

Figures Worth Remembering

Summer is coming. The time has arrived when the dwellers in the warm lowlands are already looking forward with feelings of anxiety to the season of oppressive nights. The fierce heat of a summer day in the moisture-laden atmosphere of the lowlands is hard to bear; but the heat of a summer night is even more exhausting.

North, south, east and west of us, every summer, are nights when the thermometer does not at any hour drop below 77, and on such nights refreshing sleep seems like a dim remembrance of long past years. But here we find very different conditions. On the warmest night in Hendersonville last summer the thermometer went down to 65.

For purposes of comparison, we give the following table of temperatures on the warmest night last summer at the places named:

New York 76; Philadelphia 77; Chicago 78; Memphis 79; Atlanta 77; Hendersonville 65.

We commend these figures to the very careful consideration of all persons who are looking for a place to spend the summer.

10 Trains Local Daily Weather

Following are the times of departure from Hendersonville of passenger trains according to the summer schedule now in effect:

- No. 41, to Asheville, 6 a. m.
- No. 14, to Spartanburg, 8:05 a. m.
- No. 6, L. T. to Asheville, 8:05 a. m.
- No. 7, Asheville to L. T., 9:05 a. m.
- No. 9, to Asheville, 1 p. m.
- No. 5, Asheville to L. T., 4:50 p. m.
- No. 10, to Spartanburg, 5:15 p. m.
- No. 8, L. T. to Asheville, 5:15 p. m.
- No. 13, to Asheville, 8:15 p. m.
- No. 42, to Spartanburg, 9:50 p. m.

Date	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Sat. Max.	Precip'n	Wind	Character of Day
May 26	73	55	64	66	0.16	sw	ody
27	82	56	69	76		w	clr
28	81	59	70	68		w	clr
29	82	52	67	74		w	clr
30	88	53	68	67	0.05	w	pc
31	77	62	70	67	0.22	w	pc
June 1	84	57	70	72	0.06	w	clr
Max	84						Mean Min 56
Min	52						Mean 68
Mean Max.	80						Precip'n 0.49

Working for the District

Hon. John G. Grant arrived here Saturday morning and spent a day or two in town. To a representative of this paper he spoke interestingly of his efforts to promote the interests of the Tenth district. We have already published the text of three bills introduced by him carrying large appropriations for public works in this district, and he will make every effort to secure the enactment of these bills. The one which carries the largest appropriation is the bill providing for the erection and maintenance of a national sanitarium; and he says that he has enlisted in behalf of this measure the strong support of leading men from other states, notably Ohio. In addition to the bills which he has introduced, he is working on other projects for the benefit of this county and section; and while he is not anxious at present to give out any details for publication, he feels confident of procuring good results.

Mr. Grant is "on to his job." He is working hard in the interest of his constituents and is sparing no effort along that line. The district did well in sending him to Washington.

K. P. Convention

Hendersonville is taking pleasure in preparing to entertain the ninety-ninth annual convention of the grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias. The convention will meet here Tuesday evening, June 8, and will close Thursday morning, June 10.

Following is the program arranged:

Tuesday
8 p. m. at the court house, address of welcome by Rev. R. N. Willcox, response by J. C. Clifford; music by Hendersonville string band.
9:30 a. m., organization of grand lodge.

Wednesday
9:30 a. m., business session.
4 p. m., on the grounds of the Wheeler hotel, reception by the Hendersonville lodge to the grand lodge and visiting Knights; followed by parade of the D. O. K. K.

8 p. m., session of D. O. K. K., followed by banquet at Wheeler hotel.

Thursday
10 a. m., business session.

We feel sure that Hendersonville will like the K. P.'s and that the K. P.'s will like Hendersonville; and we hope that everybody will have a good time.

Railroad

E. B. Patterson, of Greenville, S. C., was in town Wednesday. Mr. Patterson is connected with the construction work of the Greenville and Knoxville railroad, and spoke interestingly of the progress which that road is making.

As our readers know, trains are already running between Greenville and Cleveland, the latter point being several miles this side of Marietta. Mr. Patterson says that the work of grading has been completed from Cleveland to Riverview at the foot of the mountain, and that construction work will be resumed shortly and pushed vigorously, and that the company has definitely decided to carry the road to McMinn's, (this side of Zirconia), where it will tap the Southern.

Although the course from Riverview to McMinn's includes an enormous rise, yet a route has been found without any steep grade. In fact, the grade will actually not be any steeper than between Greenville and Travelers' Rest, the maximum being less than 1-2 per cent. This will be a very big saving, as the grade on the Southern below Saluda is 6 per cent.

