

PERSONNEL MAN AT CLEVEMONT-Randy Allen is pictured in the Personnel Department of CleveMont Mills. He stands before a picture which illustrates the expansion the plant has undergone in recent years.

Shelby High Production Set

Shelby High School's Workshop Theatre will present the one-act musical, "To Whom It May Concern" Wed., Nov. 7 at 7 p.m. in the Intimate Theatre in Brown Auditorium.

"To Whom It May Concern" features a cast of 14 and is a warm and witty observation of what really goes on in the hearts and minds of those attending a church service.

The production is the second in a series of one-acts designed to give students in drama and techni-

cal theatre classes "hands-on" experience in the theatre arts. The show is directed by Kerry Maher, with musical direction by Michael Sisk and vocal direction by Traci Evans. Jason Wright is stage manager with lighting design by Brian Bechtel and technical direction by Rick Hamrick.

Tickets are available from cast members or at the door. For information call Kerry maher at 482-3409. "To Whom It May Concern" is suitable for all ages.

First Citizens Reports Earnings

First Citizens BancShares, Inc., reports record earnings for the third quarter and first nine months of 1990, according to Lewis R. Holding, chairman of the board.

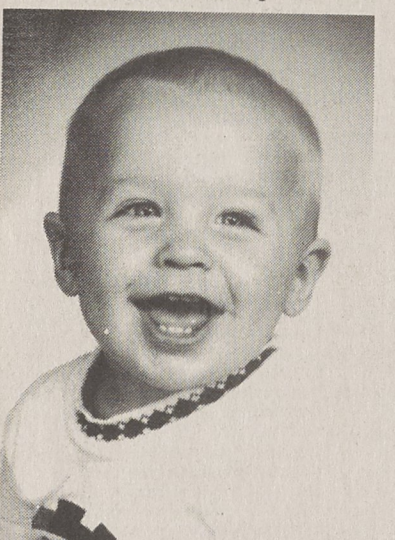
Net income for the third quarter totaled \$8.1 million, compared to \$7.1 million earned during the third quarter of 1989, an increase of 13.7 percent. Per share income for the third quarter totaled 87 cents, up from the 75 cents earned per share in the corresponding period of 1989, an increase of 16 percent.

The corporation's net earnings totaled \$23.2 million for the nine months ended September 30, compared to \$20.6 million earned during the nine-month period in 1989, an increase of 12.4 percent. Per share income for the nine-month period totaled \$2.49, a 14.7 percent increase from the \$2.17 earned per share during the same period last

year. Holding attributed the increase in third quarter and year to date earnings to loan growth and improved net interest yields.

As of September 30, First Citizens' assets totaled \$4.4 billion, a 23 percent increase over asset levels of \$3.6 billion reported for the corresponding period of 1989. Along with internal growth, the bank's assets increased due to the September 21 assumption of deposits and the acquisition of certain assets of North Carolina Savings and Loan Association, F.A. and Heritage Federal Savings and Loan Associations.

First Citizens BancShares, Inc. is the holding company of First Citizens Bank, a statewide financial institution that operates 329 offices in 167 North Carolina towns and cities.



Nevan Phillips Is One Year Old

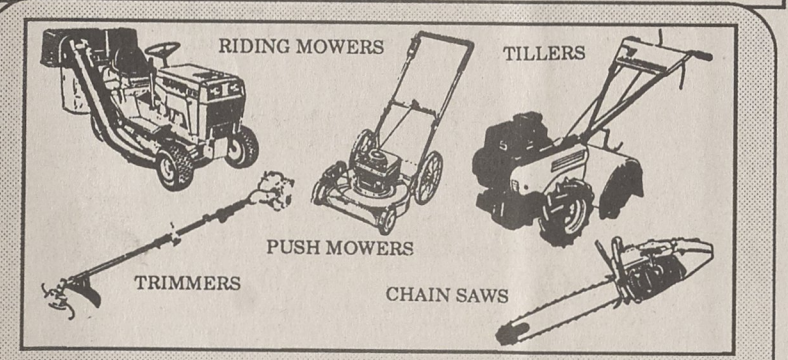
Nevan E. Phillips, son of Neil and Kellie Phillips of Clover, S.C., was one year old October 5. He was honored with a party at home with family and friends.

