

MANY CITIES WANT HOME

Columbia, Aiken and Charleston Cite Advantages Offered For Woodman Home.

After inspecting locations in Spartanburg and Saluda, the Imperial Council of the Woodman of the World returned to Hendersonville Saturday, seeming glad to get back. The council is composed of all the advisors and sovereign commanders from all sections of the United States, and it is the second time that it has made the tour of western North Carolina, coming here once before this year for the same purpose, that of selecting a location for the Woodman home.

The committee was joyfully received, both at Saluda and Spartanburg. They were escorted from the station at both places and shown the most favorable places offered for the erection of the great home. The Woodmen desire a tract of land in area about 200 or 500 acres. Two or three such tracts are under consideration at Saluda.

Although Saluda was promised careful consideration, no definite action incident to the location of the home was taken.

The Woodmen also stopped at Tryon and inspected sites there which might be used for the home.

There are many other places besides the western North Carolina cities that are bidding for the Woodmen home, and are making attractive propositions, too. According to South Carolina papers, business men of Columbia are offering a part of the old Camp Jackson tract of land as a site for the proposed home, claiming that the location in the sand hills among the pines will be particularly beneficial to tubercular patients. Charleston people are offering a tract near Summerville, about 25 miles from Charleston, while Aiken is offering another site, claiming that theirs would be an advantageous location on account of the healthfulness of the particular climate.

The Woodman committee will visit several more cities before making any definite decision regarding the location of the home. It is proposed that the Woodmen make a trip to Columbia and Charleston next Sunday and inspect the various sites offered there for the home, but it is not known definitely that they will make this trip at the present time.

LOCAL ATHLETES SHOW UP WELL

Clean Exhibitions at Gymnasium Create Much Enthusiasm.

Two wrestling matches and three boxing matches at the city gymnasium last night were well attended and worth while.

The program was begun by a battle royal between three colored boys that waxed fast and furious and was amusing at times.

The first wrestling match was between Nolan Faulkner, of Hendersonville and Hatcher, of G. M. A. Hatcher outweighed Faulkner by a number of pounds, but the bout was interesting nevertheless. Hatcher secured two out of three falls. Faulkner made the first round fast and kept Hatcher busy in that round. Holtzclaw, a Hendersonville boy and a Greenville wrestler, gave an interesting exhibition. Although the match was a draw, it is thought by many that it should go to Holtzclaw, as he took the offensive all the time, and tossed his heavy opponent over his head repeatedly.

The boxing events were begun by two fly weight pugilists Harold Ward and J. K. Gilreath, who waged a fast and furious combat, and promise to develop real ability. The bout, three rounds, was a draw. Jim Ward and Bill Guice stepped one round in which Guice injured a finger and was forced to stop. Graham Curry then bravely entered the ring and gave the prettiest exhibition of the evening, although he did not go the limit of his ability. Curry has quite a local reputation as a boxer, and fans are very anxious to see him matched with some one of his own class.

