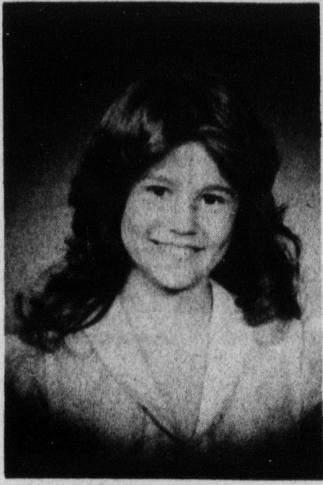


Karen Penner Is First Runner-up In Talent Contest

Karen Penner, 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O.G. Penner of Route 2 and an eighth grader at Kings Mountain Junior High School, was first runner-up in the Junior Miss Division of the Southeastern Peach Princess Talent Pageant held at Limestone College in Gaffney, S.C. July 12th.

Contestants were from North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia and a total of 48 contestants were entered in the pageant. Miss Penner competed with 11 girls in her division.

Karen has been taking dancing lessons from Jane McClure since she was the age of two. She loves tap dancing and enjoys competing in pageants and talent shows. She admits to "sometimes being a little nervous" when performing on stage.



KAREN PENNER
She was also the talent winner of the "Our Little Miss" pageant held in Shelby March 8th.

Kings Mountain Crime Increases

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Sons reported during an average statewide reporting period of ten months for this new index of offense in 1979. Over 17.5 million dollars worth of property was damaged or destroyed as a result of arson last year.

Edmisten stated, "Approximately 2 murders, 3 rapes, 12 robberies, 51 aggravated assaults, 196 burglaries, 363 larcenies and 34 motor vehicle thefts occurred on the average day in North Carolina last year. Only 25.7 percent of all crimes were cleared by arrests or other means in 1979. The clearance rate for index offenses has now dropped for the fourth consecutive year. Although nearly 70 percent of the violent offenses were cleared, 80 percent of the property crimes remained unsolved."

Index crime alone accounted for almost 100 million dollars worth of property stolen in 1979. Of this 100 million, only 35 million was recovered resulting in a net loss to the people of North Carolina of almost 65 million dollars. Couple this with the losses suffered in property either stolen, damaged or destroyed as a result of cases involving fraud, arson, vandalism, embezzlement, etc. and it is possible that the total cost of crime in North Carolina now exceeds a quarter of a billion dollars a year.

Five North Carolina law enforcement officers were killed in the line of duty last year bringing the total number of officers killed in this state during the 1970's to 40. Recent FBI figures show 106 officers killed in the United States in 1979, with 49 of these deaths occurring in the southern states.

District 10 Tournery Set

The 1980 District 10 Men's Class C Tournament is being held at City Stadium on Friday, August 1 and Saturday, August 2.

The tournament is being sponsored by the Kings Mountain Parks and Recreation Department. Admission to the event is 50 cents for children under 12 and \$1 for 12 and over.

All proceeds from the tournament are being used to purchase a 16mm movie projector for use at the Community Center.

The public is invited to come and watch some of the best softball in Cleveland County.

For more information call the Parks and Recreation Department at 739-6995.

Soccer Loop Meeting Set

Anyone interested in working on a voluntary basis is asked to attend an upcoming meeting to discuss the starting of a fall Soccer League. The meeting will be held in the Kings Mountain Neighborhood Facility Center (Community Center) on Thursday, July 31, at 7:30 p.m., in room number 9, downstairs.

The Parks and Recreation Department would also like to invite anyone interested in co-sponsoring the Soccer League to this meeting. For more details, contact George Adams, Athletic Director, at 739-9631.

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REWARD for lost black and white female dog. Last seen July 4th at 405 E. Ridge St. in Kings Mountain. Answers to "Peanut." Call 739-5372 or 739-2678. 7:24

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SALE OF SURPLUS PROPERTY

The City of Kings Mountain will sell at auction on Friday, August 1, 1980, beginning at 10:00 a.m., the following surplus equipment.

