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METHODISTS WILL BUILD \$150,000 CHURCH UNDER DOUBLE UNIT PLAN

Members of First Methodist Church Here Voted Sunday to Erect Handsome Structure on Site of Present Building.

That a new Methodist church costing approximately \$150,000 be built, and that this church be a double unit building, modeled after the new Centenary church, Chattanooga, Tenn., was the decision reached last Tuesday at a meeting of the building committee for the new Hendersonville M. E. church, South, and by the church congregation at the past Sunday morning service.

Church leaders announce that these plans will not mature to the point of placing materials on the ground before next spring, but state that work incident to excavating and otherwise clearing the grounds will begin in the near future. Several graves, which are now on the church property, will be removed to the cemetery. For these purposes the Sunday school and members of the church are organized for a special Easter offering April 16.

The entire service Sunday morning was used in considering the new church plans and in passing resolutions for the progress of the work. Brief speeches were made by several leaders of the church, who explained the necessity of building a new church and boosted the idea of building one which will be for years a credit to Hendersonville.

C. E. Brooks stated that the Methodists have outgrown the old church building, which was erected thirty years ago, and declared that they would be able to finance the new proposition if they would all pull together. F. S. Wetmur was an enthusiastic advocate of the double unit idea of having a building for worship and a building for education and social purposes. He was a convert, he declared, to this plan after he saw how excellent and practicable it was working in St. Petersburg, Fla., where he only recently visited. C. F. Bland lauded the new church plan, and especially the provision for the education and social life of the young people. He referred to Hendersonville as an education center, around which boys' and girls' schools have been built and in which other schools will be built. Mrs. L. M. Colt stated that the first consideration of the newcomer to this city was the church, which he investigated to find if it were sufficiently emphasized. She declared herself in favor of the double unit plan as a means of providing proper social activities for her boys and the children of her neighbors.

A. W. Honeycutt declared that the church should provide not only well organized activities for young people on Sunday but should also provide them with educational and recreational features during the days of the week.

The resolutions passed by the building committee Tuesday were as follows:

Resolved 1st: That it is the sense of this building committee that the proposed new church to be built by the Hendersonville M. E. Church, South, as soon as plans can be agreed upon, and the funds secured, be a double unit church, modeled after the new Centenary church, Chattanooga, Tenn., and that we undertake to build a church costing approximately \$150,000.

Resolved 2nd: That we ask the Quarterly conference of our church to file application to the general board of church extension for a donation of \$20,000, and to the conference board for a donation of \$5,000.

