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HELPING WAYNESVILLE GROW.

The Shelton property on Pigeon street is fast developing into Waynesville's most attractive home development. Every citizen of Waynesville should take particular pride in such an improved fully restricted home development, as this has been one of Waynesville's greatest needs.

We understand that a great many lots have already been sold and that several purchasers are contemplating building nice homes immediately.

If one will visualize the very near future he will see a development of wide paved streets, cement sidewalks, and beautiful homes on a property ideal for home development, and with a view of the mountains equal to any around Waynesville.

A great many people have come into the office of the Waynesville Mountaineer in the past few days and expressed their surprise that such a beautiful and close-in property has not been developed before.

The Pinnix Development Corporation has announced in another part of this paper the winners in their naming contest.

DONATING ADVERTISING.

The policy of the Waynesville Mountaineer has been published many times. Any responsible citizen may write on any subject of the day. They can criticize in a constructive manner or throw a "hard as they please. However, we never allow anyone to use our editorial column. Under the present management, we have never charged for church affairs, school affairs or special club sales, or entertainments of some benefit, even though we gave until we were financially hurt.

We will charge from 10c to 25c, at the rate of 10 cents per line for all regular advertisements of this nature where admission is charged, etc.

We gave over forty inches of regular advertisements in regard to Louise Hunter's entertainment. We were obliged to do this because the cater was a very good one, or appeared to be. A program was gotten up that had a splendid line of advertising in them, purely donated by the local business concerns. We were not asked for a bid on this job, but feel sure that very little was paid for it from its quality. We pay out hard cash weekly for labor and expenses and it costs a lot of money to advertise especially when it takes our money out of the county to spend elsewhere. Something for nothing is never appreciated. A few passes or "We thank you" will also be in order the next time—but then there will be no next time. We intend to charge from now on so the paper will be appreciated.

Some of our merchants have grown wealthy through the years by the patronage of the citizens of this community and these merchants have been loud in their denunciation of buying out of town and not to patronize mail order houses. It is said that their families, however, do buy out of town. You can't fool all the people all the time. And if we expect our people to buy at home, we should never be afraid to advertise our prices and should at least practice that which we preach. Nuf Sed.

REV. J. T. MANGUM PREACHED AT LAKE JUNALUSKA.

Lake Junaluska, N. C., Aug. 22, (Special).—"The shelter and foundation force of society is not in science and material wealth, but in personal influence," declared the Rev. J. T. Mangum, of Waynesville, preaching Sunday night from the platform of the Methodist Southern Assembly. Strong men, throughout the history of the world, said Mr. Mangum, have arisen to protect and shelter the weak, and every man and woman

in the world, through personal influence can help and protect those weaker than themselves.

Comparing human lives to the sheltering rock spoken of in Isaiah 2:2, "Behold a king shall reign in righteousness and princes shall rule in judgment. And a man shall be as a hiding place from the wind and a covert from the tempest; as rivers of water in a dry place, as the shadow of a great rock in a weary land." Mr. Mangum, from this text, delivered one of the most practical utterances that has been heard from the platform this season.

Rapidly sketching the prophecies of Isaiah in which he had pronounced the great woes of the surrounding nations and predicted a new social order founded on justice and righteousness, the speaker compared human lives to the rock spoken of in his text, which by stopping the drift of the desert sands permitted seeds to find lodgment and grow, making an oasis in the midst of the barrenness of the desert. Great men, he said, while not the whole of life are essential to its progress; and if it were not for their protection and influence smaller and weaker men could scarcely live. The greatest and most dangerous drift today he said is the drift of sin.

"Throughout human history," said the speaker, "great men have arisen to stand between weaker individuals and destruction. Prominent among these 'rocks' were Abraham, Moses, Martin Luther, and John Wesley. But the most conspicuous of all was Jesus Christ, who above all others stands as the Rock of Ages to save people from the largest, vilest drift in history, the drift of sin.

"The life of the ideal man," continued the speaker, "is a happy life, refreshing as water in a thirsty land and strong as the sheltering rock. Too many people have a northeastern expatriate. Little children do not play around their doorsteps. But any follower of Christ can like Him, in a rock, a protection and a stream giving happiness and refreshment to all around. This is the philosophy of history and the duty of Christendom.

