

THOSE WHO WAIT MAY BE TOO LATE

only **28** more days
to June 15, Opening Day

These Pictures are ACTUAL photos of work in progress at Lake Lure. These are all part of the \$6,000,000 PROGRAM, running through 1926. This tremendous work was financed BEFORE offering a foot of ground FOR SALE.

Prices of home sites in Luremont on Lake Lure, its first residential lakeside park, are based on SOUND VALUES in lake resort locations. The development work goes on no matter how much property is bought by the public.

That is why the South is "sold" on Lake Lure. That is why the recent offering of Luremont home sites has resulted in a veritable scramble for the first-choice locations that threatens a "sell-out" by Opening Day, June 15th.

People from the larger cities in North Carolina and South Carolina are snapping up the Luremont offerings ahead of the arrival of the summer crowd from the South. They are due a profit if they want to sell later.

Carolinians! Where else CAN there be a GREAT resort lake in the Land of the Sky? Lake Lure has been in preparation FOR THREE YEARS. Such a program cannot be achieved OVER NIGHT.

Where else is there a CHIMNEY ROCK? BOTTOMLESS POOLS? Such golf, tennis, boating, fishing, bathing, such water sports? Such admirable location on the principal scenic highway, the main artery from the mountains to the sea, N. C. 20?

If you have never seen Chimney Rock, Hickory Nut Gap and Chimney Rock Mountains, there is a treat in store for you. If you have been there, but not recently, you will be AMAZED at the progress, at the SIZE and SCOPE of the operations. This is the BIGGEST JOB in the Land of the Sky—in the whole STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA today. It is the ONE outstanding playground development of NATIONAL CONSEQUENCE.

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Lake Lure Lines

Comfortable, safe Pullman-style buses, making regular trips through all the Carolina cities within a day's travel! Transportation free to those interested, without obligation.

A \$6,000,000 Job

Purchase of 8,500 acres and cost of developing LUREMONT section, \$1,500,000

Lake Lure Dam and Hydro-electric plant, \$850,000

Highway grading, hard-paving and bridges, \$500,000

Hotels and other company buildings, \$2,500,000

Purchase of Chimney Rock, scenic highway, Cliff Duclers' Inn and improvements, \$600,000

Golf course, club buildings, etc., \$100,000

Total \$6,050,000

28 Days More

of advantage for home folks—before the summer crowd arrives from the South. Opening Day June 15th. Until then, there will be range of choice and no price increase.

Chimney Rock Mountains, Inc.

CHIMNEY ROCK, N. C.

A. J. COLEMAN

District Manager, Phone 5104-5105

Settle on LAKE LURE

Specials For Saturday and Monday

We have a number of the Newest Styles and Shades in Ladies', Children's and Men's Slippers that we have decided to close out at greatly reduced prices Saturday and Monday.

LADIES' AND MISSES WHITE SLIPPERS

AT \$2.95 TO \$5.95

Blond Kids at \$2.45 Up

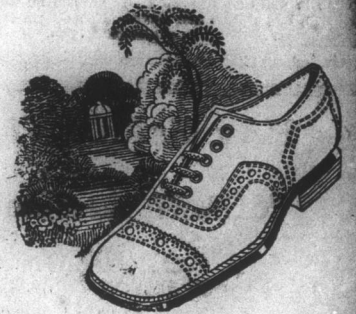


MEN'S SLIPPERS IN THE NEWEST COLORS

One Lot at In Tan and Black \$2.45

Florsheim Shoes For Men Special at \$8.85

Bostonians Shoes at \$4.95 to \$7.95



Ruth-Kesler Shoe Store

T. G. Furr, of Salisbury, is having a ditch cut through his meadow in Western Rowan.

Mr. O. S. Westmoreland, of Unity neighborhood, took his little son back to Gaston's last Tuesday for examination.

Mrs. E. S. Serey and Mrs. R. O. Steel are on the sick list this week. There will be preaching at old Bethesda Church Sunday evening at three o'clock and Sunday school at two o'clock, by Rev. Mr. Ruffy.

