



Photo by Gary Stewart

**FIGHTING FIRE** - Kings Mountain fireman Bobby King helps extinguish a field fire near Frederickson Motor Lines Sunday afternoon. The fire threatened several businesses but was brought under control quickly by the Kings Mountain and Bethlehem volunteer units.

## Property Damages High

Property damages were high in six traffic accidents which occurred in the city during the past several days.

A 1979 Ford truck and a 1981 Toyota collided at the intersection of Cleveland Ave. and Linwood Road, totaling the Toyota, which was operated by Goldie

Byers Jr., estimated damages at \$8500. The Byers Toyota was attempting to make a left turn onto Cleveland Ave. when it was struck by a 1979 Ford Truck, operated by David B. Herring Jr., traveling north on Cleveland Ave. Ptl. G.E. Sale investigated for KMPD.

Ptl. Dorothy Howell charged Larry C. Beasley of Route 3, operating a 1981 Chevrolet, with failure to reduce speed after a "rear end collision" at a stop sign and involving a 1972 Ford operated by Linda Green Allmond. The Ford was damaged \$200. There were no damages to the Beasley vehicle.

Brenda B. Carnes, of 707 Landing St., told investigating Ptl. Raymond Garris that brakes on her 1970 Chrysler failed and her car struck a 1973 Mazda SW operated by Arletha P. Mason, of 217 Katherine Ave., doing approximately \$150 damage. Both cars were attempting left turns onto Cleveland Ave.

Cars operated by Lisa A. Boles, of Route 3, and Jeff Arrowood of Yarbro Rd. collided in the parking lot of Kings Mountain Senior High School. Arrowood said he was pulling from a parking space when the 1971 Pontiac operated by Miss Boles attempted to pass him. Damages to the Arrowood 1979 Ford were estimated at \$250. Damages to the Boles Pontiac were \$100. Ptl. James Camp investigated for KMPD.

Harry D. Lawson, of 1240 Second St., told investigating Sgt. John Belk that the right front tire of his 1974 VW blew out and caused his vehicle to hit a utility pole. Damages to the car were estimated at \$1400.

A parked 1971 Ford SW rolled from a parking space at Harris-Teeter Super Market and into a 1977 Dodge owned by Arvil L. Bursleson, of Route 1. Damages were estimated at \$300 to the Bursleson car and \$100 to the 1971 Ford SW owned by Helen Smith Jefferies of 215 Paris Dr. Ptl. Mike Sanders investigated for KMPD.

### M-A Alumni Plan Reunion

Montreat-Anderson alumni in the Charlotte area will hold a luncheon-reunion Sat., Mar. 28th, at noon at Williams Memorial Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall, 4700 Betties Ford Road, Charlotte.

Area alumni should send reservations for lunch and \$3.50 to Mrs. Frances Bridges Wilson, Route 2, Bessemer City, N.C. 28016.

Guest speaker for the event will be Miss Elizabeth Wilson, retired Dean of Students at Montreat College.

### Pvt. Manning In Training

Army Private 1 Timothy S. Manning, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cornell Manning of Route 2, Groer, is attending basic training at Fort Knox, Ky.

During the training, students receive instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

## Jeff Lineberger Earns Scholarship To N.C. State

Jeffrey Glenn Lineberger, a senior at Kings Mountain Senior High School, has been awarded a John T. Caldwell Scholarship for study at North Carolina State University during the 1981-82 academic year.

The scholarship, funded by the NCSU Alumni Association, is valued at \$3,000 a year and is renewable up to four years.

Lineberger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold R. Lineberger of Route 1, Kings Mountain, plans to enter the School of Engineering.

He was chosen for the honor on the basis of academic achievement, leadership potential, citizenship and intellectual promise. He was one of eight students selected from a field of 69 finalists for the honor.

The NCSU Alumni Association established the merit scholars program in 1975 in honor of Dr. John T. Caldwell, chancellor of NCSU from 1959 to 1975. The Association increased the number of scholarships for next year from four to eight and the amount of the stipend from \$1,500 annually to \$3,000.

Alumni Association President S. Scott Ferebee Jr. commented, "NCSU is experiencing a tremendous growth in the number of students who want to study here, and an increasing number of the applicants are top students. Our association wants to do everything it can to help provide these talented students the opportunities they seek here."

### Baptists To Show Film Here

The true-life story of Corrie ten Boom, a former Nazi prisoner, will be presented through the motion picture, "The Hiding Place," on Sunday at 6:30 p.m. at Second Baptist Church.

This remarkable story of tragedy and victory shares the experiences of a family who was willing to risk all for others. The ten Booms became involved in the Dutch Underground during the German occupation of World War II by hiding Jews in a secret room built in their house, thereby abiding them in their escape from the Nazis. As a result of a raid by soldiers, Corrie's family was taken prisoner and Corrie was sent to the dreaded concentration camp, "Ravensbruck."

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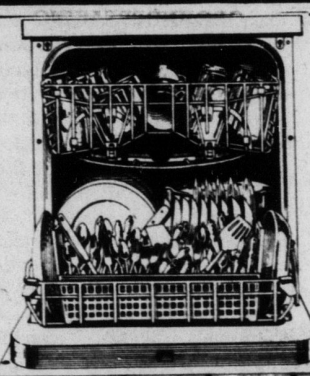
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**PROCLAMATION** - Mayor John Henry Moss signs proclamation declaring March 23-28 as Kings Mountain-St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Days in Kings Mountain as Ronnie Hawkins, publicity chairman for the KM Fire Department-sponsored Wheel-A-Thon, looks on.

## Democrats To Caucus

Democrats from Cleveland County will caucus at their precinct polling places on Thursday, March 26, at 8 p.m., Joyce Cashin, Chairman of the county Democratic Party announced today. Any registered Democrat is eligible to attend.

"These precinct meetings represent grass-roots democracy in action," Mrs. Cashin said. "Democrats all over North Carolina will be gathering to elect delegates to their county Democratic convention and to discuss and pass resolutions on issues that concern them."

### Garden Club Workshop Held

Mrs. John R. Holt, accredited flower show judge of Charlotte, conducted a workshop in floral arrangements for the Kings Mountain Garden Club Wednesday.

Two sessions, open to the public, were held from 3 until 5 p.m. and from 7 until 9 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of Central United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Cashin stressed that the Democratic Party is seeking broad participation in its meetings at both the precinct and county level. "It is our goal to organize every precinct in the county to continue to build on this strength at the County Convention. We urge all Democrats to attend these meetings and to show their interests in good government."

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

THIS IS A NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC THAT THE CITY OF KINGS MOUNTAIN WILL HOLD PUBLIC HEARINGS ON MARCH 9, 1981 AND MARCH 23, 1981 AT 7:30 P.M. AT THE NEW GOVERNMENTAL SERVICES FACILITIES CENTER (CITY HALL).

THE PURPOSE OF THIS MEETING IS TO CONSIDER A COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AMENDMENT TO INCLUDE SURPLUS URBAN RENEWAL FUNDS FROM NCR-84 AND NCR-96 PROJECTS.

CITIZENS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THESE PUBLIC HEARINGS AND EXPRESS THEIR VIEW TOWARD THIS PROPOSED AMENDMENT AND TO SUBMIT PROPOSALS OR IDEAS FOR ELIGIBLE PROJECTS.