plates and whole shoulders.

Schedule Of Events

Kings Mountain Mountaineer Days Celebration will be held Saturday, Oct. 6th, rain or shine. All activities will be held in the vicinity of the Kings Mountain Parking Plaza. Below is a list of the day's activities.

ON STAGE ACTIVITIES Saturday, Oct. 6

- 10 a.m.-12 noon - High Landers
- 12 noon-12:30 - Hayes Gospel Group
- 12:30-1 p.m. - High School Pep Band
- 1:00-1:30 p.m. - Kathy James Cloggers
- 1:30-1:50 p.m. - Senior Citizens Exercise Class
- 1:52-2:10 p.m. - Patsy Parker Exercise Class
- 2:30-3 p.m. - Break Dancers, Senior High
- 3:00-3:30 p.m. - Senior Citizens Band
- 3:30-4 p.m. - High School Show Choir
- 4:00-4:20 p.m. - Tim Echols, Ventriiloquist
- 4:20-4:40 p.m. - Sandy Wells, Singer
- 4:45 - 5 p.m. - Sonia Ross, Singer
- 5:00-5:30 p.m. - Break Dancers, Junior High
- 5:30-6 p.m. - Lisa Vaughn, Singer
- 6:00-6:30 p.m. - Gospel Group
- 6:30-7 p.m. - Rev. Russell Fitts
- 7:00-7:30 p.m. - Becky Davis Cloggers
- 7:30-8 p.m. - Jane Campbell Dance School
- 8:00 p.m. - Street Dance

ON STREET ACTIVITIES

Quilt Display, Apple Cider Making, Horse Shoe Contst, Blacksmith Shop, Basket Weaving, Wiley's Fitness Center, Kings Mountain Concession Stand operated by Kings Mountain Fire Department; Shriners Concession Stand; Ice Cream Parlor; Old Farm Equipment; Dunking machine; Bingo; Miniature Golf; Gospel Singing; Blue Grass Band; Woodworking; Car Show by the Spartanburg Class Auto Club; Community Awareness; Puppet Show; Churning Butter and Smokey the Bear.

BESIDE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Hay rides, cattle fair, fire truck rides, Greene's buggy rides.

COMMUNITY CENTER

A big Craft Fair will be underway all day at Community Center.

BEHIND POST OFFICE

Boy Scout exhibits and Girl Scout exhibits will be open to the public.

Bill Bates Resigns Superintendent's Job

Former Kings Mountain educator Bill Bates has resigned his position as superintendent of Hendersonville City Schools.

Bates resigned last week on his doctor's advice. He is recovering from a heart attack he suffered in June.

Bates had served the Hender-

sonville unit since 1978 and was credited with developing a dual school bus system so elementary and upper grade students would not ride the same buses, as well as moving the system toward state accreditation and initiating computer education programs.

Bates served the Kings Mountain system for 22 years as a teacher, coach, and assistant principal at Kings Mountain High School, and as assistant superintendent. He came here in 1957 after a two-year tour of duty with the U.S. Army.

Bates is a native of Spartanburg, S.C., and was a three-sport athlete at Cowpens High School and Gardner-Webb and Wofford colleges. He also played Army football in Germany.

He joined the KMHS faculty in 1957 as a teacher and assistant football coach. He was elevated to the head football coaching position in 1962 after the retirement of the late John Gamble. Bates coached the



BILL BATES

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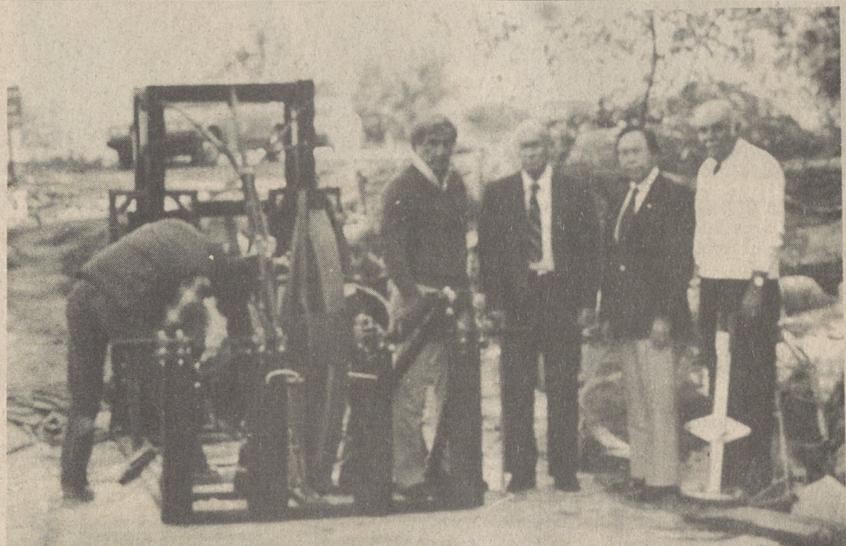


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CITY TO TEST ENERGY PROTOTYPE AT LAKE - Stanley Sherno, left, who build the first prototype Energy Conversion Device at Moss Lake, Energy Commissioner Jim Dickey, Mayor John Moss and Pers President Ed Baddour, right, inspect the model the city will test at 2:20 p.m. Thursday.

