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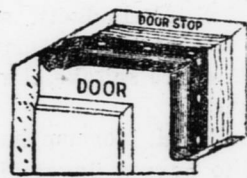


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NEW LAND COMPANY FORMED AT SHELBY WITH BIG CAPITAL

O. Max Gardner to Head Corporation Which Will Develop Suburban Property.

Shelby, Feb. 6.—The Gardner Land company, a corporation with an authorized capital stock of \$300,000 with \$180,000 paid in, was formed here today by O. Max Gardner, C. C. Blanton, president of the First National bank, and O. M. Mull, lawyer and farmer. Associated with them is a group of Northern capitalists, who are convinced of the future growth and development of this section of North Carolina.

The object of the corporation will be to develop suburban property into attractive home sites. No definite territory for their operations is prescribed, but the immediate plan contemplates operation in the Cleveland Springs section, adjacent to Shelby, and on the new Wilkerson boulevard between Gastonia and Charlotte, which connects two of the liveliest industrial towns in the South.

Mr. Gardner will be president of the company and O. M. Mull secretary and treasurer. No stock will be offered for sale.

Since Alfred P. Marshall and Son of Clearwater, Fla., have purchased an interest in Cleveland Springs park, consisting of an 80-room hotel and 240 acres of land, real estate here has become very active, and this entire section promises to share with the territory farther west the wonderful development which is marking the Piedmont Carolinas.

TO HARD SURFACE ROAD BAT CAVE TO HENDERSONVILLE

(Hendersonville News)

The county authorities in session with state highway officials yesterday entered into contracts whereby the county is to lend the state money with which to hard surface the Bat Cave road, this being the third of three recent road projects that will give Henderson county approximately a one million dollar road building program.

A few days ago the officials contracted with the state for the building of the Greenville road to the South Carolina line and the Spartanburg road to the Polk county line. These roads will entail an expenditure of nearly a half a million dollars or \$490,000 and the Bat Cave road will require the other half, or \$510,000, according to careful estimates.

Officials stated that the present Bat Cave road would be used as the main route of the paved highways.

It is understood that a contract will be awarded by state officials for the building of the Greenville road next Monday.

TOWARD THE HEIGHTS

In all the realms of earth or sky may our path lead from midnight to fairest morn, and from rosy dawn to highest noon. May we daily greet our friends, our foes, our fears with a "smiling Godward face," and our task with joy. May our sorrows, disappointments, and disaster work in us their enduring lessons. May a great purpose spur us forward with heavenly insistence until we scale the heights in front. May we distinguish the permanent from the transient, and hold fast the truth that abides. May the inspiration and fellowship of the world's noblest souls of every age be ours for all time. May a Heavensent vision reveal to us our truest, divinest selves and our immortal destiny. May the winsome, compassionate spirit of the man of Nazareth dwell increasingly in our hearts forever.—A prayer by Merritt Augustus Farren.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of J. A. Elms, deceased, late of Rutherford County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Forest City, N. C., R. F. D. No. 2 on or before the 10th day of February, 1927 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 6th day of February, 1926.

L. H. ELMS,
Administrator of estate of J. A. Elms.

COMPLIMENTS SPLENDID ELLENBORO CITIZEN

Hon. G. B. Pruette, of Ellenboro, was paid a nice compliment by the Cleveland News, of recent issue, as follows:

Hon. G. B. Pruette, of Ellenboro, was in the city Wednesday. Mr. Pruette is the oldest postmaster in point of years of service in the western section of North Carolina. For some months past he has been assisting the new postmaster, Mr. Padgett, at Ellenboro, in the work of the office.

Mr. Pruette is a native of Cleveland county, being the son of John Pruette, of Boiling Springs, and he is a brother of Rev. L. R. Pruette, Charlotte.

Mr. Pruette is a great worker in the Baptist church. He is a pioneer in Sunday School work, having organized Sunday schools in the churches of the Sandy Run Association and made Sunday schools grow where no Sunday schools were before.

For more than 20 years he has been clerk of the Sandy Run Association. At the last meeting of the Association he tendered his resignation, and it was with great difficulty that he was persuaded to continue his work. Strong resolutions were passed in appreciation of the great service he had rendered his church and his Master.

Mr. Pruette is also a prominent Republican, having represented Rutherford county in the legislature.

Shelby always welcomes Mr. Pruette when he can find time to visit in her midst.

CLARK HOWELL COMING

Chimney Rock, N. C., Feb. 8.—An invitation will be extended to Clark Howell, publisher of the Atlanta Constitution, to speak before a local club, during his summer vacation this year which he invariably spends in Western North Carolina. When he was here last year his remarks upon the progress of Western North Carolina were considered very optimistic, but time has proved they were not large enough. Not only his predictions have come true, but the march of progress has exceeded his most sanguine expectations.

BUYS NEW BUNGALOW

Chimney Rock, N. C., Feb. 8.—Thomas T. Brady, nationally known business man, has acquired the new California bungalow recently erected on the North Carolina State Highway No. 20, between Rutherfordton and Chimney Rock. He will be a neighbor of Dr. Matt McBrayer, who recently purchased a two-acre villa site on the Lake Lure road.

VEGETABLE PLANTING GUIDE

Chimney Rock, N. C., Feb. 8.—One of the most useful and interesting public documents received at the Lake Lure reading room is entitled "Vegetable Planting Guide for Western North Carolina," issued by the North Carolina Extension Service, of which I. O. Schaub, of Raleigh, is Director. On the front page is a picture of tomato growing on a mountain farm. The publication is produced and distributed free to farmers through co-operation of the United States Department of Agriculture and the North Carolina State College of Agriculture and Engineering. Those in Rutherford county interested in vegetable planting have been supplied through Dr. Lucius B. Morse, with copies of the pamphlet.

ALL OUT OF SORTS?

So Was This Forest City Woman Who Tells Her Experience.

All too often women accept their pains and aches as natural to their sex. They fail to realize that weak kidneys are often to blame for that backache, those headaches, dizzy spells and that tired, depressed feeling. Thousands have found new health and strength by helping the weakened kidneys with Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic. This Forest City case is one of many:

Mrs. G. B. Enloe says: "My kidneys sometimes acted too often then again they were inactive. I had headaches a good deal, which were usually followed by severe dizzy spells, when specks danced before my eyes. My back was weak and sore and if I stooped, a sharp pain darted across the small of it. That tired, weary feeling never left me until I started to use Doan's Pills. One box, from the Long Drug Co., cured me." 60c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

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