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## SCOUTS TAKE FIELD HONORS FROM LIONS

Legion Celebrates Fourth With Field Day Event In Morning, and Baseball and Indian Ball Games In Afternoon

The Boy Scouts walked away with first honors in all events but one in Thursday's field day events with the Lions Club, scoring a total of 81 points to 17 for the Lions.

For the Lions, J. W. Davidson scored first honors in the running broad jump event, and Roy Steele tied Don Gentry for first honors in chinning the pole.

The celebration of the Fourth by the American Legion was a huge success, a field day event being staged in the morning between the Boy Scouts and Murphy Lions, and a game of baseball in the afternoon between an Indian team from Yellow Hill, followed by an Indian ball game as played before the white man came into this territory.

The field day events and results follow:

Chinning the pole: Lion Steele and Scout Gentry tied for first place, 18 times each. Buster Bayless second, and V. M. Johnson 3rd. Points, Lions 4, Scouts 8.

Running high jump: Scout Lyle Martin 1st, Lions Steele 2nd and Don Gentry 3rd. Points, Lions 3, Scouts 6.

Standing high jump: Scouts won all three and total of 15 points.

Standing broad jump: Scout Lyle Martin 1st, Bill Bayless 2nd, Lyle J. W. Davidson 3rd. Lions 1, Scouts 4.

Burning broad jump: Lion Davidson 1st, Scout Martin 2nd and Scout James Mallonee 3rd. Points, Lions 5, Scouts 4.

Sling throwing: Scout Marshall Bell 1st, Buster Bayless 2nd, Lion Steele 3rd. Points, Lions 1, Scouts 8.

One hundred yard dash: Scout Martin 1st, Buster Bayless 2nd, Lion R. W. Gray 3rd. Points, Lions 1, Scouts 5.

Half mile race: Scouts won all points on this race, as follows: Harry Robinson, 1st; Horace McClelland 2nd; Jerry Davidson Jr., 3rd. Points, Lions 6, Scouts 9.

Horseshoe pitching: Scouts John Davison and John Bayless and Lions J. L. Steele and C. W. Bailey. Scouts won by score of 23 to 12. Points, Lions 6, Scouts 5.

The total points won by the Scouts was 81 to 17 for the Lions.

The baseball game between Murphy and the Indian team from Yellow Hill, on the 3rd inning stood 4 to 2 in favor of Murphy, and the game was at one sided that it was called off to allow the Indians to engage in a real Indian game.

**POULTRY PRICES**

The following prices will be paid for poultry at our, Murphy, N. C., Tuesday, July 16th, by the Farmers Federation by the arrangement of the Smoky Mountain Mutual Exchange:

Hens, heavy breeds, 16c  
Hens, light breeds, 14c  
Broilers, hens, 14c, 16c  
Broilers, light breeds, 16c  
Cocks, 16c  
Ducks, 16c  
Eggs, dozen

Cases furnished Farmers and kept loaded at our.

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## ARRIVALS AT THE REGAL HOTEL

Rattle Snake Sam of New Mexico; W. E. Griffith of Oliver Springs, Tenn.; R. D. Maiden of Bristol, Va.; E. L. Pirie of Baton Rouge, La.; Mrs. James Pirie, Misses J. R. Duvall, E. L. Pirie of Baton Rouge, La.; Dr. J. O. Nichols of Etowah, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Lewis of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Hill of Madison, W. Va.; C. O. Massie of Bridgeport, Ala.; W. T. Usey of Cola, S. C.; C. W. Gark and family of Atlanta, Ga.; Jim Allen of Lexington, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Fuller, Capt. and Mrs. F. S. Webster of St. Petersburg, Fla., are at the hotel for the summer.

Editor Scout.

After three years of almost constant pleading with government road officials, I have succeeded in getting the Government Forest officials to promise help in completing the ungraded link on the Joe Brown Highway in Beaverdam Township.

I made a trip to Athens and Knoxville last week to take this matter up with Mr. Jack B. Haile, superintendent of roads for the forest service, after stating to Mr. Haile that there were no construction funds whatever available for this project, and a very small amount of maintenance money allocated to Beaverdam Township, he stated that if the people of Cherokee County would show their interest in this road by personal donations of money or work, he would furnish road machinery, powder, etc., commissioners and men to run this machinery in helping to complete this ungraded link, also that he would try to get some financial aid from the government to be used on this road.

