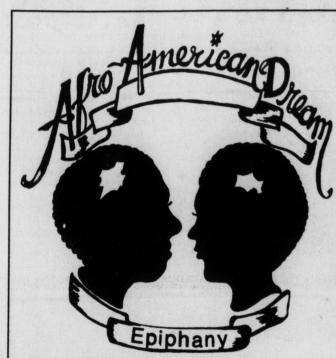
Express Mail Is Available In Kings Mountain

Kings Mountain Postmaster Fred Weaver announced today that Express Mail is now available at the Kings Mountain



Afro-American Dream Epiphany Pageant Slated

A pageant is coming Friday, July 18 to Barnes Auditorium at Kings Mountain High School at 7 p.m.

Special guests will include the I.Q.'s of Grover, the Starlighters of Kings Mountain, and Georgia B. Guest, National and State soloist of North Carolina.

Contestants from Gaston and Cleveland Counties will be platforming their talents. They will display their community projects. It is singing and drama at its best.

The judges are from Cleveland, Gaston, Kings Mountain and Mecklenburg Counties.

You will not want to miss the first Annual Afro-American Dream Epiphany Pageant.

Emma Blalock is Pageant Director.

Post Office

Postmaster Weaver and postal officials in Charlotte have been working for several months to make this service available in the Kings Mountain area, and Weaver said, "We are very excited and happy to be able to offer this service to our customers. This service has previously been offered only at cities with major airports, and we have had to refer our customers to post offices in Charlotte and Gastonia."

Committees Named

Two special committees - an annexation study committee and a fees study committee - have been appointed by Kings Mountain Mayor John Henry Moss.

Members of the Annexation committee will include City Commissioners, Norman King, Jim Dickey, Jim Childers and Mayor Moss. They will review the recent annexation report prepared by the North Carolina Department of Natural Economic Development, Division of Community Assistance, and present recommendations to the full board.

Members of a Fees Study Committee are Commissioners Humes Houston, Corbet Nicholson, Bill Grissom and City Clerk-Treasurer Joe H. McDaniele Jr.They will study current fees and make recommendations.

Commissioner Jim Dickey has been appointed chairman of the sanitation committee which also includes Commissioner Jim Childers and Section Supervisor Ted Huffman. This committee will study the current garbage pick-up schedules and services and make recommendations for improvements to the full board of commissioners.

Express mail is a guaranteed expedited delivery service which allows a customer to mail items weighing up to 70 pounds to any of 1,300 designated locations around the country overnight. Articles should be mailed by 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, and they may be picked up at the destination post office by 10 a.m. or delivered by 3 p.m. the following day.

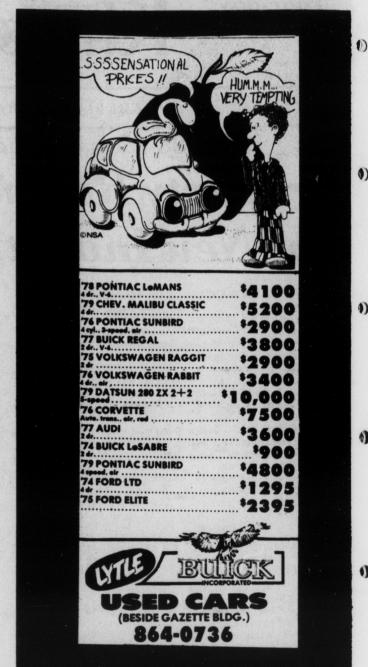
Postage is refunded if the item is not available for pickup or delivery is not attempted by the specified times unless the delay is caused by strike or work stoppage. Articles are insured up to \$500 for merchandise or \$50,000 for document reconstruction at no additional cost. Letters may be included with merchandise at no additional cost.

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Postage on Express Mail is charged according to weight and destination zone. A five pound article can be sent to New York, New York, from post office to post office for \$7.20 or delivered to the addressee for \$9.30. The same five pound article can be delivered to a post office in Seattle, Wash. by 10 a.m. for \$8.20 or to the addressee by 3 p.m. for \$10.30, guaranteed, or your money back.

There is an Express Mail Custom Designed Service for business mailers with the need for regularly scheduled high speed deliveries. An agreement between the Postal Service and customers is arranged prior to starting this service, setting forth the schedule of service between specified origin and destination points. This service can be arranged with a predetermined frequency of mailing to any of 23,000 post offices.

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