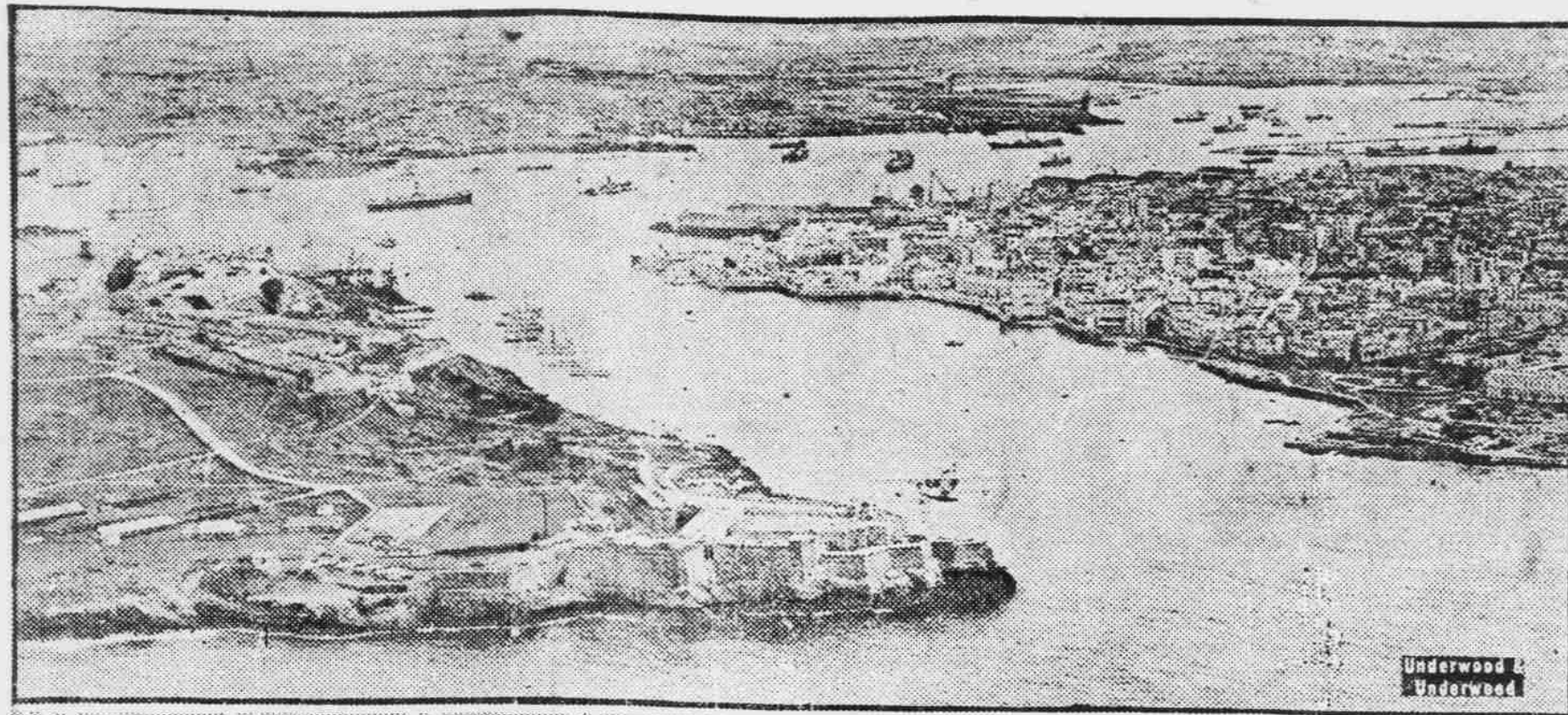
Resolved 3rd: That, in order to get our application in shape to present to these boards and receive their consideration during 1922, we ask the pastor to call a church conference on Sunday morning, March 5, at eleven o'clock, and request the church in this conference as a whole to pledge for the aforesaid enterprise \$100,000, the same to be secured in individual pledges at such time, and payable upon such terms as the building committee shall hereafter agree upon.

Pursuant to the above the church conference was held Sunday at the 11 o'clock hour, presided over by the pastor, Rev. Frank Siler. C. F. Bland, secretary of the church conference and secretary of the building committee, presented the resolutions and after brief remarks moved that they be adopted. The motion was seconded by Allen Rhodes. After discussion, the resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

Following the church conference the pastor, by permission of the presiding elder, Rev. W. H. Willis, called a special session of the quarterly conference at which the resignation of C. F. Bland as trustee was accepted and C. F. Bland, Jr., was elected in his place.

The conference adopted the second of the above resolutions, that applications be filed with the conference boards for aid in the building of the new church.

Going to Havana by Flying Boat Is Pleasant



Havana harbor, showing Morro castle on the left. An aero-marine flying boat is entering the harbor with C. E. Mitchell, P. G. Reckefeller and party.

YOUNG MEN POOL WORKING CAPITAL

ORGANIZE TO BUY AND BUILD HOMES IN HENDERSONVILLE

By Combining Capital Young Men Hope to Turn Real Estate in and Around City.

The Hendersonville Investment Co., composed of young men and a few ladies, has been organized for the purpose of pooling the resources of present and future business men and women of the community and dealing mainly in real estate in and around Hendersonville.

While the charter, for which application has been made, will authorize all kinds of financial transactions and developments, it is the purpose of the newly organized concern to deal mainly in real estate until it becomes better established. It will move conservatively and on a small scale as a beginning, but the young investors feel confident of cashing in on some of the profits incident to the real estate business of this community—by no means a small item of business.

The shareholders will be permitted to pay in their full subscription at one time, or an easy payment plan of \$10 a month will be provided. There will be no domineering of influence, hence all shareholders likely will be limited as to the number of shares purchased.

Building and loan stock will doubtless be subscribed for by the organization and the accumulation of funds will soon warrant an investment in real estate or in the erection of a house. Once this is turned to advantage other deals will follow until it is confidently believed that the influence of the organization will be felt greatly in this community.