The "Old Time" Wagoners

Deals in Dirt

J. M. Lanning to William N. Hughes, lot near depot, \$600.

J. P. Case to U. G. Staton, lot on Fleming avenue, \$1,800.

A. M. Goodman to L. B. Robertson, 75 acres at Etowah, \$1,800.

W. A. Smith to Helen Grimes, lot on Academy and King streets, \$1,500.

J. P. Johnson to R. B. Qualls, land near Horse Shoe, \$50.

A. M. Gillam to S. S. Creasman land in Edneyville, \$96.

C. R. E. L. & D. Co. to T. M. Israel, lot on Crab Creek street, \$300.

C. W. Brown to Vinton Liddell, lot on S. Main and Willow streets, \$2,100.

F. E. Allison to Richard Allison, land on Shaw's Creek, \$200.

William A. Garland to J. A. Duncan, lot on Hyman Heights, \$460.

W. B. Reese to S. L. Reese, lot on Locust street, \$700.

Mrs. B. W. Carter to L. H. Howard, lot on Broad street, \$450.

The Times recently published an announcement of an "Old Time Wagoners Convention" to be held at Beulah church, Bowman's Bluff, July 3 and 4. S. B. Mace, on behalf of the committee which has charge of the arrangements for the convention, has sent us the names of the following topics and speakers in addition to those previously announced:

"Ways and means by which the farmers can most advantageously dispose of their crops."—A. Cannon, Samuel Sentell, J. P. Hyder. "The progress of the New South."—Richard Stephen Sentell.

Saturday, July 3, the Drake string band will furnish music for the occasion. Sunday, July 4, there will be an old-time singing led by our old friend, S. W. Hamilton, with Robert K. Orr as leader in modern music. It is expected that all wagoners will bring their utensils for camping on the ground Saturday night.

Mr. Mace feels safe in saying that the meeting will be unique in its attractiveness and will be of special interest to the farmers.

Death of Mrs. Ripley

The Times last week chronicled the serious illness of Mrs. Mary A. Ripley. She died at six a. m. Friday morning, May 28, passing away as gently as an infant sleeping.

Mrs. Ripley was born near Belfast Ireland, in county Down, December 7, 1828. Her father was James McMahon. When she was only three years of age her parents came to this country, locating at Columbia, S. C. In 1848 she married James B. Ewart, a well known lawyer of that city. After the death of Mr. Ewart in 1857 she became a resident of Hendersonville in 1862, and married Col. V. Ripley, a prominent citizen of this state. Mrs. Ripley was a woman of strong intellectuality, and in her earlier years was an authoress of considerable distinction. She was a regular contributor to many of the leading magazines and periodicals of her day. Perhaps her most valuable production was "Ellen Campbell or King's Mountain, a story of the Revolution of 1776." It was a prize story, and was contested for by many of the leading writers of the south. The description of the battle of King's Mountain in this story is one of the most graphic ever given of that famous engagement. It increased enormously the circulation of the paper in which it was published. When quite a young girl she became a member of the Presbyterian church, and all through her life was active in church work. She was a most lovable and sympathetic woman, and was greatly beloved in this community by all who knew her. In failing health for many years, she was at times a great sufferer, but always patient, and never complaining under her afflictions.

The funeral services were conducted by Dr. R. B. Grinnan at the residence Saturday morning, and in obedience to her wishes were of a most simple character. The reading of a part of the 15th chapter of Corinthians, and the singing of "Rock of Ages" and "Just as I Am," which she requested to be sung, terminated the services at the house. At the cemetery the beautiful hymn, "Abide with me," another of her selection was sung, and all that remained of this loved woman and devoted Christian was committed

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Telephone

This office has received information from Asheville, from a source which ought to be trustworthy, that the telephone people have definitely decided to install a new plant in Hendersonville and to have a really up-to-date outfit here. Manager Brown, at the local exchange, assures us that he knows nothing about it; but our informant tells us that the plans have been adopted and work will begin shortly. The need of the improvements indicated

above has long been apparent; it is known that the company has been doing a good deal of figuring along that line. Our Asheville informant is in a position to know which way the cat will jump, and we are sure that everybody here, the local management as well as the general public, will be very glad indeed if the men at headquarters will publicly announce a date for the much desired change.

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- 10c colored Lawns 5c
- 10c Embroidery Edging 5c
- 75c white Embroidered Waists
- 10c Laces and Insertings 5c
- 75c white Embroidered Skirts 50c
- 75c white Embroidered Gowns 50c
- 75c Misses wash Dresses 50c
- 75c Boys wash Suits 50c
- 75c Ladies R. & G. Corsets 50c
- 15c Ladies gauze Vests 10c
- 10c Ladies gauze Vests 5c
- 25c Ladies Lisle Gloves 10c
- 25c Ladies Lisle Hose 15c
- 10c Ladies Lace Hose 5c

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Mens Suits from \$3.98 up to \$13.98, Boys suits from 98c up, Knee Pants from 10c up, Mens pants from 69c on up. Also received a big shipment of single coats a regular 50c mens and ladies umbrella for 35c. A new line of Mens hats arrived this week from 48c on up.

Toilet Soap 1c. Fairbanks soap 2c. Octagon soap 4c. Gold dust 2c. Arm & Hammer Soda 3 for 10c.

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