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NEWSY NOTES ABOUT TOWN

W. E. Ellis U. S. Army... Mrs. Ellis have taken...

Richardson from Wadesboro... who has been spending a few...

Mrs. A. A. Merrick motor... Spartanburg S. C. Sunday...

Brown the noted Chicago Art... has been in Tryon for several...

new Switch Board is about... at the central office, which...

management of the new West... Telegraph Office reports...

C. E. Blanton of Columbus, N... moved to Greenville, S. C., last...

Henry Helms of Spartan... spent Sunday afternoon...

Frank York has gone to Char... on a business trip and...

Boy Nichols who is associat... the Thermal Belt Develop...

members of newspaper report... in Tryon recently getting...

Thos. H. Franks of Hen... N. C., was in Tryon last...

Phelix of the Pinnix Land Co... N. C., was in town the...

Bernard Sharp of Tryon will... charge of the new weather...

meetings that are being held... Baptist Church this week...

Broadus Ballenger is off on... trip and will be gone for...

new home being built by Dr... Bishop, Jr., near Pine Crest...

people from the nearby... have been attending the ser...

your seats early for the Co... to be given at the Parish...

finishing touches of "Spani... that has been erected on...

sonner who was connected... the shooting tragedy last...

Vets. Parade In Paris

PARIS, July 12—When the 1,200 maimed and blind war veterans paraded themselves in invalid chairs...

"Over the head of diplomacy and far from political and financial combines, the war veterans of France appeal straight to the people of the United States..."

"America will understand that the war veterans of France, who are honest, sincere and loyal, are asking in a friendly manner that the study of the question should be taken up once more."

NEWS WILL RUN SPECIAL FEATURE EVERY WEEK

The Polk County News will run a special feature on the Editorial page every week by Harlan Eugene Reed, called "Think"...

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ISSUES BOOKLETS OF THIS SECTION

The Tryon Chamber of Commerce has just had printed beautiful booklets dealing with the advantages offered in this section...

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION BEGINS NEXT SATURDAY

Beginning Saturday night, July 17, and continuing through Sunday night, July 18, the Polk County Sunday School Convention will be held...

The officers in charge of arrangements for the convention are expecting a large attendance of workers from all parts of the county...

The Convention is being held under the auspices of the Polk County and the North Carolina Sunday School Associations...

The following is the program for the Polk County Convention which will be held next Saturday and Sunday:

- 8:15—Devotional. 8:15—How to Get Parents Interested in the Sunday School. Miss Myra Bachelder, Spartanburg, S. C. General Superintendent of the South Carolina Association. 8:45—Song Record of Attendance. 8:55—Getting and Holding Adults in the Sunday School. Mr. D. W. Sims, Raleigh, General Superintendent of the North Carolina Sunday School Association.

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Georgetown Honors Mr. Hoover

President Charles W. Lyons, S. J., conferring upon Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover the honorary degree of doctor of laws at the 127th commencement exercises of Georgetown University in Washington, On the right is Sir James Howard, the British ambassador.



ORPHANS WILL GIVE RECITAL Many New Features This Season

The signing class of the Oxford Orphanage will give a concert in the parish house Tuesday, July 20 at 8:30 p. m. This will give the people of Tryon an opportunity to witness an enjoyable performance...

Southern Colors To Be Change On Engines

SPENCER, N. C., July—Displacing the sombre black which has been the universal garb for locomotives on American railways in recent years, the Southern Railway System has adopted a color scheme of green, gold and brushed steel for 23 heavy Pacific type passenger engines...

The engines which will be used to pull the Southern's crack trains, have tenders, cabs, smokestacks and other projections above the boiler jackets, drivers and other wheels painted a rich dark green with gold-leaf striping...

Like other heavy Pacifics now in service on the Southern the new engines have 23-inch driving wheels, cylinders of 27-inch diameter and 28-inch stroke, and such modern improvements as mechanical stockers, feed water heaters, and brick arches...

WORK ON WATER EXTENSION BEING RUSHED LARGE FORCE ON THE JOB

The work on the Tryon Water Extension is being rushed forward quickly and great strides are being made to have the supply increased as soon as possible. Large forces are employed and when completed the City will have water supply equal almost to the supply of Spartanburg, S. C.

PAY ROLLS OF TWO MAJOR DEVELOPMENTS IN TRYON LARGE

The enormous amount of improvement that are going on in Blue Ridge Forest and Lake Lanier entails a great expenditure each week, very few people realize the size of the weekly payrolls that come from these great developments. Thousands of dollars are being spent each week and many thousands more will be invested before their improvement program will be completed.

BLANTON AND STEARNS SALE OF LOTS AT THERMAL VIEW TOMORROW

Tomorrow is the day for the sale of the beautiful Thermal View Lots that are offered for sale by Blanton and Stearns. The sale will be conducted by The Pinnix Land Company. One of the main attractions of this sale is a Henry Ford Barn Door Dance on a specially constructed pavilion that has been erected on the property for this purpose...