Forty-six stockholders have subscribed for one or more shares. A purchasing committee will be on the alert to find something that will prove a bargain. This will be investigated and reported to the board of directors before a purchase is made.

The officers are: President, J. Foy Justice; vice president, Roy C. Bennett; secretary, A. R. Hanson; assistant secretary, A. F. Barber.

A campaign for subscribers will be waged. Subscribers to date are as follows: J. Foy Justice, Roy C. Bennett, Noah Hollowell, Bruce Drysdale, A. F. Barber, J. E. Mitchell, M. L. Walker, A. R. Hanson, Kenneth Bess, E. J. Anders, Glover P. Jones, S. M. Bailey, J. R. Ward, Allison & Pace, P. L. Wright, Roone Arledge, Harry Dinkins, Mrs. H. W. Waters, Miss Miriam Holland, Chester Glenn, A. L. Edwards, A. T. Dixon, J. O. Waldrop, Guy F. Jordan, Jean Williams, James Duff, L. F. Walden, J. Manning Morris, Blaine Jackson, S. Maxwell, A. Rubenstein, G. L. Anders, G. R. McLean, T. D. McCall, Garland Jackson, Leude Richardson, Tom Wright Keith, Dr. R. C. Sample, E. E. Lott, Paul L. Dermid, B. L. Foster, T. D. Ward, Mrs. R. C. Bennett.

P. L. Wright is given credit for the idea, which he borrowed from Winston-Salem, where such an organization has become a tower of strength in the upbuilding of the community.

RECORD MEETING OF PARENTS AND TEACHERS HELD

Over 100 Attended Enthusiastic Meeting Last Night of the Parent-Teacher Association.

"In the number attending and in the interest manifested and in every way, the meeting last night of the Parent-Teacher Association was one of the best to date," was the declaration of Mrs. Broadus Estes, President of the organization. Mrs. Estes said that the leaders of this Association were greatly encouraged over the increased attendance of parents, and are hopeful that even a larger percentage of them will attend in the future.

The high school auditorium was crowded, fully one hundred parents and teachers being present. The feature of the meeting was a paper on the "Movies" by Mrs. Mabel Baughman which was highly interesting and il-

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EYE, EAR, NOSE SPECIALIST WILL LOCATE IN CITY

Board of Trade Brings Dr. Henderson and Family from Richmond to Make Home Here.

Dr. Henderson, an eye, ear and nose specialist of Richmond, Va., has decided to locate here for the practice of his profession in Hendersonville. The specialist was brought to the city through correspondence with the Board of Trade. Correspondence was followed by a visit during the weekend. He decided to locate here and is arranging for an office and a home. He has a wife and six children and they will move to Hendersonville at an early date.

The character of Dr. Henderson's profession is something unusual for Hendersonville, where he believes there will be a good field for his skilled services. He has practiced his profession for 16 years.

THURSDAY WAS RED LETTER DAY HERE

SOVEREIGN WOODMEN COMMITTEE WAS BROUGHT TO CITY

Visit of Leaders of Secret Order May Mean Establishment of National Sanatorium.

Thursday of last week was a red letter day for Hendersonville, according to the verdict of a large number of her citizens, particularly those belonging to the fraternal order of the Woodmen of the World. On that day a party of leading citizens, led by patriotic Woodmen, journeyed forth in a driving rain to Asheville, achieved the capture of the sovereign Woodmen committee who were about to decide to return to their several homes in the west on account of the wet, dreary, gloom-producing weather; brought them to this city for an elaborate community banquet planned for that night; and gained the promise of Sovereign Commander W. A. Fraser to come to Hendersonville in May and bring with him the entire executive committee of seventeen members of the W. O. W. order, who will be empowered to select and buy a site for the location of the proposed million-dollar sanatorium.

That is the story in brief, but many details connected with this occasion will make it an interesting chapter in the history of this city and county, especially if the big hospital, involving the expenditure of vast sums of money in building, up-keep, and so forth, is planted here.

The committee of sovereign officers arrived Sunday, February 26, in Asheville, where they were shown several sites for the proposed sanatorium. Their plans included visits also to Old Fort and Saluda before coming to Hendersonville Thursday, but the continued bad weather of the first of the week caused them by Thursday to postpone any further examination of sites until later in the season.

