

Park May Be Finished Soon

According to Joe Laney, Redevelopment Commission Director, the proposed downtown park on Mountain street may be completed before Christmas.

The city was in the process Tuesday of relocating gas and water lines in the empty lot. The new lines will service the entrance to the walkway.

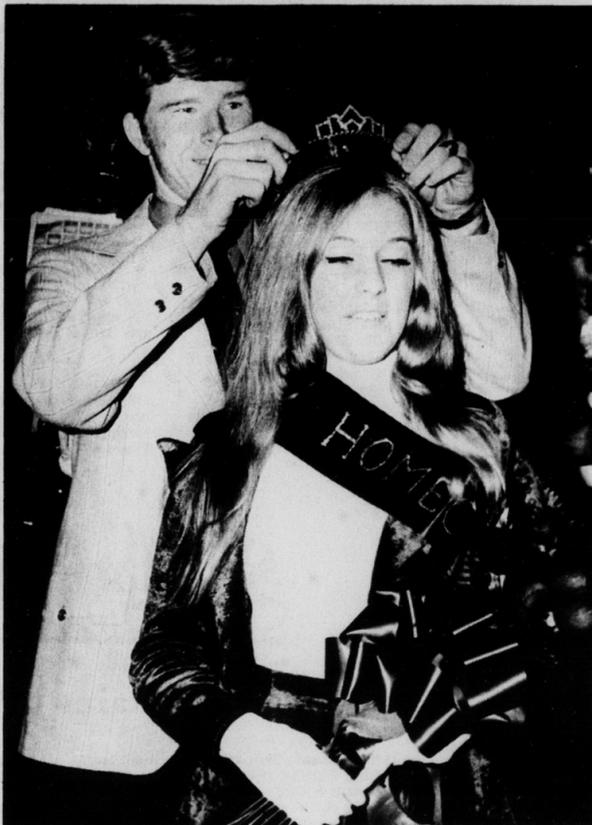
Laney says he is trying to get brick masons under contract to rebrick the walls. The next step is to put in concrete footings at the base of the wall and for the planters and fountain. The brick will be a buff mixture selected by the architect, C. Crawford Murphy of Shelby, and will tie in with the different brick surfaces downtown.

"We're trying to maintain a traditional approach to set the theme for downtown redevelopment," said Laney, "The park was designed with people in mind."

When completed, the now drap lot will be decorated with a fountain, three planters, concrete walkways, and trees.

Lions Have Successful Fund Drive

Members of the Kings Mountain Lions Club held a fund drive on the highway on Sunday afternoon, October 31st, for the White Cane aid to the blind. Donations from motorists were collected from 3 P.M. to 5:30 P.M. and White Cane Chairman Ray Holmes reports that the drive was successful. Those Lions participating were Ray Holmes, Dave Saunders, Jack Musser, Howard Bryant, John Reavis, Moore, Clarence Peele and Grady Childers.



Homecoming Queen

Susan Davis is crowned 1971 Kings Mountain High School homecoming queen during halftime ceremonies Friday night. Doing the honors is Grafton Withers, Student body president. Kings Mountain defeated Burns 27-0. See more Mirror photos by Lem Lynch inside.

Within Six Months

North Woods Subdivision To Provide 30 New Homes

North Woods, a new 45-acre sub-division now under construction here will add 30 new homes to the housing market within the next six months.

The sub-division, located in a wooded area on Grove Street Extension, is under construction by Phillips Development Corp. of Gaffney, S.C.

Phillips now has 15 sub-divisions built simultaneously, within a three state area, plus a number of apartment projects, according to Paul Woodall, N.C. Marketing Manager.

The homes are 3-4 bedrooms, in a price range of \$17,000 - \$22,000, with FHA and VA approved financing. The homes are built on the lot, and are not pre-fabricated. Some of the houses are expected to be completed within 3-6 weeks.

Construction at North Woods began on September 20th following a year of market analysis and research.

Woodall listed several factors in Phillips decision to create the North Woods Sub-division, including the proposed by-pass, the Redevelopment Commission's program of relocation, plus the fact that in

spite of a good building profession locally, there has not been an over abundance of housing in Kings Mountain. The FHA was also said to be interested in providing medium priced homes for this area.

The initial construction in the first 45 acre section has begun on 12-12 and a half acres. The developers own an additional 45 acres of property adjoining the section.

C. Douglas Wilson Co., with home offices in Greenville, S.C., and a subsidiary of N.C.N.B., is handling the financing of the sub-division.

Cansler Hearing Set Tuesday

The Redevelopment Commission was to conduct a preliminary public hearing Tuesday night on the Cansler Street Urban Renewal project.

Director Joe Laney said Tuesday that he was expecting a good meeting with a good turnout.

"I think the people are beginning to realize that our goal is to provide quality housing. We had a neighborhood meeting about a week and a half ago with a good turnout and some interesting questions," said Laney.

