

Merchants Begin League Playoff

Manager Jake Robertson will send his Merchants, boasting a season's record of 28-6, against the fourth place Skyland Hosiery Mill team at the grammar school field here Saturday at 2:30 p. m. in the first game of the best two out of three series for the right to meet the Leicester-Southern Railway winner for the championship. The team winning the title of the Independent league will then face the Buncombe County league champion for the crown in the Buncombe county version of the World Series.

Only one game will be played Saturday but two games may be played on Sunday.

Strengthened by the addition of Harry Gray and Luque Medford, the Merchants will be favored to defeat Skyland and advance to the finals. But Skyland has improved rapidly during the final stages and have handed the Merchants one of their six defeats. The new Black Mountain high school coach, Ralph C. Humphries, will umpire behind the plate here Saturday and Sunday.

Broad River News

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Elliott of Beaver, W. Va., are visiting Jim's relatives and friends in this section.

Misses L. A. and Marie Pinholster, who have been taking their vacation at Miss Pinholster's cabin in this community, returned to their homes in St. Petersburg last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lytle and little son of Winston-Salem are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ledbetter on Broad River and Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Lytle on Ball Mountain.

Lois Nanney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nanney of Black Mountain, is visiting her grandmother Mrs. Dora Nanney.

Mrs. Sue Ingrahm, Mrs. Young and daughter Lily of Winston-Salem, visited Mrs. Nora Elliott last Thursday.

Martha and Bettie Moffitt, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Moffitt of Bill's Creek, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Taft Elliott and children.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blanton of Cliffside visited friends in this community Sunday.

Jack Elliott, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Elliott of Broad River, left for Oklahoma Saturday morning to visit his daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Toney at the army base near Oklahoma City. Also he plans to visit his cousin Grady Elliott and family, and the home place where he lived with his parents at the close of World War I, near Yale, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kahla Jr. and family of Miami, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Elrod of Jacksonville, Fla., and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Elrod of Ormond Beach, Fla., have returned to their homes after spending their vacation at Paul Kirby's cabins in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. St. Elmo Elliott and children of Old Fort, visited St. Elmo's parents Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Elliott Sunday evening.

Mrs. W. T. Stroud and daughter Carol visited Mrs. Kirby Sunday afternoon at Kirby's Corner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ownbey and children and Ernest's mother Mrs. Mitchell Ownbey of Broad River, visited Mrs. Ownbey's mother, Mrs. George Connor, in Old Fort last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hutton and little daughter, who have been visiting Keith's mother Mrs. Ray Hutton, returned to their home in Daytona Beach last Saturday.

The annual memorial service will be at the cemetery on Ball Mountain Sunday, Aug. 27. Everyone is invited.

PONIES WORKOUT

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rived Saturday night to take up his duties. Mr. Humphries received his M. A. at Peabody this summer.

His first and chief concern is in finding replacements for the 1950 football eleven. Although it is still too early to give any accurate information as to the strength of this year's squad, the new coach is concerned at present by the absence of experienced quarter backs and ends. He must find replacements for Jimmy Milbee, heady quarter of last year, Clingman Capps, all-western half who sparked the Ponies to the county title, Burton Osteen and Paul Garrison, who formed the best team of ends in these parts last season, and Max Morris, capable tackle, all from the first string.

From the reserves, missing will be Don Woods, end, Edwin Smith, quarterback, Don Jackson, guard, and Cecil Wilson, tackle. Any one of these boys would be more than welcome if he were around to try his hand again this year.

Coach Humphries has just four short weeks to prepare the Dark-horses for the opener against Fairview. Prior to his arrival here Eugene Byrd was with the boys during their preliminary workouts.

Miss S. Walker Becomes Bride

The wedding of Miss Sarah Walker, daughter of Dr. John Mack Walker and the late Mrs. Walker, and James Thomas Womack, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James Womack of Norfolk, Va., took place Thursday, Aug. 17, at 4 p. m. in Gaither chapel at Montreat.