The local lodge, and not only the lodge, but many of the leading citizens of the community, had been busy, in the meantime, preparing to entertain the sovereign officers and show them the most desirable sites in this vicinity. The committee appointed to look after the sites had selected out of a large number, nine sites near Hendersonville, which they were prepared to show the national committee. And they had planned, moreover, a rousing community banquet as an "opener" for them.

When several cars, loaded with Hendersonville "promoters", went, therefore, to Asheville Thursday morning to meet their guests, they would not listen to a refusal, and succeeded in getting them here for the reception. Furthermore, they secured a definite promise from Sovereign Commander Fraser that he and the full executive committee would make Hendersonville headquarters in May for the purpose of viewing sites and, probably selecting one on which to locate the big hospital.

John T. Wilkins was master of ceremonies Thursday night when

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BIG DOCKET FACES THIS TERM COURT

LARGE NUMBER OF WHISKEY CASES IN MARCH DOCKET

Much Accomplished in Opening Day of Criminal Court Yesterday; Judge Lane Presiding.

The March term of superior court for Henderson county opened yesterday morning with a full docket consisting of about 189 cases, the largest number of which are for bootlegging, with Judge Henry P. Lane, of Reidsville, presiding.

A crowded courthouse heard Judge Lane's charge to the grand jury, which was delivered in a calm, straightforward manner, as he sat in his chair. It was the usual stereotyped definition of organic law and the function of courts. An unusual twist was given, however, to the old saying, "all men are born equal," when the judge declared that all men are not born equal mentally and morally; but that regardless of this fact, and regardless of race or nationality, all must be treated alike by the law.

Little time was given to the expected "liquor" charge, but the different violations of the whiskey laws were covered thoroughly. Prior to Judge Lane's charge, a grand jury was chosen, and during yesterday several bills were returned. The following is the list of jurors chosen: J. R. Jackson, Pink Pruet, S. C. Ledbetter, B. W. Justus, C. D. Pruet, B. A. Merritt, C. D. Brackett, W. C. Waters, J. B. McCraw, A. B. Prestwood, H. L. Cagle, Eli Williams, W. P. Garren, S. E. Cairnes, J. R. Wood, A. W. Beddingfield, D. P. Rogers, M. L. Carland.

The jury list, as made out by the county commissioner in their February 6 meeting, is as follows:

First Week.
Eli Williams, A. W. Beddingfield, H. O. Hudson, H. B. Hawkins, G. E. Cairnes, M. L. Carland, W. E. Waters, J. Boling, J. T. Beddingfield, J. T. Redden, C. C. Westall, J. Carl Ward, J. W. Beddingfield, A. B. Prestwood, H. L. Cagle, D. P. Rogers, C. D. Pitillo, B. A. Merritt, W. P. Garren, John Saltz, H. M. Lance, Pink Pruet, E. J. Dalton, S. C. Ledbetter, T. E. Brockett, J. B. McCraw, A. M. Rhodes, J. W. Bailey, M. R. H. Bell, J. R. Jackson, D. P. Moss, H. W. Justus, O. B. Souther, J. A. Lanning, Jenkin M. Robinson.

Second Week.
B. B. Blackwell, G. W. Lance, V. V. Blankenship, J. M. Peace, P. G. Howard, M. W. Davis, V. V. Bagwell, R. W. McAbee, T. E. Waters, J. L. Jones, J. C. Sales, J. R. Barnwell, A. L. Beck, A. P. Brannon, J. D. Morris, Z. V. Kilpatrick, B. H. Hill, J. M. Williams.

Third Week.
J. A. Burckmyer, J. C. Gibbs, Johnson Bell, J. M. Nelson, J. J. Levi, J. W. Tankersley, H. C. Pace, W. E. Love, B. R. Cornwell, M. M. Brittain, R. H. Levi, B. B. Suttles, J. N. Russett, J. A. McCraw, M. Y. Pittillo, M. Mintz, Luther P. Kilpatrick, M. L. Hall.

"WAR MEMORIAL" THE CHIEF THEME WOMEN'S MEETING

Ladies of American Legion Auxiliary Working Out Concrete Plans for Memorial Building.