I think that every person realizes that this is a very important road back to North Carolina and Tennessee and if it takes a personal sacrifice to get this road completed it will be money well spent, for it is an evident fact that the state will not take over this road until it is put on a grade.

The road commissioners of Tennessee have set aside ten thousand dollars to be used on the road leading from Tellico Plains, to the top of Unicoi Mountain when the people of Unicoi County put their end of the road in better condition.

There is being a paper circulated to give the people a chance to help in this worthy cause by contributing some money or work and while the government is offering aid now is the time for every one interested in this road to come to its rescue and put it over the top. One old farmer has contributed \$100.00. Surely the business men of this county will want to complete this badly needed road.

W. E. MARTIN

June 25, 1929.

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The people of Beaverdam Township and the whole lower end of the county when the road known as the Beaverdam route traverses certainly need a good road and a better road to Tennessee and any place whereever a better road can be procured. The Scout is for all.

We wish Mr. Martin all success in his new plan of securing a better condition of this road and the opening of it up to Tennessee in a better and more travelable condition, and stand ready and willing at all times to co-operate in his promotion, and Mr. Martin and any other citizen of Beaverdam Township and the entire county, for that matter, will find the columns of this paper always open and a willing servant in the promotion of anything that tends to better

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## A. M. SIMMONDS RESIGNS; AXLEY IS APPOINTED

### EXTRACTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEETING, JULY 1ST AND 2ND

The Board of Commissioners of Cherokee County met in regular session Monday July 1, 1929, all members being present. J. W. S. Davis, chairman; J. W. Martin and T. D. Hickey, and proceeded to transact business.

#### Simonds' Resignation

Murphy, N. C., June 4th, 1929.  
To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners:

I herewith tender my resignation to take effect the 1st day of July 1929. May I say here that my association with the present Board and also with your predecessor has been very pleasant indeed. I appreciate the operation given me by the Board and I have served the public while here to the best of my ability and for no other reason and I resigning other than that my personal condition will not permit the services which longer I render.

#### Very truly yours,

J. M. SIMMONDS  
Whereas, J. M. Simonds has tendered to the Board his resignation as county auditor after having served in this capacity since his office was established by law and his resignation having heretofore been respectfully accepted, and having the desire of the Board to have appointed a successor as to whom appropriate of his services as such officer.

Therefore, be it resolved, as follows, as ordered by the Board of Commissioners of Cherokee County, that it is the desire of this Board that Mr. Simonds be made a capable, efficient and honest public servant whose services in the financial affairs of this county deserve the commendation of the tax paying citizens and the success of the county he has served, and that this resolution be signed and the same filed.

Xenia, N. C., July 2, 1929.  
At a regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners held on the first and second days of July 1929, the following resolution was passed:

That it pursuant to Chapter 27, Section 21, of the Public Health Laws of the State of Ohio, 1928, the Board of County Commissioners of Cherokee County, do and hereby do hereby resolve to accept the resignation of J. M. Simonds, Auditor of Cherokee County.

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## AGED CITIZEN OF NOTLA TP. DIED SUNDAY

### UNCLE SAMMY ELLIOTT LAID TO REST IN BELLEVUE CEMETERY MONDAY

Uncle Sammy Elliott, 80 years old and a Confederate veteran, died Sunday morning at his home in Notla Township after an illness of short duration. He was well known over the county and had been sick only a short time.

During the Civil War he served with distinction in an artillery company, and was in numerous battles. He was a faithful member of the Baptist Church at Ranger for more than three quarters of a century.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at 10 o'clock at the Bellevue church, conducted by Rev. F. M. Summers, and interment was in the cemetery.

He is survived by seven sons, John Henry, Ed. Berry, Fred, Luther, Isaac and Edward, and three daughters, Miss Margaret Elliott, Mrs. Rhoda Brown and Mrs. Anna Rogers.

## Haney Installs New Outfit In Shoe Shop

J. C. Haney, popular reporter of Murphy, who owns and operates his business under the name of the Tilton Electric Shoe Shop, has installed a complete new outfit of shoe repairing machinery, and says he is now able to handle the two greatest problems customer service.

The equipment he has installed is in newest style of Champion shop repairing machinery, including a new Champion Feeding Shoeing machine and a Champion Cleaning Machine.

Mr. Haney is proud of the new equipment and serves his friends and customers as well as ever.

A SEARCH FOR MEN

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A man who is used to emergencies.

A man who likes to work.

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