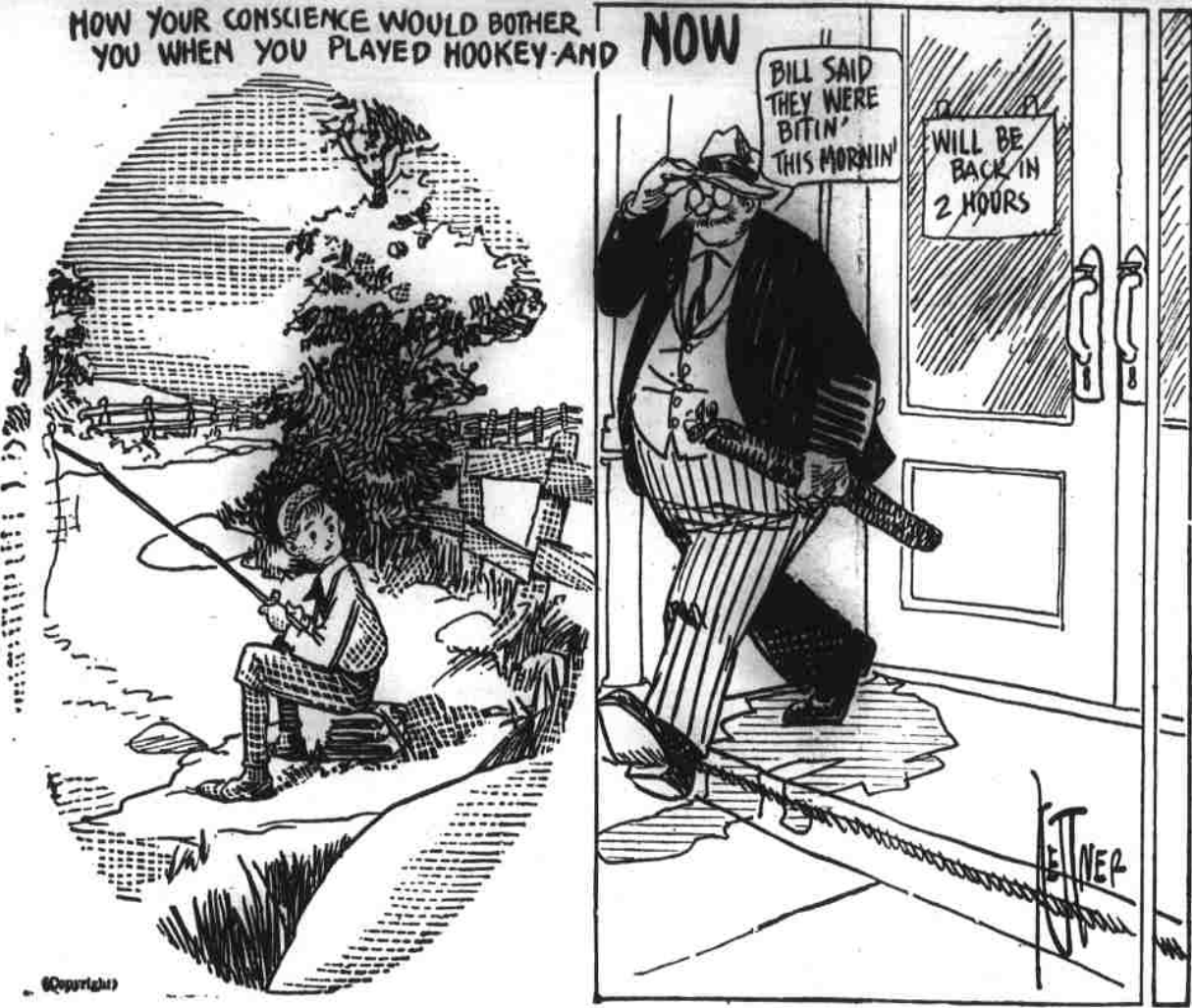
The last bout of the evening was probably the most interesting of them all. Young Fancher of G. M. A. stepped a three round bout with Gerald Buford, of Hendersonville, who outweighed him by 20 pounds. Fancher, shifty, quick and long-limbed, showed real ability against his heavier and stronger opponent and the match went to a draw. All of the events were refereed by Mr. Buford, of Buford's Book Store. He is much interested in promoting athletic activities among the young men and boys of the city and is giving a great deal of his time, very generously, to it.

The proceeds of the night, and all nights on which admittance is charged, go to the purchasing of equipment for the gymnasium.

It must be awful for this woman who speaks 17 different languages to keep a secret in all of them.

It takes a marriage license to get married on, and it also takes an auto license generally.

R'member



PLANS BEING MADE FOR NEW CHURCH

Will Model Building After Centenary Church in Knoxville.

Rev. A. J. Baylor, architectural secretary and chairman of the executive committee of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, was present at the meeting of the building committee of the First Methodist church of this city Friday. The members of the committee authorized the preliminary plans for the new church to be made.

It has been decided almost definitely that the new church will be modeled after the Centenary church, at Knoxville, Tenn., which is of the double unit plan that is desired for the Hendersonville church.

Dr. Baylor declared that the Methodists have an excellent site for the church. After the meeting, Dr. Baylor made a trip to Lake Junaluska, and then returned to his home in Nashville, where the plans for the church will be made.

The entire committee was present, and all were very enthusiastic concerning the building of the church. The committee is composed of C. E. S. Miller, C. F. Bland, F. S. Wetmur and Dr. Guy E. Dixon.

MEETING OF SPORTSMEN

New Members Elected to Izaak Walton League of America.

The Henderson county chapter of the Izaak Walton League of America met Monday night in the mayor's court room at the city hall.

The meeting was presided over by Ernest L. Ewbank, the president and routine business was transacted. Buttons and cards were furnished the members present.

Several gentlemen were elected members of the chapter at this meeting.

Attention was called to the League's magazine and each member was made a committee of one to solicit subscribers for the publication.

All members were urged to attend the meetings of the Chapter and assist with the business of the organization.