We hope that the good people of this section will fix their pasture fences as people's garden stuff is going to be scarce this year.

H. L. Karriker is helping to cut a ditch in Western Rowan this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Karriker and family and H. L. Karriker and family enjoyed an ice cream supper last Saturday night at Unity.

Thieves are still razing, so look out for your automobile pumps and gas tanks.

Mrs. Elva Weddington purchased a nice lot of stray last Monday.

Mrs. M. S. Karriker returned to her home in Kannapolis last Sunday.

Mr. Neal Karriker and three daughters of Kannapolis, visited his sister, Mrs. Jennie Brown, of Landis, last Sunday evening.

Rev. Mr. Gentry is holding a meeting this week at Palestine.

Mrs. Lester Hobbs visited relatives in Kannapolis last Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Upright and family moved to the home of her son, Mr. C. C. Upright, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Correll visited the latter's father in China Grove last Thursday.

Mr. A. D. Correll purchased a nice cow the other day.

Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell Weddington and children visited Mrs. Elva Weddington last Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. L. Karriker and children and Mrs. C. A. Weddington and children visited Mrs. Mary Weddington last Tuesday evening.

Enochville neighborhood has been blessed with some nice showers this week, which were certainly needed.

Mrs. Maude McQuay and little daughter, Martha, have returned to their home in Charlotte after spending several days with Mrs. J. N. Plaster, Mrs. McQuay's mother. TULIP.

ROBERTA.

A box and pie supper will be held at the Roberta schoolhouse, Friday night, May 21st. The public is invited.

The condition of Mrs. L. J. Foster and Miss Ethel Blackwelder, who were hurt in an automobile accident on last Monday night, continues to improve.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Luke Lambert, May 14th, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Hudson spent the week-end in South Carolina visiting relatives.

Miss Mae Brittain, of Asheville, N. C., is visiting her brother, Rev. N. Brittain.

Mr. W. W. Harrington, of Taylorsville, spent last Sunday here with friends.

Mr. Caleb Allman, formerly a resident here was buried at the Methodist Protestant Church last Thursday.

Don't forget the box and pie supper Friday, the 21st. Everybody welcome. ROSE.

GEORGEVILLE.

The farmers are busy after the good rains planting their crops.

Harry Barrier and Wade Biggers spent Saturday in Beahm fishing. They had good luck.

Miss Lucie Klutz returned last Sunday from a week's visit to her uncle, Mr. Paul Turner, of No. 10.

Rev. Mr. Scott, pastor of the Methodist Church here, was a visitor here last Friday.

Quite a number of our young people are returning to their homes from school. We are glad to welcome them back again.

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of good string music. Everybody is cordially invited. FAIRE POSER.

GEORGEVILLE.

Miss Estelle Shinn spent the week-end in Concord with her sister, Mrs. Marvin Dayvault.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Whitley and family, spent Sunday with Lee Whitley.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Shelton, of Concord, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Sheiton's mother, Mrs. A. M. Furr.

Mr. Frank Eddleman and family, of Florida, spent Thursday with A. M. Furr.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Barrier and family, E. E. Barrier and Melvin Barrier, of Concord, spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. M. F. Barrier.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dayvault were Sunday visitors at J. C. Shinn's.

Miss Corrie Barrier is right sick at this writing. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Miss Annie Klutz and John Allman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sechler, of China Grove.

Misses Bessie and Daisy Furr spent Tuesday with their sister, Mrs. Luke Shinn.

Mr. Tom Vuncannon lost a pair of fine mules last week. Lightning struck the barn and killed them both.

Mrs. J. M. Klutz and family spent a few hours Friday night in Stanfield with C. C. Turner.

Miss Novella Shinn is spending a while with her grandfather, Jake Shinn.

Ivan Klutz spent while Sunday afternoon in Mt. Pleasant with Laura Love.

Miss Zora Cox has returned to her home after teaching the past year in the eastern part of the state.

FARM GIRL.

