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Scouters at Columbia

It will take several installments to tell you about the many good things at the annual meeting of Region Six of the American Boy Scouts held in Columbia, S. C., on Wednesday. Scout leaders from Florida, Georgia, South Carolina and North Carolina travelled hundreds of miles to study better methods of extending the Boy Scout movement to every boy who wants to be a Boy Scout. Polk county and the Piedmont Council are well known to Scouters in these four states of the Region. Nelson Jackson, Jr., of Tryon was re-elected vice-president of the Region. At the banquet table on my right was a Scout executive from Bradenton, Fla., who is the superintendent of the Sunday school where Dr. John Brittan Clark has been preaching a series of sermons. At my left was a former newspaper man from Alabama who is now Scout Executive at West Point, Ga. In front of me was a Scouter from Newberry, S. C., who stated that M. B. Caldwell, now of Tryon, was the first Eagle Scout at Newberry. Men interested in character building were there from Miami to the North Carolina East Coast to the Chattahoochee River in Georgia. It was an inspiring convention and we hope it will mean a lot to Polk county. The editor had the pleasure of making this trip and will publish notes from time to time.

Six Marines dies in 5-inch gun explosion on battleship Wyoming. Ten more injured in Pacific blast during practice. Captain Edward J. Trumble one of those who lose life.

Control of Madison Sought by Democrats

Raleigh, Feb. 17. — Legislation enabling the Democrats to get and keep control of the Republican county of Madison was offered in the lower house on Wednesday by Democratic Representatives D. F. Giles, of McDowell, Thomas J. McDowell of Polk, and C. W. Taten of Tyrrell.

The bill, introduced by these men at the request of the Democratic organization of Madison, increases the present board of commissioners now composed of three Republicans, to seven members by the addition of four Democrats: F. E. Freeman, D. G. Church, W. J. Teague and George Bruce.

Ties Record

Lincoln C. Brigham who recently came to Tryon from Arizona, tied the Tryon golf course record on Thursday when he shot a score of 38, tying the score held by Larry Brooks and Edward Sayre. Mr. Brigham missed a ten foot putt for a 37.

Basketball Tonight

Tonight beginning at 6:30 there will be three basketball games with the Green's Creek teams. The midgets play first, followed by the girls at 7:30 and the boys ending up at 8:30. All three games will be interesting and close.

Referee—(Eargle).

Umpire—(Glover).