Engagements



AMY MICHELLE BRACKETT

Brackett-Bolick

Mr. and Mrs. Gary L. Brackett of Bessemer City announce the engagement of their daughter, Amy Michelle Brackett, to Brian Patrick Bolick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Bolick of Bessemer City.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Bessemer City High School and attended Gardner-Webb University. She received certification for medical coding at Physician Reimbursement Strategies. She is a member of American Academy of Professional Coders and is employed by Gastonia Surgical Associates, P.A.

The bridegroom-to-be is a graduate of Bessemer City High School and Southern Wesleyan University. He is employed by Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department. A May 22, 1999 wedding is planned.



DR. KIMBERLY KAYE HAGANS LARRY CABEL JAMES II

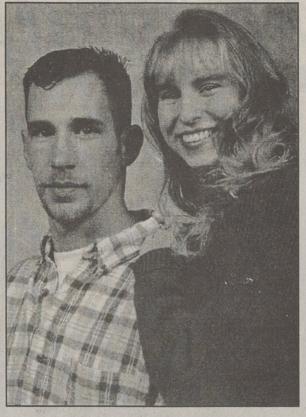
Hagans-James

Dorothy Elkins of Bessemer City announces the engagement of her daughter, Dr. Kimberly Kaye Hagans, to Larry Cabel James II of Burlington.

Kimberly is a graduate of Kings Mountain Senior High School. She received a Bachelor of Science degree in Animal Science from North Carolina State University. She received her Doctorate of Veterinary Medicine from North Carolina State University College of Veterinary Medicine in 1997. Dr. Hagans is employed at Cottonwood Veterinary Hospital in Shelby. Larry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry James of

Burlington. He is a graduate of Eastern Alamance High School. He received a Bachelor of Science in Nuclear Engineering and a Master's degree in Nuclear Engineering from North Carolina State University. He is a member of Alpha Nu Sigma, a nuclear engineer honor society. He is employed by Duke Engineering and Services as a Nuclear Engineer in Charlotte.

The couple plans an April 17 wedding.



ANDREA CHRISTINE SHELL MICHAEL ALLEN PHILBECK IR.

Shell-Philbeck

Robert and Jackie Shell of Kings Mountain announce the engagement of their daughter, Andrea Christine Shell of Kings Mountain, to Michael Allen Philbeck Jr. of Kings Mountain. He is the son of Mike Philbeck of Shelby and Patty Long of

The bride-to-be is a 1994 graduate of Burns High School and a 1998 graduate of Appalachian State University with a degree in Health Care Management. She is employed by Horizon Eye Care, P.A., Charlotte.

The bridegroom-to-be is a1994 graduate of Burns High School and is a U.S. Army Corp of Engineers veteran. He is employed by Firestone Fibers and Textiles, Kings Mountain.

An April 17, 1999 wedding is planned.



ALICE FAYE HAMMETT DAVID WAYNE IVESTER

Hammett-Ivester

Alice Faye Hammett and David Wayne Ivester, both of Kings Mountain, have announced their engagement. The wedding date is March 27.

Alice is the daughter of Martha Layel of Spartanburg, SC and Wiggin Lee Emanuel of Marrianna, FL. She is a graduate of Kings Mountain High School and is employed by Parkdale #10 in Gastonia.

David is the son of Brenda Ann Ivester of Kings Mountain and Authur David Ivester of Gastonia. He is a graduate of Kings Mountain High School and is employed by Graphic Packaging.

KM Woman's Club winners named

The Kings Mountain Woman's Club recently announced the winners in their literary, music, and art competitions. Students at Kings Mountain High School, the winners were in many cases also top scorers at the District and State level.

Winner in the poetry competition was 10th grader Adam Hall. Senior Elise Mayes took top local honors for her essay. Short story winner was 12th grader Paula Mercer. Fellow 12th grader Jennifer Inman was

also a poetry winner. In the art category, senior Bobby Patat won the first prize for his dye craft batik wallhanging. Patat also won first place in the District and will go to the State level. Photographer Tiffany Ely took first place for her black and white shots at both the local and District level. In the painting category, Rhyne Jones took first place for his work at the local level.

In the musical category, vocalist and weight lifter Jenny Goforth won at the local and District level. Jenny will also go to the State Art Festival in Winston-Salem. She has been accepted at Belmont University in Nashville, Tennessee where she will major in performing

Kings Mountain High School senior Meline Paula Miller, daughter of Darryl and Vivera Blanton, won the Kings Mountain Woman's Club Sallie Southall Cotten Scholarship of \$500 for 1999.

President Betty Gamble and the Club chose Miller because of her high scholarship abilities, and her commitment to succeed. Academically, Miller has taken the most difficult curriculum offered and participated in a wide variety of activities as well as worked part time. She also tutors 3rd graders and was a Junior Volunteer.

At Kings Mountain High School, she is a member of the National Honor Society, Beta Club, and has been named to Who's Who. She has participated in musicals each of the past four years in school. She is active in the French Club, FCA, Students Against Violence Everywhere, Tennis, and Key Club. She was president of the Bible Club in the 10th grade and was a representative to SPO in the 11th grade. She also participated in the Senior Play.

After graduation, Meline plans to attend Gardner-Webb





Left to right, Mrs. Paul Hendricks Sr., Will Hendricks, Mrs. Paul Hendricks Jr., and Mrs. Eugene Roberts, DAR Good Citizen Chairman.

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Will Hendricks named DAR Good Citizen

William Holden Hendricks, son of Dr. and Mrs. Paul Hendricks Jr., was recognized as the DAR Good Citizen for Kings Mountain High School at the February 23 meeting of the Colonel Frederick Hambright Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution. His teachers and peers bestowed this honor upon him at the beginning of the school year

Mrs. Eugene Roberts presented Hendricks his pin and certificate shortly after he was named the winner. He will also receive a scholarship during awards day in May.

