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LEADERS OF CANCER DRIVE - Pictured are the leaders in the upcoming 1981 Cancer Drive. From left around the table, Mrs. Addie Grier, Mrs. Rosalyn Brown, Dr. Scott Mayse, Mrs. Lewis Dellinger, Lou Sabetti, Andy Neisler, Jake Dixon, Mrs. Bob Smith, Willard Boyles and Mrs. George Thomasson.

Cancer Campaign Underway

Kings Mountain's 1981 Cancer Campaign was kicked off Monday night at an organizational and orientation meeting for volunteers at Home Savings & Loan Association Conference Room.

Mrs. Kay Holshouser, executive secretary of the Cleveland County Cancer Society, and Lou Sabetti, drive leader, led the workshop and distributed materials to workers.

The fund campaign will be officially conducted the weekend

of April 4-5 in the Kings Mountain and Grover area but numerous fund raising projects will be planned as well as programs to educate the public on cancer's warning signals.

Other drive leaders in the Kings Mountain area will include Mrs. Lewis Dellinger, W.S. Fulton III, Mrs. W.S. Fulton Jr., Bob Maner, John Warlick, Willard Boyles, Jake Dixon, Bill Grissom, Lyn Cheshire, Steve Crosby, Andy Neisler, Dr. Scott Mayse, Mrs. James Rhea, Mrs.

George Thomasson, Mrs. Henry Neisler, Mrs. Charles Neisler, Miss Holly Dellinger, Mrs. George W. Plonk, Mrs. E.R. Goter, Mrs. Addie Grier, Mrs. J.N. McClure, Mrs. Rosalyn Brown, Mrs. Robert L. Smith, Ray Holmes and Charles F. Mauney.

Grover leaders will include Mrs. Edward Philbeck, Mrs. James Rollins, Mrs. Glenn Rountree, Mr. and Mrs. Fain Hambright, Bob Hambright and Bill McCarter.



REV. JACK G. FLINTOM

Jack Flintom Trinity Pastor

A Presbyterian and a committed Christian by the age of 16, the Rev. Jack G. Flintom was called to the Episcopal ministry during his college years when he was influenced by the writings of Episcopal author, C.S. Lewis, and by a Baptist College professor.

"The Episcopal Church has a quite different form of worship than what I was used to growing up in Toccoa, Ga. the liturgical style guided by the Book of

Common Prayer employs more lay participation and I felt something in the worship that I had not felt before," said the young minister who is now serving as pastor of Trinity Episcopal Church on Phifer Road in Kings Mountain and St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Bessemer City.

The two congregations have a total membership of 100, 40 members in Kings Mountain and 60 in Bessemer City, with services at 9 a.m. on Sunday in Kings Mountain and at 10:30 a.m. in Bessemer City. There are evening prayer services on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 5 p.m., through Mar. 3, at Trinity, when the schedule will change to 6 p.m. Ash Wednesday services are scheduled during Lent at 8 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. at Trinity and 7 p.m. at St. Andrew's. Wednesday night eucharist services are held at 7 p.m. in Bessemer City.

Rev. Flintom was ordained as a deacon June 25, 1977 and as a Priest on May 18, 1978. He holds a Master of Divinity from Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., a B.A. degree from Mercer University, Macon, Ga. and an AA degree from Truett McConnell Junior College in Cleveland, Ga.

Before coming to Kings Mountain, he served as deacon-in-training in Grace Episcopal Church of Morganton from 1977-78 and prior to that was assistant to the Rector of Saint Luke's Episcopal Church of Salisbury. While studying at Harvard University, he worked with the Harvard University Police in student security patrol from 1974-77.

He is son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Flintom of Greensboro, likes to read, enjoys hiking, skiing and climbing and participated in the 12,000-runner Boston Marathon and in two marathons in Greensboro. The minister, who is modest about his hobby, said he "survived all three marathons." He also likes bicycling, travel-geography and



LITTLE THEATRE PLAY - Heather Bradshaw, left, and Kelli Wilson have roles in the oriental children's play, "Off With His Honorable Head," which opens Thursday, Feb. 26th, by the Kings Mountain Little Theatre. Performances are Feb. 26-27 at 8 p.m. and March 1 at 3 p.m. in Park Grace Auditorium.

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Saw President, Hostages

KMHS Student's Views On D.C. Experience

Ed. Note - Dennis Caveny, KMSHS senior, is back from a week attending the annual Presidential Classroom in Washington, D.C. The Herald reprints today his impressions of that trip.

