wone Lends a Helping Hand In Fixing Up Place For Community Center



is the group of White Oak citizens that met Thursday and put in a full day remodeling the former Presbyterian church into a unity center. The men tore off the old roof, put on a new one, and did general repairing on the interior. The women were right and and had dinner ready for the men. At noon, the entire group enjoyed their meal and then went right back to their jobs, Even alldren did their part. Everyone contributed their time to the civic project. Another picture on Page one of the first section. releft to right; Mrs. Walter Lowe, Robert Fisher, Mrs. Charle's Lowe, James Messer, Mrs. Teague, Robert Davis, Robert Williams, er Lowe, Mrs. Robert Davis, George Boring, Sam Ledford, Frank B. Ledford, Joe Davis, Earl Ledford, Jack Bramlett, France me, Roe Ledford, Mrs. Roe Ledford, Clark Messer, Francis Williams, and Mrs. George Boring. (This is a Mountaineer Staff Photo.)

ader Takes Exception Dr. Gudger's Figures Haywood's Altitude

Waynesville and West The letter reads as fol-

tion of a geographical area case Haywood County),

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basis of our calculation, as we 2400 feet. I have seen this stated 4800 ft. (nearly), have measured points of over 4787 somewhere before, and it probably feet. Dr. Gudger uses altitude fig- represents the generally accepted would give us an average elevation engthy article in your issue and only mentions one point average elevation of Haywood is the aprpoximate elevation at (Waterville) under 2000 ft, eleva-County twice as high?—although tion. He says that some of the 29 Haywood be, as it really is, a pla-

of calculation the figures of more you just climb Eagle's Nest Mounthan just "some of these (29 points) tain and look down upon the vast s plain that we must have "in the valleys like Waynesville area of lower-lying territory in

fallway station, 2637 ft.

used as his basis of calculation,

County as 4787 feet, is places (in the lowest altitudes teau somewhat higher than the said misleading. While bracket used) "were in the valleys," surrounding country.

and gives as example Waynesville Eagle's Nest is about 5000 ft. canned. Now, it is quite clear that one Dr. Gudger claims as the average would have to use, as a fair basis elevation of Haywood County. Now

station, as against 82 in the high- most of the townships mentioned couple of red threes at the same er brackets. Look at the vast above and you will get a better time. No wonder they made high amount of area of lower elevation idea of average elevation. Of score! around the Lake, Clyde, Beaver- course, there is no way of telling dam, Jonathan's Creek, Iron Duff, the exact average elevation of a Crabtree, Fines Creek and White big mountainous county like Hay- in her chosen pattern. Oak! While Dr. Gudger qualifies wood; but by establishing a great somewhat by saying that he ar- number of elevations all over the rives at the 4787 figure "on that county, not just high mountain clouds were just beginning to basis," many readers might not tops (mostly), and then take in break and a slight ray of the mooncatch the error made in the figures consideration the corresponding light was trying to come through

W. C. Medford.

About one fifth of U.S. shrimp is



DEAR NOAH = WOULD YOUR HAIR TURN GRAY FROM WORRYIN WHETHER TO BE A BLONDE OR A RED HEAD ?

NANNAH C. EVANS KEMPTON, PA-DEAR NOAH = WHEN A A HEAT WAVE MEND IT? HELEN KOBE FINDLAY, OHIO SEND YOUR NOTIONS TO MOAH

THE YOUNGER SET

MILDRED MEDFORD

High School Senior

lot of fun for anyone.

given the opportunity of coming

and are looking forward to hav-

ing them come back in the very

near future. A week at Lake

Junaluska is worth while and a

She is no guest columnist . .

the column full of news that the

Congratulations Anne, and may

you have all the success possible

Bette Hannah returned home

Friday night after spending a

wonderful and a glorious week

Just get her to tell you of

some of the times she had while

she was there. You would never

think she was just a Mountain

She had lots of fun and was

certainly ready to come home.

I wonder why? You know the

It Fools the Eye

seems too high for its width can

be made to seem lower by painting

climate is much better here!

with the "younger set".

in New York.

girl in a Big City.

the roof a dark color.

Where there are young people mixed in with a few older ones you just can't help but have lots of fun. Especially where they are all women ... with no men present(?)