Tuesday's hearing was to give people the opportunity to see plans for the project which is aimed at developing 150-175 new homes and apartments in the 110-acre area.

Arrests Made In TV Thefts

Two men have been charged with receiving and possession of stolen property with the recovery by Gastonia Police of three television sets stolen here.

Two TV sets stolen from Bridges Radio and TV, and one from Center Service, were traced by the serial numbers.

One arrest was made on Friday and one on Saturday. Investigation is still continuing into the thefts, with 17 TV sets taken from Kings Mountain still unaccounted for.

The police department reports a quiet Halloween night in Kings Mountain - quieter than last year - according to officer Hayes.

There were 13 arrests reported on Halloween night. Five for possession of firecrackers, two VPL for beverage purposes, three driving while intoxicated, two for speeding, and one for improper muffler.

In all the department has recorded 34 arrests since last Wednesday.



GETS EAGLE AWARD - John Knox McGill, with parents, Dr. and Mrs. John C. McGill, received scouting's highest honor - The Eagle Award - during services Sunday at the ARP Church. His Scoutmaster is James R. Yarbrow. (Mirror Photo)

Rescue Squad Answers 89 Calls In October

The Kings Mountain Rescue Squad answered 89 calls during October. Fifteen were for auto accidents, thirty-one were made to the Kings Mountain Hospital for transportation of patients, six were house calls, and five service calls. They made four blood relays for the Kings Mountain Hospital, directed funeral traffic five times, answered three D.O.A. Calls, stand-by duty was conducted for two Music Park shows, five football games, the Shelby Fair, Kings Mountain Community Center and the Charlotte Motor Speedway.

Out of town trips were made to Duke Hospital, Charlotte Memorial four times; Gaston Memorial two times; Dr. Whitesides office in Gastonia; Cleveland Memorial two times, Broughton Hospital in Morganton and Fayetteville, N.C.

During the month the squad traveled 2,356 miles and stood 1,592 man hours on duty, trips and meetings.



Sign Of The Season

When fall paves the way into winter, leaving a blanket of fallen leaves, it's time to get out the rake, or broom, as Mrs. G. E.

Still of 2-3 N. Piedmont Street had to do this week. (Mirror Photo by Lem Lynch)

K.M. Calendar

St. Paul Concert

The Morristown, Tennessee College Choir is presenting a concert for the St. Paul United Methodist Church Sunday November 7th, at 2 P.M.

The concert, first scheduled at Central School, has been changed to the High School on Phifer Road.

Police Auxiliary

The Police Auxiliary will meet at 7 P.M. on November 8th at the home of Mrs. Marcellus Hunter at 402 W. Parker Street.

Sermon Text

Text for the sermon at First Presbyterian Church Sunday by Dr. Paul K. Ausley is "My Church".

Sr. Citizens Meet

The Senior Citizens Club will meet at noon Friday at the Womens Club House for their regular meeting.

Second Baptist Services Scheduled

Evangelistic preaching and singing services are scheduled for the week of November 8-14 at Second Baptist Church of Kings Mountain. Tom Patterson of Lumberton will be the Evangelist. He is Pastor of Long Branch Baptist Church in that city. Rev. Patterson is a graduate of High Point College and of Southeastern Seminary in Wake Forest. There will be special groups present each evening to provide uplifting

music in the services that will begin at 7:30 P.M.

Among those groups present will be, The Blind Davis Trio of Gastonia, The Adult and Youth Choirs of Second Baptist, The Youth Choir of Oak Grove Baptist Church and the Youth singing and witnessing group of Unity Baptist Church in Gastonia. All area residents are invited and urged to attend these Christ-centered services."

Mirror Asks:

Lieutenant Governor Pat Taylor and Sen. "Skipper" Bowles are running for Governor. Atty. General Robert Morgan and developer Hugh Morton are expected to announce their candidacy soon.

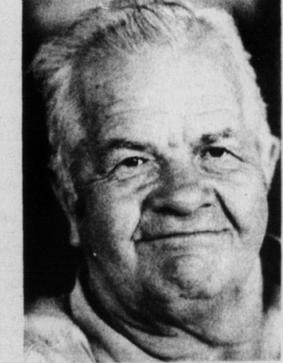
Our question this week is: If the Democratic Primary is a race involving these four likely candidates, which do you feel would be the strongest candidate? Do you have a personal choice for Governor?



MRS. BAXTER PAYSEUR: "I feel like Morgan would be the strongest, but I'm a Republican and won't get to vote in the Democratic Party."



JESSE DOVER: "I think I would choose Morgan... If I voted I would vote for him."



TED GAMBLE: "I believe Robert Morgan would be the winner in this territory... I vote for the man. He would be my choice."



CLARENCE LEON WADE: "I would say Pat Taylor. I think he would make a good one."