The decorated clown cake was served with chocolate and strawberry ice cream with all the trimmings.

Nevan is the grandson of Earl and Charlene Allman of Kings Mountain and Tommy and Marguerite Phillips of Clover, S.C. Also attending the party were several cousins and neighbors.

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World's 'Best' Trumpeter To Play In Shelby

He's been called one of the world's best trumpeters and he is returning to his hometown of Shelby on Saturday.

Johnny Best will bring with him his trumpet and perform as solo trumpeter with the Knights of Music in a benefit performance at Malcolm Brown Auditorium of Shelby Senior High School.

The auditorium will resound with the music of the big band era as they play music made famous by such orchestras as Glenn Miller, Tommy and Jimmy Dorsey, Woody Herman, Duke Ellington, Count Basie, Benny Goodman and others.

In the late 1930s and 1940s, Best toured with the orchestras of Artie Shaw, Glenn Miller, Benny Goodman, Jerry Gray and Sonny Burke. He has worked with arranger-composer Billy May on recordings with Frank Sinatra, the late Nat King Cole and others.

His television credits include

shows with Danny Thomas, Ozzie Nelson, Dean Martin, Jerry Lewis and Bob Crosby. He has researched the Big Band era for a Time-Life collection and toured Japan with the Ray Coniff Orchestra.

Best joined the Shelby High School Band in 1926 and played under the direction of W.T. Sinclair. Sinclair recognized Best's talent and began private trumpet lessons with him in 1928. In 1929, Best organized a band called Johnny Best and His Carolina Troubadours. He graduated from Shelby High in 1930.

The Knights of Music is a big band in the best tradition of the great orchestras that dominated the American music scene during the "Golden Age of the Big Bands." They play the original arrangements and re-create the authentic sounds that made the big bands famous.

The night of big band sound will

begin at 7 p.m. The school is located in Shelby on the U.S. 74 bypass. Tickets are \$7 in advance and \$8 at the door.

Proceeds from the tickets will benefit the Youth Assistance Program of Cleveland County (YAP), a Governor's One-on-One Volunteer program. YAP is a private non-profit organization designed to match adult volunteers with young people between the

ages of seven and 17 who are referred by juvenile court, law enforcement officers or other child oriented agencies.

Volunteers spend an average of four hours per week for one year with their youth to help make a difference in school and community. All contributions are tax deductible.

For more information, call 704/482-2315 or 704/482-3144.

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Leaf Hike Planned At Crowders Park

There will be a leaf hike Sat., Oct. 27 at 10 a.m. at Crowders Mountain State Park, located seven miles east of Kings Mountain off U.S. Highway 29/74. The hike will last about an hour.

Park employees predict the fall colors will be at their peak.

For more information, call Joe Sox or Grant Gibson at 867-1181.

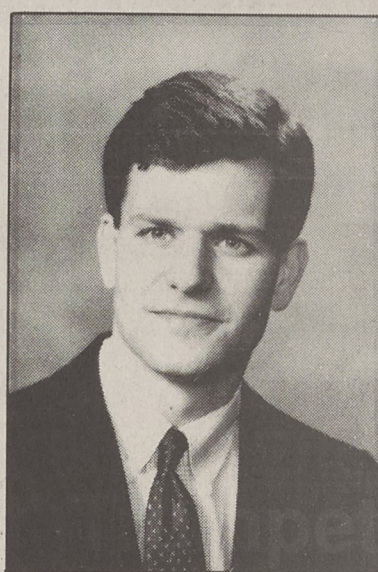
Number For Time In KM 739-3434

Kings Mountain citizens can now easily find out what time it is by calling 739-3434.

Beginning this week you can call the above number and receive a pre-recorded message telling you what time it is.

The services is provided by Health Hotline, a service of Dr. Terry Sellers, and the message includes answers to many every day health problems.

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