The chancel was beautifully decorated with hemlock, white hydrangeas and clematis. Mrs. Richard Gilbert of Montreat and New York presented a program of wedding music before the ceremony. Miss Ruth Ann Peoples of Knoxville, Tenn., sang "O Perfect Love" and closed with "Wedding Benediction" by John Newton.

The bride was accompanied to the altar by her father, who also performed the ceremony assisted by her brother the Rev. John Mack Walker, Jr. She wore a gown of white slipper satin, fashioned with a yoke of nylon net edged with wide lace, a fitted bodice and long sleeves, which came to a point over the hands. The full skirt ended in a long train. The fingertip veil of illusion was caught in a coronet of white satin trimmed with orange blossoms. Her bouquet was fashioned around white orchids.

Miss Lila Peck Walker was her sister's maid of honor. She was dressed in yellow nenon over yellow satin and carried a bouquet of shasta daisies tied with green satin ribbon. The bride's maids were Mrs. James Walls of Charlotte, Miss Mary Ann Craig of Knoxville, Miss Elizabeth Mattison of Columbia, S. C., and Miss Sara Hill of St. Paul, Minn. They were dressed similar to the maid-of-honor and carried bouquets of shasta daisies tied with green satin ribbon.

The bridegroom had as his best man his brother-in-law, Edward Phelps of Norfolk, Va. The ushers were Walter Johnson of Shreveport, La., Bill McLean of Lenoir, N. C., Lewis Lancaster of China and Montreat, and Gene Kirkman of Atlanta.

A reception for friends and out-of-town guests was held on the Winsborough porch immediately following the ceremony. Those assisting at the reception were Mrs. Edward Phelps of Norfolk, with

Miss Zaida Brown of Richmond, Miss Katherine McGeachy of Decatur, Ga., Misses Lila and Peggy McGeachy of Statesville, N. C., and Miss Betty McGeachy of Clearwater, Fla. Mrs. L. Woods kept the bride's book.

The bride received her B. A. degree from Agnes Scott college, Decatur, Ga., and her M.R.E. degree from Assembly Training school, Richmond. She was a member of Mortar Board and Chi Beta Phi. The groom received his B. A. from Hampton Sidney college and is now a senior at Union Theological Seminary, Richmond. They were both listed in "Who's who in American Universities and Colleges for 1945-46."

The bride wore for traveling a beige suit with navy accessories. After a wedding trip through Western North Carolina, Mr. and Mrs. James T. Womack will be at home, after Sept. 1, at 2928 Hawthorne avenue, Richmond, Va.

WILLIAMS CROWNED

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Other entries included Shirley Mull, Town of Black Mountain, Jaycees, Garland Motor Sales, Garden Division of the Arts Club, U. S. Army and U. S. Army Air Forces, R. S. Eckles, Black Mountain News, Harrison Funeral home, Girl Scouts, Carolina Power and Light company, Anderson-Brown Patrol, Tom Summey, Southern Bell, Sossamon-Tyson Furniture company, Lions Club, Quality Cleaners, H&W 5 & 10, J. O. Williams Gulf Service, B&PW Club, Grovestone, McMurray Chevrolet company, Victory Cab company, Woodcock Motor company, Courtesy Cab company, Key City cab, Valley Real Estate, Jones Food Store, Blue Ridge Cleaners, and Rudisill Cab.

Winners of the safe drivers awards were: Bill Gilbert, Finley Stepp, Mrs. R. T. Greene, Mrs. J. A. Dougherty, all of Black Mountain, Joe Rice and E. W. Mumpower of Swannanoa, Out of state, Mrs. R. W. Park of Texas, and H. H. Brooker of Florida. Broad River, Berlin Fortune and R. M. Kirstein.

"The fair was a success. Although we didn't close the books with a lot of money, we have several valuable assets — booths, prizes, and ribbons which will be helpful next year," W. Dean Willis, secretary, and Oscar W. Tiney, general fair chairman, said today. The grounds were crowded during the three days and most of the clubs, according to first reports, made money on the booths.

