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95th Birthday

Henry D. Thompson of Green Creek celebrated his 95th birthday on Wednesday, July 4. A luncheon was given in his honor on Sunday, July 1 at the Fellowship Hall at Beulah Baptist Church.

He was born July 4, 1895 and was married to the late Johnnie Sue Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson had 5 children, 19 grandchildren, 39 great-grandchildren and 11 great-great-grandchildren.

New Arrival

James and Sandra (Campbell) Barton of Landrum are parents of a son, Matthew Glenn, born June 27th at Allen Bennett Hospital in Greer. He weighed 7 lbs. 3/4 oz.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carol McAbee of Columbus and Charles Campbell of Landrum.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barton of Crumpler, W. Va.

Maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Myrtle Pace of Tryon. The paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Violet Jones of Princeton, W. Va.

SASY Program Postponed

The SASY '90 exhibition and entertainment has been postponed until Friday July 13 at 6:30 p.m. in the Mural Room at the Fine Arts Center.



Peterson's Capture Red Fox Holiday Event

Sally and Harry Peterson fired a few explosives for a four over par 76 to win the low gross honor in the mixed couples Scotch Twosome at Red Fox, on July 4th.

The tournament was played under the "Chapman Format," according to Jack Leon, committee chairman.

Helen and Fred Ellis won first low net with a 57, followed by Sally and Buford Bowen with a 60. Third low net was a 61 by Art and Mimi Fisher. Bob and Wanda Veh took fourth with a 62 and Marge Reeves and Harold Eggert were fifth with 64.

MGA chairman Leon reminds all men golfers of the "Pro-Am" scheduled for July 14. Sign-up can be done by telephone and in the pro shop.

TWGA Winners

The winners of Flag Day of Tryon Country Club July 3, were: Willa Reed, Cathryn Helmstetter, Lucille Housh, Dot Cleveland, Mary Irons.

July 10th will be "Better Ball of Partner", longest drive on No. seven by flights.

WNC Alliance To Study Highway

The WNC Alliance has formally organized a Highway Task Force. The new task force will examine the issues around impacts of highway building in western North Carolina. The first specific issue that the task force has identified is the proposed I-26 extension (Corridor) from Asheville to its connection with I-81 in Tennessee. This will traverse Madison and Buncombe counties.

The task force's effort will include research on the social, economic, and environmental impacts on the local communities that will be affected by the proposed interstate. West Asheville and Leicester will be affected by the proposed four-lane connection from Woodfin to the present junction of I-26 and I-40. Madison County communities will also be affected.

Task force members have grave concerns about the proposed interstate. They intend to educate themselves and hope to involve the public directly in commenting on the probable impacts. There are also concerns that the Department of Transportation more thoroughly involve the public in the decision-making process.

Ed Hardin and Chip Smith are co-chairs, and Rusty Sivils is the Secretary of the new task force. — Reporter

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