The Izaak Walton League is composed of gentlemen who wish to preserve good sportsmanship in the community and who have the interest of the wild game and fish in this section at heart. In their efforts to restock streams and encourage good sportsmanship they are doing their city and county an invaluable service.

TAG DAY NETS HOSPITAL \$231

The Hospital Association announces that by the united efforts of their young lady assistants on "Tag Day" the Association realized \$231.00. For this assistance from the young women, the help of the papers and for the generosity of the public the Association expresses sincere thanks. This money will be used in the general up-keep of the hospital for which the Association is entirely responsible.

When in Rome do as the Romans do, but when in bad don't do as the bad do.

A man with a pull gets worked a good deal.

It's a wonder some of these celebrities don't forget and marry the same man over again.

THIS CITY SHOWS FINE FIRE RECORD

City Fire Records Show 13 Fires Since Jan. 10, But No Losses.

The record of the fire department of the city of Hendersonville shows that, in regard to fire, this city is an exceedingly safe place in which to live.

Since the first of the year of 1922, there have been 13 fire calls and no losses. In some cases, the fire was under control before the fire department arrived, but in the majority of the fires it was due to the rapidity with which the department functions that no losses were reported.

It must be remembered that the Hendersonville department is only a voluntary one, and the members do not receive any pay for their services. There are 13 members of the voluntary fire department, all living or working within two blocks of the city hall. On account of this, the fire truck can leave immediately for wherever it is called.

A record of no losses by fire for half a year is one that any city can be proud of, and a record that few cities have. It not only shows that an efficient fire department is protecting our homes, but that conditions prevailing in Hendersonville are not favorable for the rapid spreading of fire that so often causes serious damages.

The chief of police, Otis Powers, is also the chief of the fire department, and the driver of the truck, the only paid man in the department is Alexander Hill.

South Carolinians Coming This Week

The South Carolina Clothiers' Association meets tomorrow, making their headquarters at the Carolina Terrace during their stay in Hendersonville.

For three days the South Carolina clothiers will be in our midst, and no doubt they will clothe the days spent here in brilliant colors. The program of their activities here has not been announced, except for the night of the 13th. On this night, there will be a banquet at the Terrace that the South Carolinians will probably make the gayest of their stay here.

It is announced that there will probably be in excess of 250 men attending the convention, and that as a great number of them will probably bring their ladies with them, there will be a really good crowd of them.

DAHLIA SHOW WILL BE HELD IN AUGUST

The ladies of the Woman's Club are again calling the attention of the flower-lovers of the county to the annual Dahlia Show in August. While it is designated dahlia show any and all flowers of the season will be on display. Upon the several former occasions of the kind the flowers sent for exhibition have been well worthy of their places and the Woman's Club trusts that the usual interest may be displayed upon this as upon other occasions.

WINN-ALLEN

Miss May Winn and Henry Edgar Allen, each of Danville, Va., were married Thursday evening in the presence of a few friends at the home of Dr. E. E. Bomar, with Dr. Bomar officiating. Witnessing the ceremony were Miss Sadie Moore, of Hendersonville and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gourley, of Danville, Va.

The young couple were strangers in the city and soon after the ceremony left for their home in Danville.

BOOSTERS WIN OVER ASHEVILLE

Asheville Pitching Ace Fails To Hold Boosters Monday

The Boosters pounded Allison for a 8 to 5 victory at the city park yesterday, pulling a little out of the hole they have allowed themselves to slip into in the last week.

Moyer took the mound for his team, and kept the hits scattered. He hit a home run in the 8th.

The 4th inning was where Allison broke and Hendersonville made four runs before he was able to get patched up again. The Skylanders started the scoring in the second inning and made their last run in the 7th. The boosters won the game by a score of 8 to 5.

The score: R. H. E. Asheville -----5 9 3 Hendersonville -----8 10 2 The batteries: Asheville, Allison and Zachary; Hendersonville, Moyer and Robinson.

Benefit Fair Will Continue This Week

The benefit fair for the ball team and the ball park, will continue through this week, it is announced by the management.

The fair, located between Baker's Art Gallery and Harris' grocery store, has been very popular with the summer people as well as the town folk the past week.

This week, many new attractions are being put on by the fair. A colored band and a minstrel show are chief among these, and the crowds are thronging to hear and see.

An Indian who will handle wild snakes (no home brew in this) will perform his feats for the edification of the public and there will be other new features of like interest.

The booths offering chances at the many prizes offered have proved the most popular part of the fair so far, and these will be continued.