LARGE BUS LOAD OF VISITORS BROUGHT HERE AS GUEST OF ESTER-BROOK DEVELOPMENT

The Thermal Belt Development Co. had a number of visitors from out of town Monday to look over the property of the Company located near the City. They were entertained at the Mimosa Hotel and shown the many beautiful drives and other important places of interest in and around Tryon. The company operates a large fleet of De Luxe business from various towns and cities in North and South Carolina and plan to bring many people here this season.

MANY BOY SCOUTS ARE AT LAKE LANIER CAMP

Quite a few Boy Scouts are at the camp at Lake Lanier for training. The camp is located in a very picturesque spot and will take care of many boys during the summer season, numbers of the boys parents will come to visit them during their stay here. Every convenience will be afforded and Tryon will get much publicity in various parts of the State from stories that will appear in various papers.

MISSILDINE'S PHARMACY PROVIDES MORE SPACE GREAT IMPROVEMENT

The lengthening of the interior of Missildine's Pharmacy has added materially to the appearance of the store, and will be the means of taking care of the increased business that has come to the firm in the past few months. The prescription case has been moved back several feet providing much more space and adding to the general appearance of the store greatly.

THIS WEEK FARM NEWS, COUNTY NEWS, SOCIETY NEWS, WEATHER REPORTS, ILLUSTRATED FASHIONS, SPORTING COMMENTS, WEEKLY CARTOONS, FEATURE STORIES, WEEKLY COMICS, CHURCH NEWS, STATE NEWS

FRIGIDAIRE CO. PLANS BIG OUTPUT

Mr. R. O. Andrews, of local Frigidaire dealers has been invited to attend the annual convention of the Dalgro Light Co. to be held July 24, at Asheville, N. C.

Thousand of Frigidaire dealers all over the country are being called together during the next two weeks to discuss plans for selling the 600,000 Frigidaire units to be produced in 1927. A \$20,000,000 production expansion program is now being carried through which will make possible this tremendous output next year.

"The demand for Frigidaire is growing month by month" says Mr. Andrews. June shipments from the factory had a retail sales value of \$12,000,000, three quarters of a million more than in May. Still larger shipments are expected for July.

"Frigidaire appeals to the housewife, because it relieves her of many household duties and worries. It is economical. And in addition it gives her a chance to provide her family with delicious frozen desserts—to keep vegetables crisp and fresh and to have sparkling ice cubes for use at all times."

A group of local business men have laid off a lovely development just beyond Lynn, N. C., just a few minutes from Tryon, much of this land fronts on the highway and commands wonderful views. It has been laid off in lots and a number of sales have already been reported up to this writing.

COLUMBIA EDITOR PASSES AWAY

Ambrose E. Gonzales, 69, editor, and publisher died at his apartment in Columbia early Sunday morning.

Although Mr. Gonzales was partially paralyzed his death was a shock to all who knew him. He was president of the State company, in connection with which he ran The State paper and printing shop.

He is widely known for his literary endeavors which have been greatly increased since his paralytic stroke. Among his famous "Gullah" or dialect stories are "Black Border," "Ehe Captain," "La Guerre, a Caston of the Black Border," and "With Aesop Along the Black Border."

SERVICES ATTENDED BY MANY

Two Services Daily Noon And Evening.

On Monday night the doors of the Baptist church were opened for the revival which began sharply at 8:15 p. m. Throughout the week the meetings are being held twice daily at 9 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. For those who cannot possibly attend both meetings it will be very convenient as they will be given more than one opportunity a day. However, the full benefit from the revival will not be received unless all the meetings are attended.

The initial meeting was opened by a song service led by Dr. Justice. Then followed a prayer by Dr. Justice and his introduction and turning over the meeting to Dr. J. L. Vipperman, who has been pastor of the Baptist church in Spartanburg for the last three years. Dr. Vipperman then led in prayer and delivered the message of the evening. Dr. Vipperman made the announcement that all services would begin promptly on time whether there was one person or 500 present. Although he said he appreciated a crowd as anyone he did not draw his inspiration from that source but from God and His Word. The service ended in silent prayer after which a general hand-shaking ensued.

Outstanding Athlete



Photograph shows John Boggs who received the Suber award for attaining the honor of being the outstanding athlete of the year of 1926 of the West Point military academy. Boggs was captain and star forward of the basket ball team and also won his letters in soccer and baseball.

PROMINENT SPEAKER WILL MAKE ADDRESS THIS SUNDAY

Mr. C. A. Ford of Tampa, Fla., will make an interesting talk this Sunday morning at the Congregational Church. Mr. Ford is a very noted speaker having been engaged in Y. M. C. A. work for some time. The speaker is a brother of Mrs. Jessmith of Tryon, and the entire populace should feel highly honored in having this noted speaker come here. The public is invited to hear this talk.

New Golf Handicap Quite Interesting

One of the most unusual handicap proposals in the history of golf has been presented to the Riferside Golf Club (Portland, Ore.) handicap committee by Arthur K. Trenholm, chairman of that committee. According to the plan, players would start out on even terms but the winner of the first hole would give his opponent one stroke on the second hole. If the winner of the first hole repeats on the second one, then he grants his opponent two strokes on the third hole. In Trenholm's opinion this method of ascertaining handicaps would make for better golf and more interesting matches.