

Paul Was Good Man, And Versatile Employee
Paul Jackson was just out of service and thinking about us--
ing some GI Bill credits for schooling. But The Herald found ing some GI Bill credits for schooling. But The Herald found him first and put him to work.
editor, told Paul, "Come on to work." He did and stayed on the job until August 1974 when The Herald was sold to Mr. and Mrs. W. Garland Atkins and Paul, in semi-retirement, went 0 work at First Baptist Church as a custodian.
Paul Jackson had a good ear which is important to
mechanical operations. If a machine didn't sound right; he found out why before proceeding to jamming the works.
Graduated from Davidson High School in 1937, he passed up a Johnson C. Smith University scholarship to go to work for the late Paul E . Hendricks, then the high school bandmaster,
a Kings Mountain physician for many years before his death. Uncle Sam's Army beckoned in 1942 and he served as a trucker with the 3714th trucking company, 3rd Aviation Ar mored division. This division was loaded on a big liner stateside bound. Strangely, the big ship passed through the tlebutt had it the ship would make port at New Orleans. The ship kept going and this division was on Guam, and making ready to invade Japan when the war ended. Paul Jackson wasn't discharged until early 1947, after five years of service. back some memories from those people who have worked at The Herald over the years and respected this gentleman Charlie Carpenter, who hired Paul, is now owner and operator of Carpenter Real Estate but he recalled that Pau Jackson was "one of the most dedicated men I eve."
really worked hard to get the paper out on time."
Technically the Herald pressman, Paul could handle not only the big newspaper press but the job printing department's three presses. He was also adept at composiman man. Paul's easy-going, helpful style made him easy to work
with. It was our loss that Paul left before he learned the offset operation, but he could fit in almost anywhere there was a job to do. He worked with Red Walker, now retired, in composi-
tion, operated a kluge and a Goss Webb fed press and hand fed job presses and was an inspiration to many young people Bob, Allen, Bill and David Myers (brothers) learned their printing trade at The Herald and other reporters who came (and didn't stay like my brother, Gary and 1) trained in "Har call The Herald, moved to bigger jobs and bigger newspapers.
Bob Myers and Allen Myers, who own and operate Myers Printing Company downtown, give credit to Paul for helping them launch their business by teaching them the ropes of the years, the Herald did a booming job printing business and employees in the back shop had to be jacks-of-all trades. Paul never learned to operate the linotype machines but he was a whiz on the big printing press and had the patience of Jo when machinery broke down, which ia almos
His Herald friends will miss Paul Jackson.

New EDC Committee Will Meet Monthly

A 22-member Economic
Development Committee has
been named by Chamber of
Commerce President Claude
Suber to be chaired by retired mayor John Henry Moss. Suber announced appoint-
ment of the full committee ment of the full committee this week which will inclien research and identification, marketing, industry, commerce, residential develop ment, existing industry, sites availability, transportation, finance, education and training, livability, health care,
utilities, community profile utilities, community profile
and planning. Moss said the committee will meet once monthly,
meeting on the first Tuesday. develo look forward to developing a team that will
be effective for economic growth of greater Kings
 Mountain", said Moss and
Suber in a joint statement.
Suber said the Chamber of
Commerce is moving toward
occupying the old City Hall
courtroom and that directors
are looking forward to
growth and progress in 1988.
"We plan to be a Working
Chamber for the Greater
Kings Mountain area", said
Suber, who said the former
mayor is ideal for the spot of
the first chairman of the com-
mission.
Other committee members
are Senator J. Ollie Harris,
Mike Hoffman, Charles
Hamilton, L.E. Hinnant, Tom
Tate, J.E. Herndon, Grady
Howard, Bob Maner, Glee
Bridges, Gary Whitaker,
Richard Keever, Claude
Suber, Joyce Cashion, Jim
Adams, Larry Hamrick,
Ruby Alexander, Bob
McRae, Mayor Kyle Smith,
Andy Neisler, Dr. Scott
Mayse and Scott Cloninger.
Little Theatre
Auditions Set
Kings Mountain Little
Theatre will conduct audi-
tions for "The Velveteren
Rabbit", a musical for
children, on Saturday, Jan.
16, and Sunday, Jan. 17, at 2
p.m. at St. Mathew's
Lutheran Church.
There are roles for children
and adults.
Mrs. Lynn Echols is music
director and Jim Champion
is director for the production.
Steve Marlowe is president
of the Little Theatre.


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