"How can a Christian fulfill his destiny of being a rock?" queried the speaker. "By protecting the weak. Every man and every woman has personal influence. All of the senses and parliaments in the world cannot redeem the social order. Personal power is the greatest force in the world.

"And Christians can be like Christ by stemming the tide of prejudice. Many a man's usefulness is cut short by idle gossip and distrust. 'Your attitude to society,' said the speaker in conclusion, "determines what sort of influence you have, and the sort of rock you are."

Mr. Mangum, who is one of the outstanding members of the Western North Carolina conference of the M. E. Church, South, has been called upon to promote several important enterprises of his denomination. As pastor of the Junaluska Development Company during the past year he has devoted his time to the interest of the Southern Assembly here. He announces that he will re-enter the pastorate at the approaching session of the conference. Mr. Mangum is a graduate of Vanderbilt University. He accompanied the late Bishop W. R. Lambuth, when Bishop Lambuth founded the Methodist mission in Africa. His wide travels and familiarity with scenes and conditions throughout the world make him an interesting speaker.

A SAFETY SECTION FOR AUTOS.

If automobile associations would take the same interest in educating automobile drivers in safe practices, as the railroads take in thus educating their employes, automobile travel would be safer and more pleasant, and there would be fewer auto accidents on the highway and at railway grade crossings.

On the Southern Pacific, which is a typical Western road, a passenger may travel on its trains a distance equivalent to 340,000 times around the world without danger of loss of life in steam train accident. On the Southern Pacific in 1925, more than 5,000,000 man-hours were worked for each employe killed on duty. While this is the best record made by any large railway system of the United States having more than 100,000,000 working man hours for the year, there were others almost as good.

This shows what systematic safety work means in the prevention of accidents.

Instead of agitating grade changes, which would burden the people with taxes, and then only take care of less than 10 per cent of the total auto accidents—for records show that more than 90 per cent occur at street intersections and elsewhere on the highways—the situation would be much better cared for and at little

expense, if auto associations would emulate the example set by the railroads, and establish a Safety Section to deal with carelessness and educate auto drivers in safe practices, as the railroads have educated their employes.

YOU CANT BE LOYAL TO TWO COUNTRIES.

"The Good Book says that one cannot serve two masters. By the same token one cannot hold sincere allegiance to two countries—he cannot hold aloft two flags and be loyal to both at the same time. One or the other must ride at the top of the mast. Loyalty is an attribute akin to godliness. Treason is the outward expression of ingratitude.

"President Coolidge says that the greatest danger to our government today, lies among those who are here, but who are unassimilated in heart and spirit, and whose greater love is still for the foreign lands they left to better their condition in the United States.

"It is not unnatural, nor even cause for criticism, that a person coming to the United States from some foreign country, should retain a certain degree of love for the land of his birth. All citizens of the United States descended from foreign lands, and there is no disrespect in this. We love to trace our ancestry back to the Pilgrim Fathers, and even beyond. But there is a limit to ancestral boastfulness.

"Marital vows remove a young man or a young woman from the paternal home, and a new home is chosen. This does not mean that love and respect for the old home should be obliterated; but it does mean that a new altar has been dedicated—a new hearthstone built and dedicated to a new life, and this is the altar and this is the hearthstone that demands loyalty above all others.

"So it is with the country of one's adoption. No man ever came to the United States of America except of his own volition, urged by a desire to obtain greater temporal blessings. The highways of the seas are never closed against his return. If he find himself unhappy under the laws and under the Constitution of this country.

"Loyalty to God, to country, to home and to one's self commands confidence of others and bespeaks good citizenship."

The Denver Post offers prizes for the best editorials submitted to it. This is a good way to encourage the expression of opinion and comment in any community. The foregoing prize-winning editorial was written by A. U. Mayfield, editor of the Mountain States Monitor, of Denver, and is worthy of reproduction in any paper.

BE CAREFUL WITH FIRES IN FORESTS.

There is this about fire, when it is loose, you cannot whistle it back again. Unless it is stayed by enormous toil of men, or halted by natural obstacles, or drenched by rain, it will burn until it no longer finds materials for consumption.