By DENNIS CAVENY
Special To The Herald

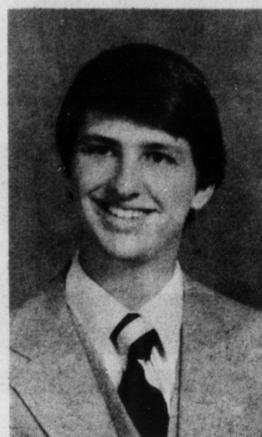
The excitement began as soon as I boarded the plane in Charlotte. The wife of ex-hostage, Richard Belk, from Columbia, S.C., was on my flight. I was hoping the newly-freed hostages would come to Washington the week I would be there and seeing her confirmed my hopes.

Upon arriving at the Washington National Airport, I was met by a Presidential Classroom representative and led to the main lobby where about fifty students were signing in. After proceeding to the hotel we were given our room assignments. There, I met my roommates who were from Arizona, Indiana and Maine. After talking to them about their schools and friends, I realized that young people from all over the country are generally the same except for regional accents of which I was frequently kidded. I didn't even know I had one!

As a member of the first class of 1981, I was fortunate in many ways. One was that cameramen would be filming our activities to be made into a film to be distributed to high schools. For example on Sunday, several of us went on a tour of religious centers and the cameramen followed along filming our reactions to the different religious services. Also, on Sunday we were allowed three hours to explore the Smithsonian Museums. Later we visited such attractions as the Jefferson and Lincoln Memorials.

On Monday, we attended several seminars and revisited the Smithsonian. Also, discussion groups were held and students stated their opinions on several important issues.

Tuesday wasn't only an extremely interesting day but historical as well. After a couple of seminars and a visit to our congressman, we were most fortunate in getting to see the hostage motorcade which proceeded down Pennsylvania Avenue. Never in my life have I seen and felt so much patriotism. As the buses with the ex-hostages and their families passed, I was surprised to recognize several of them that I had seen on television. That night we were treated to an extraordinary fireworks display beside the Washington Monument. After



DENNIS CAVENY

returning to the hotel, we attended the best seminar of the week. The Ambassador of New Zealand, His Excellency Thomas Francis Gill, spoke about his country and its relationship to the United States. This was really a day to remember.

The next day was filled with seminars and in the evening we went to the Hayloft Dinner Theater in Manassas, Virginia, where Neil Simon's "Chapter Two" was being produced.

Thursday began with a seminar and another trip to Capitol Hill. In the evening we went to the Central Intelligence Agency where we viewed an excellent slide show presentation on the CIA's activities. After leaving, we went on a beautiful night tour of Washington.

On Friday the morning was filled with seminars, but at noon our individual groups were free to go anywhere in the Washington area. Our group visited the Washington Monument and from the top we saw the Presidential helicopter land on the south lawn of the White House and the President and several of his aides boarded. We later learned he was going on his first trip to Camp David. Late in the afternoon the groups met at Arlington Cemetery for a special wreath-laying ceremony. In the evening a banquet and dance were held at the hotel. After the graduation ceremony everyone said their final goodbyes to their many new friends. This was the end of a hectic but memorable week.

One of the most important things I learned while in Washington was that I personally knew very little about the way our government is run. All of the students I met said that in their schools a government class is required in order to graduate. Many said their classes are divided into a mock congress and important issues and bills are discussed. I think a class like this would be beneficial to our school, and maybe it would increase the student's knowledge of how our government works and how they can effectively state their opinions and ideas.

I would like to convey my thanks to the School Board for allowing me to be one of Kings Mountain Senior High's representatives of Presidential Classroom. It was a learning experience I'll never forget.

Rev. Stephens New Pastor At Central Methodist Church

Rev. Ivan A. Stephens assumed new duties Feb. 1 as pastor of

Central United Methodist Church.

He and Mrs. Stephens, the former Marie Moore, have occupied the Methodist parsonage on East Mountain St. The family also includes a daughter, Mrs. Pamela Sue Burns of Charlotte, and a son, David I. Stephens of Chapel Hill.

Rev. Mr. Stephens comes to Kings Mountain from Greensboro where he served the Glenwood Methodist Church for five and one half years. Other pastorates have been at St. Paul in Charlotte, four years; Muir's Chapel in Greensboro District, four years; Archdale in High Point District, four years; Kilgo at Charlotte for five years and Bethesda at West Cramerton in Gastonia District for five years.



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Reservations Are Needed For Banquet

Members of the Kings Mountain Chamber of Commerce and their employees are reminded to reserve tickets for the annual banquet by Friday by calling 739-5051.

The banquet will be held Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the Holiday Inn.

Dr. Stan Hardin of Shelby, a singer, impressionist, guitarist and actor, will provide the entertainment. Dr. Hardin has performed with stars such as Carl Perkins, George Hamilton IV, Jerry Lee Lewis, Conway Twitty, Jerry Van Dyke, Robert Fuller, Donna Douglas, Mamie Van Doren, Tommy Noonan, Johnny Cash, David Allen Coe, Don Red Barry and the late Elvis Presley's fiancée, Ginger Alden.

Tickets are \$7.50 each.



DR. STAN HARDIN