FASSIFERN OPENS

Fassifern Inn opened last week and has the following guests recorded this week: Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Williams, Miss Elizabeth Williams and Miss Elizabeth Parker, Charleston, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ball, Charlotte; Mr. and Mrs. McMahan, Spartanburg; Mrs. A. T. Moore, Miss Elizabeth Moore and Miss Janet Moore, Spartanburg; P. B. Davis, Newman, Ga.; Theodore W. Davis, Atlanta; Mrs. W. L. Hutchinson, Atlanta; Miss Lizette Hutchinson, Atlanta; D. E. Pruice, Greenville, S. C.; Mrs. J. S. Odger, Charlotte; Dr. and Mrs. C. D. Chiles, of Birmingham, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Wright, Greenville, S. C.; Miss Margaret Wright, Greenville, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Shannon, Roanoke, Va.

SILER-BUCKNER GUESTS FOR WEDDING TO ARRIVE

The following visitors have arrived or will do so for the Siler-Buckner wedding on Wednesday: Miss Verdine Trolinger, Burlington, N. C.; Mr. Neal H. Siler, Savannah; Mrs. Lillian M. Buckner, Syracuse, N. Y.; Miss Dorothy Buckner, Rochester, N. Y.; Miss Katherine Stubb, Sumter, S. C.; Geo. Sherrill, Asheville; Miss Virginia Sherrill, Asheville; Dr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Franklin; Dr. James R. Sanford, Newark, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. John Davis, Knoxville, Tenn.

"Hendersonville has numberless beautiful homes"—from news item. Admittedly beautiful and certainly "numberless", if that means without numbers.

City Needs Good Lighting System

RETURNS ARE NOW VERIFIED

No Surprises in Primary Returns For Democratic Party in North Carolina.

(By M. L. Shipman.)

Raleigh, July 10.—Official returns from the various judicial and the third congressional district are in the hands of the state board of elections and show practically the same results reported on the night of the second primary. Henry A. Grady, of Sampson county, is nominated for judge in the 6th district over Geo. W. Ward, of Duplin. This was the only judgeship contest which required a second primary to determine the winner.

The only fight for solicitor which attracted state-wide attention was between John W. Hinsdale and W. F. Evans, both of Raleigh, in the 7th judicial district, composed of the counties of Granklin and Wake. Mr. Evans had a lead of 292 in the "first round" and came out of the second race with 1862 "to the good." He carried both Wake and Franklin by a vote which surprised everybody.

Another surprise in Wake was the big vote given Miss Lottie Lewis over that of Lon D. Stevenson, incumbent, for county treasurer. Three other aspirants for this nomination were eliminated in the first primary, with Miss Lewis leading Treasurer Stevenson by 360 votes. In the second race her majority was 875. She will be the first woman elected to public office in this county and it is generally conceded that she will measure up to the requirements.

After two previous efforts, Charles L. Abernethy wins the nomination for congress in the 3rd district, defeating Major Matt H. Allen by around 1500 majority. "The third time is a charm" with "Abby" this year. Previously, he had been defeated by Col. W. T. Dortch, who died before the election, and later by Hon. S. M. Brinson who served until his death a few months ago.

In chambers here on Friday, Judge Thomas H. Calvert denied the motion of Coy. Willie M. Person, late candidate against Congressman E. W. POU, that stocks owned by individuals in corporations be taxed in addition to that paid by the corporations themselves. Colonel Person contended that stockholders should be required to pay taxes on their stocks in corporations the same as other personal property, and he sought to compel Revenue Commissioner A. D. Watts to require the listing of these stocks.

Judge Calvert took the position that in the face of a debatable issue it is improper for a judge of a court inferior to the supreme court to hold a statute unconstitutional and sustained the demurrer presented by the attorney general representing the tax commissioner, who adheres to the opinion that to sustain the position taken by Colonel Person would mean doubling taxation on stocks in corporations. The judge held that legislative approval of the statute declared to be unconstitutional by the plaintiff in this case should be passed upon by the supreme court and Colonel Person gave notice of appeal to the higher tribunal.

Reports from the six free employment offices—in Asheville, Charlotte, Greensboro, Raleigh, Wilmington and Winston-Salem—to the state director shows that a total of 241 men and 335 women were placed in positions during the month of June. This is the largest number to find employment through these agencies, for a similar period, since the service was instituted a little more than a year ago.

The Raleigh office is receiving many requests for information concerning employment in the wheat field of Kansas, Nebraska, the Dakotas and other states of the northwest, but encourages no one to make the trip, on account of the cost of transportation and the brief period covered by the wheat harvest.