Much enthusiastic discussion was indulged in yesterday afternoon by the women of the American Legion Auxiliary concerning the proposed War Memorial building, during which concrete suggestions looking toward the purchase of a lot and getting assistance in the undertaking from summer tourists were offered. The meeting took place beginning at 3 o'clock at the American Legion halls, and was presided over by the president, Mrs. J. W. Williams. There was a good attendance.

Mrs. Williams and Mrs. William Lott will represent the Auxiliary at the general meeting of the city's organizations, called for the 14th, to discuss plans for the War Memorial building.

Every member yesterday was urged

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GOLDEN RULE SALE GIGANTIC SUCCESS

THOUSANDS OF BUYERS CROWD STORES OF HENDERSONVILLE

Merchants Highly Pleased at Response of Buying Public and Plan Bigger Sales.

Hendersonville's first Golden Rule Sale was a surprising success.

It exceeded the expectations of those who were most optimistic. All conditions were very favorable for the initial sale day under the plan adopted by the Advertising Club of Hendersonville. Court was in session, first Monday brought a number of people and the weather was all that could have been wished for. All these favorable circumstances resulted in the bringing of thousands of shoppers to Hendersonville.

The stores were crowded and reminded the casual observer of the rush incident to Christmas trade. Business was far better than it has been on any day since Christmas. The majority of the merchants are highly pleased and are already planning bigger things for the second Golden Rule Sale to be held on the first Monday in April.

BOARD OF TRADE OFFICE SOUGHT BY CHICAGO MAN

Willing to Base Position on Value of Services Rendered Without Contract.

The Board of Trade met in called session last night to consider the application of L. J. Penney for the secretaryship of the organization.

The employment of Mr. Penney was discussed in connection with the financial status of the Board of Trade. The body last night recommended the employment of Mr. Penney and referred the matter to the board of governors with power to act. The governors will meet tonight with membership volunteer workers to decide on the employment of a secretary and to plan a campaign for members for the present year.

Mr. Penney is a newspaper man from the Chicago American and in view of the fact that he wishes to come to this immediate section, he makes a proposition to work for \$200 a month without obligating the Board of Trade for more than 5 months at the time, feeling confident that he could fill the position permanently on the basis of services rendered.

BAPTIST SCHOOL FOR TEACHERS OPENS FAVORABLY

Seventy-five Students Enrolled Last Night in Carolina Training School For S. S. Teachers.

The Carolina Training School for Sunday School teachers opened in a most auspicious manner last night at the First Baptist church, under the leadership of Dr. E. E. Bomar, pastor, and Marion L. Walker, superintendent of the Sunday School.

Seventy-five people, representing six churches, were enrolled as students, besides a large number of visitors.

The school is being conducted by the following teachers: Rev. A. L. Stephens, Black Mountain, N. C.; Gold Sunday school worker for western North Carolina; Rev. W. S. Wotey, D. D., Muscogee, Okla., field secretary Baptist Sunday School Board, Southern Baptist convention; and Mrs. Lydia Yates Hilliard, Raleigh, N. C., elementary secretary Sunday school work.

The meetings will be held each evening this week until Friday, opening at 6 o'clock and closing at 9 o'clock. Lunch is served in the church during a recess from 7 to 7:30 o'clock. Text books on methods and general work in the Sunday school, and on soul winning are used for study.

Woodmen Will Meet In Interest Sanatorium

Every member of White Pine Camp, No. 213, Woodmen of the World, is urged to be present at the regular meeting Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock, March 9. Important business will be considered looking forward to visits in May from the Woodmen Sanatorium committee. Every business and professional man who is a member of the Woodmen of the World is urged to make no other engagement, as it is a matter of great importance to the city of Hendersonville, Henderson county, and western North Carolina, that they be present at this meeting.

White Pine lodge must give its hearty support and cooperation to secure the sanatorium.

JOHN T. WILKINS, Chairman
General Committee.

EXPERT WATCHMAKER ACCEPTS POSITION WITH L. SHERMAN

L. P. Strider, expert watch repairer and jeweler, has recently accepted a position with Sherman's Sporting Goods Store, which handles in addition to sporting goods, a complete line of watches and jewelry. Mr. Strider comes from Asheville, where he was railroad watch inspector; and will add materially to the local firm's efficiency and usefulness.