Last week Kathryn Hyatt entertained Mrs. Gene Yarborough with a Canasta party . . , and of course she needed some help-so she invited some of the mothers to come "set" . . . Now, when Anne Bischoff along too. That was one big night, writes the "younger set" her pic-And you know, mothers are a lot ture will appear over her column.

With Kathryn, Joyce Carter, but a "younger set" writer. If she Anne Bischoff, and Kathleen Cal- wants to have some one as her houn all sitting at the same table guest-she has the privilege. It's playing Canasta . . . well, no one her's to do what she likes-and l else could hear themselves think; know she has and will do a swell but that didn't affect their play- job of writing about the teening. Those girls even took time agers of Haywood County. And out between games to sing a cou- next year, as a senior of W.T.H.S. ple of songs for a change of en- she will work just as hard to keep tertainment.

Nancy, her mother, Mrs. Floyd, younger people as well as the older Edna Callahan and Betty Brown ones, will enjoy reading it more out-played everyone else. It wasn't than ever. their score, either-they just took time out to think before they played a card.

Mrs. Hyatt, Kath's mom. Polly Dyer, and Louise Leach stayed under cover most of the time. Not a sound came from their table-that was unless some one would draw a

Nancy (Mrs. Yarborough) was presented with a gift of crystal

It had been raining, but the area represented by these vari- The Lake was very calm, and look-The Doctor further states that ous altitudes, we could arrive at ed as if it was a shade of a deep we note: The following is a as many measured points in the the average elevation of the whole something like a fair figure—cer- green—just almost black — which gressed to the Editor of lower altitudes (under 4787), as a Western N. C. plateau is 2000 to tainly one more satisfying than made a perfect background for the beautiful reflection the lights My guess is that this method from the cross had cast upon it, The Lake was so still that the Eduures of 73 of the highest measured approximate figures. Therefore, if somewhere between 2900 and 3300 cational Building looked as if it points, but only 38 of the lowest, this be true, how can we put the ft .- but not ever 3300 feet, which had been painted upon the water rather than just a reflection of a beautiful lighted building sitting on the side of a hill. Then coming from a distance across the lakethe tune of a group of people sing-

ing "Old Rugged Cross". That is just a brief re what you see when you ride around Lake Junaluska at night. It is really one of the most beautiful sights and one of the most inspiring things I have seen in a long

And if it hasn't been raining the moon and the stars will probably be in full view-then they too. are reflecting their beauty into the Lake which is encircled by the mountains,

It is no wonder people come from all the 48 states to spend their vacation here—the natural beauty you find here in Western North Carolina just can't be beat!

A group of young people from Mount Holly (about 35) spent last week at Lake Junaluska.

Some of them went home Saturday with blistered backs, and some so tired they could hardly sit up-and yet they didn't much want to go home. It got hot while they were here, but not quite as hot as it gets in Mount Holly. We were glad that they were

Jackson Man Charged With Murder Of His Sister - In - Law



MISS LURA TAYLOR

JAMES RICHARD HALL

Miss Taylor, 32, an employee of Dayton Rubber Company since 1946, was recently murdered near her home not far from Dillsboro. Her brother-in-law, 26, according to Sheriff Middleton, has confessed to the crime, and is being held in the Jackson County jail, without bond. Miss Taylor met her death about an hour after leaving her job at the local industrial plant. (These photos courtesy The Sylva Herald.)

N. C. Road Unit In Move To Cut **Down Fatalities**

With the July 4th holiday still three weeks away the State Department of Motor Vehicles made plans to try to cut down the high- I will be on the highways of North way death toll.

don C. Rosser said Highway Patrolmen would begin distributing to Thirteen persons were killed over motorists next week some 40,000 the Fourth of July last year. Yau

ing on the Fourth. Rosser said 13 persons were sanely this Fourth." killed in North Carolina highways over the Fourth last year. He said all leave had been cancelled for highway patrolmen this year in an effort to lower the toll. A house with a light roof that

The warning cards carry a picture of a patrolman and the mes-

"I am your highway patrolman.

CHAPEL HILL CENSUS REVEALED

Official census figures just received by Mayor Edwin S. Lanier show that 9,169 persons were living within the city limits at the time of the count last spring.

Carolina constantly during the Motor Vehicles Commission Lan- Fourth of July week-end to protect you in your holiday travels. cards carrying a plea for safe driv- can help me cut down on that tragic toll if you drive safely and

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