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Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Penny of Chapel Hill announce the birth of a daughter, Barbara Ruth, on Aug. 21 at Watts' hospital, Durham. Mr. and Mrs. Penny are former residents of Black Mountain.

VISITS COUSIN

Mrs. John E. Hollett of Indianapolis is visiting her cousin Mrs. William A. Whitehead at Wood thrush cabin.

RESULTS! — CLASSIFIEDS

Notice of Sale of Real Estate for Taxes

At 12:00 Noon, Monday September 11, 1950 at the City Hall Black Mountain, N. C., I will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash pursuant to the laws of the State of North Carolina and the Town of Black Mountain all land in the Town of Black Mountain whose owners are delinquent in the payment of their taxes for the year 1949. The list of lands to be sold and the amount of the taxes due by each delinquent owner with cost and expense of advertising and sale to be added as required by law, is as follows:

OWNER AND LAND	TAXES
Adams, J. Q., Lot 57	Sheet 14 \$ 34.20
Atkins, D. S., Lots 85,83,84,94,95,96,97	Sheet 17 15.30
Atkins, Ross & Iris, Lot 95	Sheet 15 37.20
Avena, Effie, Lot 267 1/2	Sheet 11 58.70
Avena, Effie, Lots 1, 2 1/4	Sheet 18 58.70
Avena, Effie, Lot 105	Sheet 18 2.10
Avena, Richard V., Lots 16, 17, 18, 19, 13	Sheet 9 10.80
Bailey, Mrs. Willie B., Lots 357,358	Sheet 9 2.10
Betts, Mary Elizabeth, Lot 377	Sheet 11 38.80
Blair, Lucius, Lot 81	Sheet 16 4.00
Broadway Builders Supply, Lots 84, 85, 92 1/2	Sheet 18 102.70
Brown, Mrs. Alma, Lot 146	Sheet 18 16.80
Brown, Mrs. Georgia, ot 400	Sheet 11 46.80
Burgess, Frank, Lots 10, 11, 12	Sheet 14 15.80
Burgess, M. A., est, Lot 84	Sheet 15 9.10
Burnette, Mrs. W. H., est., Lots 182, 183	Sheet 18 19.80
Byrd, C. E. & Lillie, Lot 2	Sheet 15 26.80
Carter, O. F., Lot 16, 142	Sheet 14 7.10
Clark, Winfred L., et al, Lot 86	Sheet 15 1.80
Cook, J. I., Lots 124, 126, 127	Sheet 14 44.80
Lot 207	Sheet 11 8.10
Cooper, Mae & Robert N., Lot 203	Sheet 15 16.80
Cordell, Edward W., Lot 119	Sheet 14 16.80
Lots 96, 98	Sheet 11 19.80
Craig, E. H., Lot 49A	Sheet 15 54.80
Creasman, W. H., Lot 145	Sheet 18 1.80
Davis, H. M., est., Lots 194,195	Sheet 15 17.80
Dotson, Jason M., Lots 344, 345	Sheet 11 48.80
Dougherty, Mrs. Janet M., Lots 228, 229	Sheet 11 4.80
Duckworth, James H., Lot 93	Sheet 15 18.80
Dula, Mrs. Cora, Lots 87, 88C	Sheet 15 18.80
Eckles, R. S., Lots 325, 360	Sheet 9 18.80
Lots 156, 157, 165, 166, 167	Sheet 15 24.80
Fortune, C. M., Lots 97, 102	Sheet 11 81.70
Goodman, J. M., Lots 386 1/4, 387	Sheet 14 1.70
