

SHELBY SIDELIGHTS



By
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THIS'N THAT

"Red" Newman dubbed Cleveland Springs estates as "Paradise Vistas," but Andy Gump's windy development flopped while along with Red's fine house and the others Cleveland Springs estates promise to be Shelby's outstanding residential section and as advertised "the most dependable in the Carolinas."

Which is one of the few breezes of last spring that may still be felt in this state.

Sooner or later the colyum knew it would happen. Not long since we picked an All-time Shelby High football eleven and named the best we knew. At the time we expected George Small to chime in and he has.

George, by the way, is without doubt Shelby's most loyal sport fan even considering Wythe Royster, Ben Suttle and Dave Honeycutt. George will publicly poke fun at a Shelby team and then push his Dodge coupe at top speed from somewhere in Tennessee or Alabama just to see them play one game. George is that way. Otherwise he would not be George.

So here goes George's all-time eleven and he has seen, boosted and helped most of them:

ENDS—Hugh Arrowood and "Jay" McMurry.

TACKLES—Fred Beam and "Slim" Logan.

GUARDS—John Anthony and Miles Beam.

CENTER—Harry Grigg.

QUARTER—Steve Furches.

HALF BACKS—Max Connor and Charlie Austell.

FULL BACK—Brevard Hennessa.

SUBS—Fred Logan and George Dedmon.

Says George: "Look at that team ho; That line could stop Alabama (he's about right) and those ends are as good as any who ever paraded in North Carolina (right). My backfield is light, you'll notice that, but, Oh, Boy, how they could step behind that line to hold and charge for them."

A good pick that of Small. There are three triple threats in that backfield and two backs who can run with the best of them and quarter who will never lose his head until it is guillotined.

Six of those picked have been named on every one of the mythical elevens so far—Grigg, Arrowood, Hennessa, Connor, Furches and Anthony. And come to think about it the following of these old Shelby players were mentioned this year and in years gone by for All-state college elevens: Arrowood, McMurry, the two Logans and Anthony, Furches, Hennessa, Laymon Beam and others still have that opportunity ahead.

Great teams those. Let's have some more picks.

One of Shelby's hardware men has a favorite joke that he copied from the Good Hardware magazine and he thinks it would add more to the colyum than a bathing beauty, here tis:

On Thursday, the department store executive took a display sign off a lady's blouse and put it on the bathtub. The sign read: "How would you like to see your best girl in this for \$2.75?" They fired him on Friday.

It has been a long time since

Clyde Hoy was the "boy editor" of The Star, but there are several folks who have been reading The Star since that time and among them is D. F. McSwain, who gets his mail on Blacksburg, R-I.

There's a peculiar little story to Mr. McSwain's long perusal of this paper. Every subscriber who gets his Star by mail is acquainted with the little label up in the corner telling the date when the subscription expires. The date on the label of Mr. McSwain's paper has never been changed—that is, except for the year. Last week he came in and made the label read "8Nov.27." It has been the "8 Nov.—" since Clyde Hoy bought the paper. Now ask Mr. Hoy how long McSwain has been getting his paper under that date. And, in the connection, it might be noted that a man who has never let his subscription get behind enough in all those years to change the date must be a pretty steady fellow.

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Vacationists—summer time.

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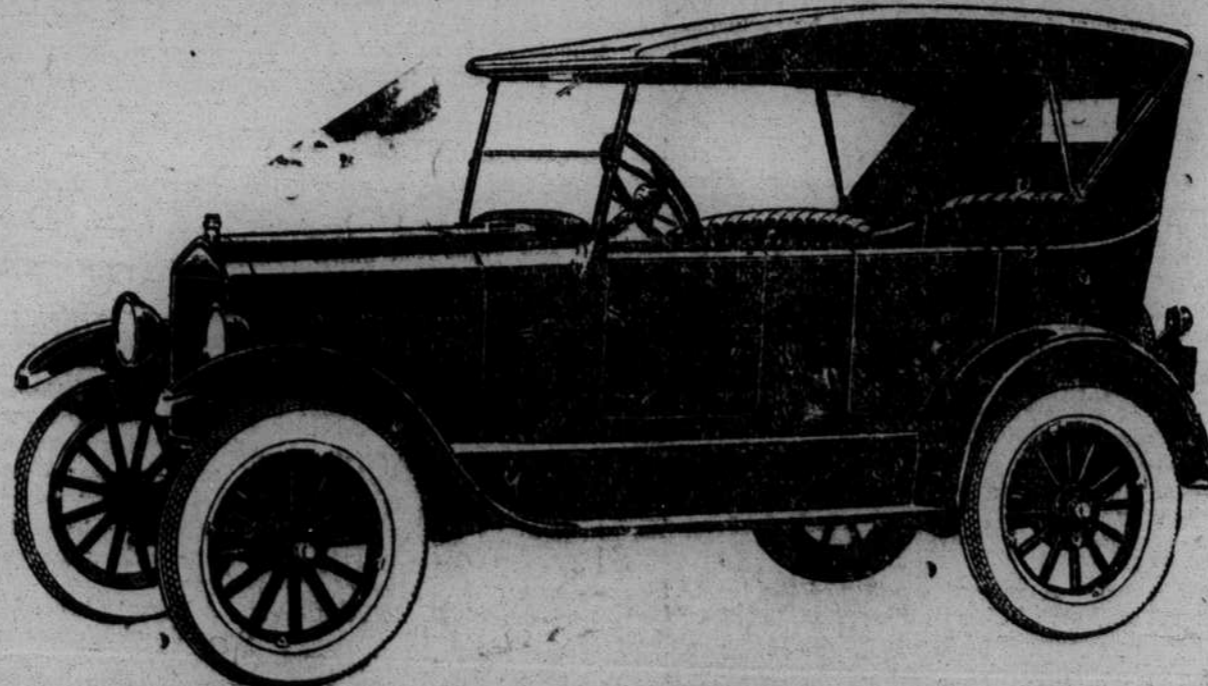
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