WOODMEN GOLFING AT KANUGA

There is grave danger that the Sovereign Executive committee of the Woodmen of the World have a split in this city among themselves. They are playing golf.

There is no game under the sun that tries a man's temper as does golf. When the Sovereign Commander slices into the bunker on the ninth hole, there is no telling what he may say or do. So far, however, the fraternal officers have gotten along remarkably well and are still on speaking terms.

The scene of the golf tournament is the Kanuga Country Club. All the prominent Woodmen who can dig trenches with a masher in the turf and have the proper vocabulary are striving for golfing honors.

The latest report is that Commander Frazier is in the lead, but that there are a number of others who would give all the prized clubs in their possession to oust the executive. He, meanwhile, smiles and drives the globe a little farther than the next man.

Light Service Here Could Be Replaced by Row of Lightning Bugs in Bottles.

The Times is a long-suffering institution and has "swallowed" a world of disagreeable medicine without protest, but we are no longer willing to subscribe to the homeopathic doctrine of similia similibus curantur, without a protest as vigorous as we know how to register.

For time almost whereof the memory of man runneth not to the contrary, this town has submitted to a light service that is the subject of universal ridicule and worse. It is paying first class rates for a light service that can be replaced almost as effectively with a row of bottled lightning bugs, and one goes home by the light of these effulgent globes that are eclipsed by the scintillating rays of vagrant asteroids to try to read by lights that would pale into invisible twilight by the side of the glow of the phosphorescent end of a glow-worm in a jelly-tumbler! But that is not all. This same light and power outfit purports to furnish power to various industrial units in the town and round about it and for this service a price ample to command efficient and fairly regular delivery of current is charged and prompt payment demanded therefor, but as often as an important job demanding swift and uninterrupted action on the part of the power plant is being handled just so often does some satirical tad-pole or sportive spring-lizard skip over into the turbine at the dam site and we get less power by a damn sight than we could get out of a hand organ with a Neapolitan picanninni at the crank handle.

Our neighbor The News, records the fact that when it thunders in Brevard, the lights go out in Hendersonville. But this pungent observation furnished by some other than the editor of that placebo publication is promptly apologized for in the next issue. We are not going to "take to the woods" on a proposition that is so everlastingly true that before we "recant" we will be in jail and a row of sympathetic and mourning buzzards convened on the ridge-pole of that most hospital institution. We have got enough of it and we don't mind saying so.

Furthermore, we have other criticisms in our arsenal so sensitive that it is liable to explode if you shake the room.

It is time that we get relief from this intolerable situation, and if we mistake not the temper of our citizenship something is going to be done about it. Within a few miles of us is a great power development which is utilizing power developed on North Carolina soil from North Carolina's streams and all of which power is, if we are correctly informed, being carried over to our neighboring State. We need some of it here and we want it and we call the attention of the owners of this great development that we are looking to them to consider our needs and consider ways and means to make this consideration tangible. Otherwise, some steps will be taken to make us noticeable.

TAXES BEING EQUALIZED

Board of Commissioners Reducing Taxes in Some Instances.

The board of county commissioners have been exceedingly busy today and yesterday "equalizing" taxes. In cases where lands adjoin and the taxes on one are higher than on the other, the taxes are adjusted equitably, and in many other like cases, taxes have been adjusted.

The commissioners will probably have to continue their meetings for several days more. They have been very busy in the last two days and there is still more work to do.

EPWORTH LEAGUE RENDERS EXCELLENT PROGRAM

A program of unusual interest was given Friday evening at Mrs. Rollins' home in West Hendersonville by the Epworth League of the Methodist church.

The special feature of the entertainment was an informal talk made by Dr. Blomquist, professor of Biology at Trinity College, Durham, N. C., on the flora of this section. In his remarks Dr. Blomquist said we had a good many wild flowers here that belonged to the same family of many which grew in Japan and the Far East. There were at least fifty kinds of moss native to this section, he said. He also explained the difference between the laurel, rhododendron and ivy—ivy and rhododendron being of the same family while laurel was of another species. Dr. Blomquist is visiting in the vicinity in order to make a closer study of its plant life for use in his school work.

During the evening Miss Dorothy Waldrop gave a vocal solo and Miss Aletta Plank a reading which were enjoyed. Punch was served at the conclusion of the program.

Mrs. P. H. Walsh and daughter, accompanied by Mrs. Harton Walsh and little daughter, of Wilmington, are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Penny at Laurel Park.