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## Eight people charged in two Kings Mountain drug busts

Eight people were arrested on drug charges Thursday and Friday in drug raids at 712 Cansler Street and 310 Somerset

The Cleveland County Sheriff's Department, assisted by the Kings Mountain Police Department, executed a search Thursday.

The Cleveland County Sheriff's Department Narcotics and Vice Division and C. O. P.

## **Police Report**

OTHER ARRESTS Scott John Brown, 21, Wilson Dr., Cummings, Ga., simple possession of marijuana, \$300 bond, secured.

Sammy Godwin, 56, 819-A Floyd St., order for arrest, DWI. Shaquia Monquie Jimson, 18, 904 Grace St., misdemeanor assault.

Robert Alan Whiteside, 41, 503 Crescent Hill Rd., possession of co-caine and DWI, \$2500 bond, se-

Matthew Henry Lee, 19, Lilburn, Ga., driving while license revoked and simple possession of marijuana, \$500 bond, secured.

Kerry Wayne Owens, 32, 128 N. City St., violation of 50-B domestic order.

Athone Phonephet, 16, 800 Lee St., felony breaking and entering of a vehicle, misdemeanor larceny and misdemeanor possession of stolen vehicle, \$2,000 bond, se-

Ann M. Beacham, 27, 118 Marlan Dr. carrying a concealed weapon, \$500 bond, secured.

Roger Carl Chatman Jr., 23, 1123 Mitchell St., Shelby, disorderly conduct and resisting arrest, \$500. bond, secured. Casey Dean Jones, 23, Oak Grove

Rd., DWI, no operator's license and simple possession of marijuana, \$500 bond, unsecured. Timothy Lewis Carrigan, 22, 804

Katherine Ave., resist, obstruct and delay, \$500 bond, secured. Sherry Ramsey, 504 Lynn St., or-der for arrest, harassing phone

Stanley Fred Bridges, 37, 207 Phifer Circle, DWI and no operator's license.

Patrick Edward Leeper, 19, 1104 Stoney Point Rd., larceny, \$500 bond, secured.

Sidney Eugene Brown, 28, 102 E. King St., second degree kidnaping and second degree sexual assault, \$75,000 bond, secured. Allen Cornell Byers, 44, 109

Ridgeview Dr., driving while li-cense revoked, \$500 bond, secured. Dennis Edmond Moore, 37, 815 Phillips St., assault with a deadly weapon, \$1000 bond, secured.

INCIDENTS

Reports of damage to property were filed by: C&N Auto Sales, Gastonia, reported that a windshield was broken out on a 1988 Chevrolet on Carpenter Street; Michael Kale, 1139 Mitchell St., Shelby, reported his car glass was broken out at the Mauney Mills parking lot; New China Restaurant, 213 E. King St. reported that a front door plate glass window was bro-ken out and vandals took a cash register from the building; Bobby Iones, 312 Scotland Dr.., reported damage to a mailbox and flower bed; Latonya McCluney, 104 Guyton Loop, reported that her car was scratched; and Family Dollar Store, E. King St., reported that vandals drew obscene drawings on

the store wall: The following larceny reports were filed: Food Lion, Shelby Rd., reported shoplifting of meat, batteries and razor blades; Dusty Phillips, 207 Linwood Road, reported theft of her car radio; First Wesleyan Church, N. Piedmont Ave., reported that thieves broke a back door glass and took a TV set, VCR and remote controls.; Phillips 66, E. King St., and Express Store, West Ridge St., reported larceny of gas and Little Dan's, Battleground Ave., reported shoplifting of cigarettes; Theresa Hilton Clinton, 115 Center St., Bessemer City, reported theft of galf clubs Diane ported theft of golf clubs, Diane Parker, Hillside Dr., reported theft of jewelry from her residence; Micki Black, 235 Oak Grove Rd., reported theft of a CD player and charm bracelet from her car; The Pantry, 301 Phifer Rd., reported shoplifting of beer; Teresa Sawyer, 31 Pine Manor, reported larceny of medication; Pizza Hut, Spring St., reported theft of currency; Richard Rigdon, Lackey St., reported theft of a firearm; Comfort Inn, York Rd., reported theft of shoes; Rita Toney 203 N. Piedmont Ave. re-Toney, 203 N. Piedmont Ave., reported that the canvas convertible top on her car was cut and damaged \$1000; Bobby Thomas Yonkers, Gastonia, reported theft of his automobile tag; and Express Store, Cleveland Ave., reported theft of beer.