Look at the ghosts of trees that are found on our mountains where forest fires have been. Nature will replant, but slowly. Men who were careless with fire put to naught the toil of a century. Be careful with fire, and then be more careful than ever. All this greenery, this coolness, this delightful beauty, may be blackened and made hideous by a single careless act.

The homes and industries of tomorrow may never be, if so much as a spark falls in this midsummer tinder. Be careful with fire. You cannot whistle it back.

IF YOU ORDER THE MEAL PAY YOUR CHECK.

The Colorado Tax Commission recently made a thorough study of the taxation situation in that state. Following is an excerpt from its report:

"Eliminating educational and road funds, of every dollar raised by general property taxation, less than seven cents goes to the state. The other 93 cents is for home consumption, and is raised and spent by the local officials elected by the people for that purpose. And they in turn spend the money, as directed by the people who vote on themselves at least 93 per cent of the taxes which they pay.

"Communities, as a rule, vote freely; but when the bill is presented it seems to be lost sight of that these things were ordered by themselves."

Last Tax Notice!

To Taxpayers of Waynesville:

ALL UNPAID TAXES OF THE TOWN OF WAYNESVILLE Must Be Settled Before September 1st.

ALL PROPERTY THAT TAXES HAVE NOT BEEN PAID ON AFTER THE ABOVE DATE

Will Legally Advertised and Sold

THIS MEANS ADDITIONAL COSTS OF ADVERTISING AND EXPENSE OF SALE FOR DELINQUENT PROPERTY OWNERS.

J. M. PALMER, TAX COLLECTOR.

See Our Line of Warners Corsets and Brasiers.	Ellison's	Get our prices on Sheets and Pillow Cases
Where Prices or Less		

WE INVITE EVERY LADY IN HAYWOOD COUNTY TO VISIT OUR STORE, WE WANT TO MEET YOU, WE WANT TO DO BUSINESS WITH YOU, WE CAME HERE BECAUSE WE LIKE WAYNESVILLE, AND HAVE GREAT CONFIDENCE IN THE FUTURE OF THIS LITTLE CITY. WE EXPECT TO CARRY A LINE OF MERCHANDISE THAT WILL MERIT YOUR PATRONAGE, AND ALL DEALINGS WITH OUR CUSTOMERS MUST BE DONE ON THE "FAIR AND SQUARE" PLAN. WE ARE NOT HERE TO HUMBLED ANYBODY, IN SELLING THEM CHEAP GOODS AT A BIG PRICE, BUT TO SELL GOOD MERCHANDISE AT A REASONABLE PRICE, THAT IS OUR POLICY. LADIES ALL SILK HOSE, ALL THE LEADING COLORS

LOOK THESE PRICES OVER

LADIES ALL SILK CHIFON HOSE, ALL THE LEADING COLORS
\$1.00

LADIES ONYX, POINTEX HOSE, ALL LEADING SHADES
\$1.50

LADIES COTTON LILE THREAD HOSE, ALL COLORS
.25

A FULL LINE OF CHILDREN'S AND MISSES HOSE
25 and 50 cents

25 LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S ALL WOOL BATHING SUITS, AT REDUCED PRICE

LADIES KNIT SUMMER UNION SUITS, ALL SIZES, SPECIAL
50 cents

LADIES ALL WOOL FELT BED ROOM SLIPPERS, SPECIAL
75 cents

LADIES LINGETTE PRINCESS SLIPS, SPECIAL
98 cents

SANITARY PADS FOR BABY BEDS, 27x54, SPECIAL
\$1.25

COTTON BATS, FOR QUILTS, SPECIAL, 15c ROLL, 6 TO THE QUILT, RED STAR DIAPERS, LARGE SIZE, SPECIAL
\$1.98 dozen

LADIES NIGHT GOWNS, SHORT AND LONG SLEEVES, SPECIAL
98 cents

LADIES NECK WEAR A SPECIALTY
SEE OUR LINE OF HANDKERCHIEFS AND SILK UNDERWEAR

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One box of Tutt's Pills saves many dollars in doctor's bills. A remedy for diseases of the liver, sick headache, dyspepsia, constipation, biliousness; a million people endorse
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