Hydroelectric Unit To Be Unveiled

The city will unveil what energy commissioner Jim Dickey and Mayor John Moss hope will be an avenue to extract energy from falling water pressure at Moss Lake and help the city to produce its own electricity in time to come.

Stanley Sherno of Myrtle Beach, S.C., has built a prototype piston drive hydroelectric unit at Moss Lake, in collaboration with Pers Cororation President Edmond Baddour of Laurinburg, and at 2:30 p.m. Thursday the public is invited to see it in operation and attend an open house from 2:30 until 5:30 p.m.

Representatives of area media and such industries as Westinghouse, General Electric and Allis-Chalmers, have been extended invitations to attend the first formal testing of the unit which required three months to construct.

The city board of commissioners entered into agreement with Pers Corporation, Inc. June 11th to erect the first Energy Conversion Device unit, at no cost to the city, and the city reserved the right to acquire an operating model unit at a later date on competitive bid, according to Energy Commissioner Jim Dickey. Dickey said that members of the Energy committee, including Commissioners Curt Gaffney, Irvin Allen and Norman King, had inspected several units and visited the building site at the lake on several occasions and had been told by engineers that a 300 KVA unit is available but that engineers are recommending the city acquire two units, one a 300 KVA and the other a 800 KVA, alternating use of them during wet and dry seasons and using both during wet seasons.

"What makes this Pers theory so attractive is that you can extract more energy out of the same amount of water. They are using a piston system as opposed to a conventional system. The

more energy we can produce the more revenue the city can save its power customers--", said Dickey.

Sherno said he reviewed the

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RAY AND LIB CLINE

Ray Cline Receives Moose's Top Honor

Former seven-term Ward 1 City Commissioner Ray W. Cline, 76, received the Loyal Order of Moose's top honor, the Pilgrim Degree of Merit, in the House of God, Moosheart, Ill. recently.

The surprise presentation honored the Kings Mountain man, one of eight North Carolinians and 196 from all over the world who received the coveted honor. Over two million men are active in the Moose Order nationwide. Moose Heart, or Child City, Ill., is the haven for many widows and children of deceased Moose members.

Mrs. Cline accompanied her

husband to Illinois. All members of the Cline family of six children, 21 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren, attended a special Robing and Tribute ceremonies held by Shelby Lodge 427 on Cline's return from Illinois.

Active in the Fraternal Order of Moose for 30 years, Cline was a charter member of the Kings Mountain Lodge in 1954 and served as Prelate, Junior Governor, Governor and Junior Past Governor. When the local lodge disbanded he transferred to the Shelby Lodge 427 in 1966. In

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Hayes Contest Winner

Sue Hayes of 807 Rhodes Avenue, Kings Mountain, predicted 16 of 20 winners to take the \$100 prize in last week's Herald football contest.

Mrs. Hayes edged out S.M. Echols of 1504 Northwoods Drive, Kings Mountain, by coming closer to the tie-breaking score of 29 points in the Shelby-South Point game. South Point won 21-8. Mrs. Hayes predicted 28 points on the tie-breaker and Echols picked 33.

The two misfired on four different ballgames to tie for the top spot. Mrs. Hayes missed South Point's win over Shelby, Maiden's victory over Cherryville, Army's win over Duke and Virginia's win over VPI. Echols missed Kings Mountain over East Rutherford, North Gaston over East Gaston, Hunter Huss over Hickory and N.C. State over East Carolina.

Winners of last week's games were Kings Mountain over East Rutherford, South Point over Shelby, Burns over R-S Central, Crest over Chase, North Gaston over East Gaston, Ashbrook over South Caldwell, Fred T. Foard over Bessemer City in double overtime, Maiden over Cherryville, Clover over Newberry, Statesville over East Lincoln, Huss over Hickory, Lincolnton over South Iredell, Georgia Tech over Clemson, Maryland over Wake Forest, N.C. State over East Carolina, UNC over Kansas, Army over Duke, Virginia over VPI, Texas over Penn State and Auburn over Tennessee.

This week's contest is inside today's Herald. To enter, fill out the contest blank and return it to us by 4 p.m. Friday. Bring it by our office on Canterbury Road or mail it to Football Contest, P.O. Box 752, Kings Mountain, N.C. 28086.