Wade Ford, Shelby Rd., reported that a customer test drove a 1997 Ford and didn't return it. The car is valued at \$11,995. The dealer tag:

FD 31101. Albert Dalton, Amos Smith Rd., Charlotte, reported theft of his 1985 Volvo valued at \$4,495.

Tammy Niedermeier, 810 Fourth St., reported theft of two TV sets, one VCR, two stereo sets and eight

CDs from her residence. Sandra Thompson, 45, 1906 Alpine Dr., said a suspect entered her home and threatened her and took jewelry and currency.

Unit, assisted by the Kings Mountain Police Department, executed a search warrant Friday at 310 Somerset Drive.

Vice/Narcotics Sgt. Joel Shores said a search of the Cansler Street residence yielded cocaine, marijuana, four handguns, one of which had been warrant at 712 Cansler Street reported stolen, crack pipes, other assorted drug paraphernalia and \$800 in cash.

Lt. Billy Benton said a search of the Somerset residence resulted after numerous complaints from residents in the Somerset area.

"We encountered 11 people in the Cansler Street residence and found several of them using controlled substances," said Shores who said sheriff's deputies and police had conducted three other searches at the home of Andrea Robbs over the past three years. Shores said the other search warrants were served at Robbs' residence at 102 Thompson Drive in Kings

Mountain. Charged in the Cansler Street drug bust were:

Andrea Lamont Robbs, 30, of 712 Cansler St., possession of cocaine, maintaining a dwelling to use a controlled substance and possession of drug paraphernalia. According to Shores, Robbs has a previous conviction of a drug related charge.

Joyce Diane Gantt, 37, 413 Gant Lane, Vale, possession of drug paraphernalia.

Shelia Anita Williams, 39, Carolina Garden Apartments, possession of drug parapherna-

Phillip Bern Pendleton, 43, 117 Dayview Dr., Grover, possession of marijuana.

Ralphel Williams, 18, of 201

Parrish Dr., possession of mari- 36, 719 Belfast Dr., all of

The investigation is continuing, according to Shores, and other charges are pending.

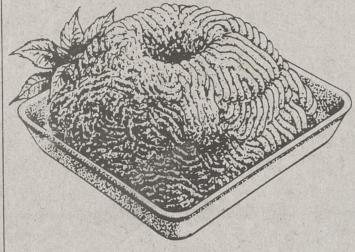
Benton said three suspects were arrested as a result of the search at the home of Todd Connor on Somerset Drive where police confiscated numerous items of drug paraphernalia along with trace amounts of suspected cocaine. They included: Avery Cornelius Starr, 21, 719 Belfast St.; Tiffany Shenea Starr, 21, 525 Elizabeth Drive; and Anthony Ratchford,

Gastonia. All three suspects were charged with trafficking in cocaine and placed in the Cleveland County Detention Center in lieu of \$100,000 bond.

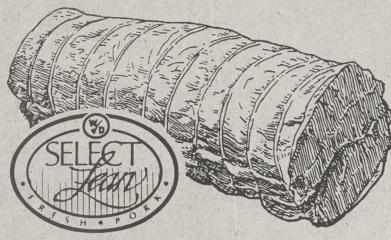
Benton said the suspects were arrested in the parking lot of the Kings Mountain ABC Store while in the process of allegedly delivering the crack cocaine.. Benton said street value of the approximately one ounce of cocaine is \$6,000.

The investigation is continuing, according to Benton, and more arrests are expected.

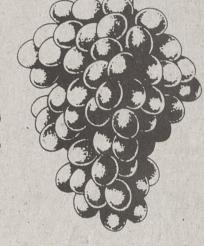
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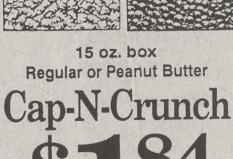
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