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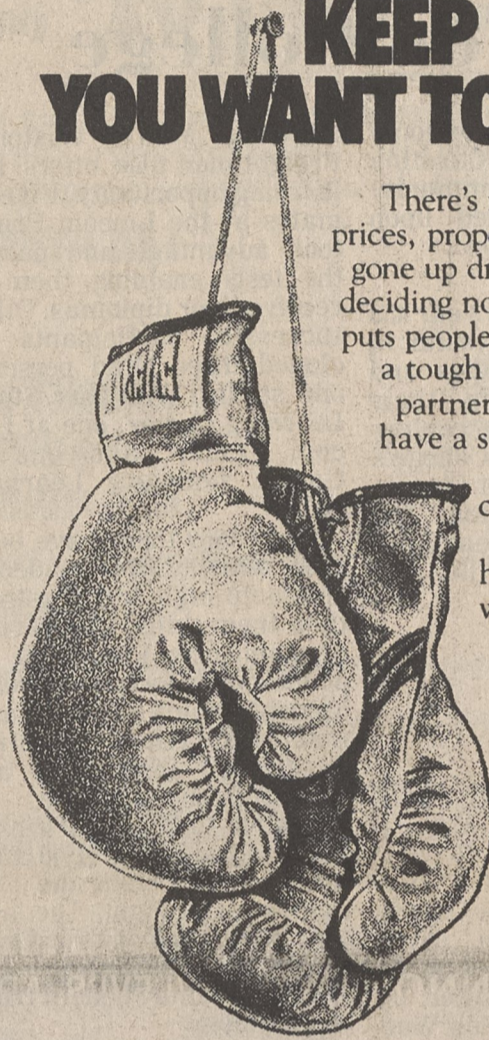
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**GARDENING ODDITY** - Joe Whitehurst of Route 3, Kings Mountain, has been gardening for years but he saw a first last week when he found cantaloupes and cucumbers growing on the same vine. Whitehurst said he set out cucumber plants only and has no cantaloupe plants in his garden. He said he was told by an agricultural department employee that it's impossible for cantaloupes and cucumbers to cross. However, the proof is in the picture, even though the mystery remains.

## Lincoln Items On Display

Approximately 1,000 items dealing with the life and times of Abraham Lincoln will be on display at Eastridge Mall, July 16-21. The traveling exhibit, said to be part of the world's largest private collection of Lincoln memorabilia, includes original political campaign items, photographs by Matthew Brady, Civil War items, documents and medals.

Richard Evans, owner of this traveling museum, said the exhibit also included a piece of the bunting that draped the box the night Lincoln was assassinated, plus a piece of the original blotter used at the signing of the Emancipation Proclamation. Evans will be at the display to answer questions. The exhibit is free to the public and can be seen daily from 10 a.m. - 9:30 p.m. and on Sun-

day from 1-6 p.m. Eastridge Mall is located at the intersection of I-85 and New Hope Road in Gastonia. For more information, please contact Jim Jump at 867-1847 at the Eastridge Mall.

## Workshop Scheduled Monday

A "So Now You're Off To College" workshop for all rising high school juniors and seniors, and high school graduates, will be held from 7-9 p.m. Monday at Kings Mountain's First Baptist Church. The cost is \$10 per person. Pastors and youth leaders may attend free. The workshop will be led by Dr. Valdaree Shull and Tiffany Pendleton of Counseling and Guidance Associates of Shelby and Kings Mountain. Topics to be discussed are "Love vs. Infatuation: How Can I Know the Difference" and "How to Avoid the Late Night Study Cram." For more information, contact Counseling and Guidance Associates, Creative Christian Workshops, 215 East Warren Street, Shelby, N.C. 28150, or call 487-8421 or 487-5019.

## Land Speaks To Club

Rev. Eugene Land, pastor of Second Baptist Church in Kings Mountain, was guest spaker at the July meeting of the Gaston County Association of Insurance Women July 9 at the Western Steer Steak House in Gastonia. The club welcomed Mariam Fussell of Stewart Insurance Agency in Gastonia as a new member. Marie Brafford reported on the National Convention which she attended in June in Washington, D.C. The club planned a cookout to be held July 27 at the home of Dot and Charles Ruff.

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