Gragg, W. B., Lots 167, 180	Sheet 11 10.80
Gresham, W. B., Lots 145, 146, 148, 150	Sheet 11 27.40
Hapby, Charlie & Helen, Lots 357, 474	Sheet 11 39.70
Hensley, M. M., Lots 347, 348	Sheet 11 15.80
Higginbotham, F. P., Lot 427	Sheet 11 92.00
Hollister, C. S., Jr., and William, Lot 435	Sheet 18 7.80
Howerton, C. C., Est., Lot 102	Sheet 17 28.80
Hudgens, Bertha L. & O. E., Lots 140, 141	Sheet 15 25.70
Hudgens, Mrs. Bertha Mae, Lot 92	Sheet 11 37.70
Hudson, Wm. F. & Kate, Lots 421, 422	Sheet 14 24.80
Hummer, Nora & Bill, Lots 24, 25	Sheet 11 17.80
Lots 110, 143, 144	Sheet 14 19.80
Kerlee, H. A., Lot 3	Sheet 11 17.80
Knight, E. H. & Ruby, Lot 270 1/2	Sheet 15 17.80
Leonard, A. Conrad, Lot 378	Sheet 18 17.80
Marett, Benjamin L., Lot 15	Sheet 18 37.40
Meyer, J. A., Est., Lot 195	Sheet 11 13.80
Morgan, Woodrow W., Lot 8	Sheet 14 6.80
Morris, Blanche, Lot 349	Sheet 18 35.40
Morris, Emory H., Lot 114	Sheet 14 82.00
McCall Bros. Grocery, Lot 151	Sheet 11 2.80
McCall, T. E., Lot 114 1/2	Sheet 11 22.80
Nanney, G. V., Lots 416, 417, 415	Sheet 11 28.80
Nanney, Mrs. Johnnie Clark, Lot 442	Sheet 11 13.80
Osteen, James F. & Ruth, Lots 165F, 165D	Sheet 11 6.80
Parkinson, Edward L., Lot 269 1/2	Sheet 11 13.80
Parish, Sallie, Lot 403	Sheet 18 23.80
Lot 184 1/4	Sheet 15 115.00
Pemberton, E. L., Lot 42	Sheet 18 8.80
Perley, Helen S., Lots 19, 20, 21	Sheet 9 41.80
Praytor, W. F., Lot 77	Sheet 5 38.80
Redfern, R., Lots 322, 323	Sheet 14 21.80
Russell, Reuben D., Lot 41	Sheet 15 20.40
Simmons, A. L., Lot 3 1/4	Sheet 11 27.80
Smith, Miss Christine, Lot 16	Sheet 11 3.80
Smith, W. C., Lot 119	Sheet 11 24.80
Sneed, Mina, Lot 352	Sheet 11 115.10
Stafford, Grady, Lot 441	Sheet 18 30.80
Stepp, Finley E. & Myrtle, Lot 148	Sheet 15 7.10
Stepp, G. V., Lot 60	Sheet 15 12.40
Stepp, G. V., Lot 146A	Sheet 17 1.40
Stepp, G. V. & Amelia, Lots 187, 188, 189, 190, 198, 150	Sheet 11 25.00
Lots 119, 120, 121	Sheet 18 22.00
Stepp, G. W. Est., Lots 105, 106	Sheet 11 9.60
Stepp, Mrs. J. L., Lots 413	Sheet 11 38.80
Summey, Mrs. Annie M., Lots 127, 95	Sheet 15 13.70
Summey, Rev. Mack, Lot 121	Sheet 9 3.80
Taylor, Y. A., Lots 44 1/2, 44, 34, 34 1/2	Sheet 15 72.10
Watkins, J. Clyde, Lots 154, 155	Sheet 15 20.10
Williams, Mrs. Luna R., Lots 344, 359	Sheet 15 1.40
Wilson, C. B., Lots 4, 5, 3	Sheet 15 21.80
Wilson, Fred L., Lot 22 1/2	Sheet 15 26.40
Wilson, Fred L. & Olive, Lot 23	Sheet 15 26.40
Wilson, Mrs. Olive B., Lot 24	Sheet 18 35.10
Wilson, Fred & Olive, Lot 22	Sheet 11 12.40
Woodside, Mrs. Ester D., Lot 134	Sheet 11 1.40
Lot 274	Sheet 11 25.00

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