ITEMS

Used Power Poles
Copper Wire
Other Miscellaneous Items That Were Removed From State By Pass

Items must be paid for on the day of sale to the City Clerk and removed from the premises within five days.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

John Henry Moss, Mayor
7:29, 31

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE: New brick home, 3 bedroom, large den, 1 1/2 baths, fireplace and heat pump. 12% loan. Call 739-5636 or 739-5500. 5:8tfn T&T

HOUSE FOR SALE—119 Mont Vista Drive. Gas heat, carpeted, paneled, fenced lot. Needs repairs. \$15,000. Call 739-6491. 7:8 tfn T&T

HOUSE FOR SALE — Six room log house. 3 brs., 2 BA, 4 1/2 acres of land. Phone 739-7738 or 739-6027 anytime. 7:17, 22, 24 & 29

ATTENTION APARTMENT DWELLERS — Family Housing Center, Hwy. 74W, Kings Mtn. now has 20 year financing on all double-wide mobile homes. Example: home sells for \$18,900 plus tax, \$2000 down payment, monthly payments \$204.87. Call 739-9031. 6:24tfn T&T

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 1978 Yamaha 650. Excellent condition. Call Jim Amos, Jr., 739-4428. 7:15, 17, 22, 24, 29 & 31

FOR SALE: 1974 Ford Torino Elite. 2-dr., AC, PS. Also, 71 Chevy Impala. 4-dr., PS, AC. Call 739-7496 during the day or 739-7548 after 6 p.m. 3:20tfn T&T

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Kings Mountain Herald

CLASSIFIED ADS

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To place an ad in the **KINGS MOUNTAIN HERALD** classifieds, come by our office at Canterbury Road and East King Street. Minimum charge is \$2⁰⁰ for up to twenty words. All ads payable in advance except established accounts.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Two and three bedroom mobile homes for rent. Carpeted, air cond., 2 miles outside city limits on Waco Road. Suburban Mobile Home Park, 739-3919. 7:24tfn T&T

FOR RENT: Clean, modern one bedroom apartment. Partly furnished. \$175/mo. Includes utilities. Call 739-6047. 7:24, 29

DUPLEX APARTMENT for rent. Air cond., carpeted. Call 739-6794. 7:29, 31

FOR RENT: Two bedroom mobile home. Couples only. Ph. 739-5506. 7:29, 31

SERVICES

SAVINGS up to 70 percent and more on your family clothing needs. Bargain Basement in back of Hightowers, 313 York Road, Kings Mtn. Open Mon.-Sat., 9:30-6:30 p.m. Ph. 739-8211. 2:6tfn T&T

JACKY'S REFRIGERATION & APPLIANCE SERVICE — Service on all makes and models in refrigeration. Most all brands in appliances. 739-4618. 7:10tfn T&T

LOANS — AL'S PAWN SHOP, 219 E. Marion St., Shelby. Money loaned on clean, workable merchandise. Quality merchandise always on sale at Bargain Prices. 2:12tfn T&T

WILL KEEP CHILDREN out for the summer, in my home. Any age. Call after 5 p.m., 739-7335. 3:20tfn T&T

D & D ELECTRIC: Commercial - Residential - Industrial. Electrical repairs. Ph. 704-739-9395. 3:25tfn T&T

\$400 DOWN — Farm Home Loans, new three bedroom homes, energy efficient, located in Kings Mountain, Northwoods Sub-Division. Payments as low as \$120 per month if you qualify and your income is \$8,000 to \$12,000 per year. TRIANGLE REAL ESTATE, Ph. 867-5396, Fred Newton, 867-4141 and George Neesmith, 867-0407. 5:29tfn T&T

RON'S APPLIANCE. Repair washers, electric dryers, ranges and H2O heaters. Ph. 739-9431 after 4 p.m. T&T tfn

A&D AUTO REPAIR NOW OPEN: 1501 Shelby Hwy. All automobile mechanical work done. Reasonable and guaranteed. No job too small. Open 8 a.m.-6 p.m., Mon.-Sat. 4:30tfn T&T

WILL KEEP CHILDREN in my home. Located 1311 Shelby Road, across from West Gate Plaza Shopping Center, Kings Mtn. No phone. 7:29

BUILDING & REMODELING: Residential or Industrial, garages and carports built or closed in. Parts and service for roll-up doors. Free estimates. Gastonia Overhead Door Co., 865-5336. 7:17, 22, 24, 29, 31; 8:5, 7, 12

CAKES BAKED for all occasions. 937-7583. 7:10, tfn T&T

PAINTING, WALLPAPER and airless spray gun. Will do small repairs. Call Charlie Powell, 739-5394. 7:29 thru 9:18

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