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A GREAT PRIVILEGE

We consider it one of our greatest privileges to be permitted to assist in the planning and equipping of the homes of so many people. We are glad to place at the disposal of anyone who will accept our evidence, all the artistic skill we have gained by years of experience.

Through its manifold services, this organization enters many phases of the home life of the people who come in contact with it. Our function is to make possible and easy the realization of the home ideals. With large and varied stocks of furniture at our disposal we can assist each one in the exercise of his individual tastes, and because we have nothing but furniture of dependable quality we can assure complete and enduring satisfaction with each purchase, regardless of the amount of money involved.

In order that you may become fully acquainted with the possibilities of this store, we welcome an opportunity to show you in person anything in which you may be interested.

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VIA Southern Railway System—MAY 21st, 1926

Three Whole Days and Three Nights in Washington Round Trip Fare From Concord \$10.50

Leave Concord 9:38 P. M., May 21st

Arrive Washington 8:35 A. M., May 22nd

THE FIRST EXCURSION OF THE SEASON

Tickets on sale May 21st, good to return on all regular trains (except 37 and 38) so as to reach original starting point prior to midnight May 25th, 1926.

BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL GAMES.

Washington Senators vs. Detroit Tigers, May 22nd.

Washington Senators vs. Philadelphia Athletics, May 23.

See Ty Cobb, Walter Johnson, Eddie Rommel, Sam Gray, Lefty Grove and other great stars in action.

Fine time to visit the Nation's Capital, the many public buildings, Arlington National Cemetery, etc.

Make your sleeping car reservations early.

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M. E. WOODY, T. A., Concord, N. C.

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Thursday in Mt. Pleasant. Miss Novella Shinn, of Stanfield, is visiting her grandfather, Mr. J. L. Shinn, for awhile.

Rev. Mr. Jeffcoat pastor, pastor of the Lutheran Church here, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Shinn.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Eudy, of Concord, spent Sunday with Mr. Eudy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Eudy.

More than two million people, or about two per cent. of the entire population of the United States, are unable to attend to their regular duties because of illness. The average time lost for each person is eight working days a year.

COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE

ROCKY RIVER.

It was getting very dry and crops were needing rain until Monday afternoon. Since this we have been having an abundance of rain. Had considerable wind and some hail Monday.

Mrs. T. H. Spence is visiting friends in Smithfield.

Miss Evans, of New York, is visiting Miss Frances Akerstrom.

The high school commencement took

place during the last of the week. On Friday afternoon the graduating exercises were held. On Saturday evening Dr. S. M. Clark, of Statesville, made an address to the graduates. Misses Ida Platt, Ellen Linker, and Vernon Paris. Saturday night the closing exercises of the entire school were given to a very large audience. Sunday afternoon the baccalaureate sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Corrine, of Concord.

The Bethel ballteam came up Saturday evening for a game with Rocky River. They were completely snowed under in a score of 7 to 9.

Caleb Allman died Wednesday and

was buried at Roberts. He had been in ill health for a long time. A. SCRIBBLER.

NUMBER THREE.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Griffin and little son are visiting Mrs. Griffin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid Alexander, of Fort Bragg, visited his sister, Mrs. M. M. Morrison, this week.

Miss Alice Chester is spending this week-end with Miss Frankie Borders, near Shelby.

The circles of the Gilwood Woman's Auxiliary had a fine meeting with Mrs. R. W. Fleming in Concord Wednesday afternoon.

The birthday party of the Gilwood Woman's Auxiliary is to be given at the church Wednesday afternoon, May 19th, at 3 o'clock. Come and bring your friends.

Miss Winnie Ford, of Bessemer City, spent last week-end with Miss Louise Chester. X.

RIMER.

A large crowd attended the Peacock reunion Thursday at R. D. A. Saffr's.

Quite a number of Rimer people went on a fishing trip to Best Mill Thursday. They were as follows: P. M. Yost and son and daughter, L. B. and Mamie, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Yost, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Sifford and children, Mrs. Minnie Troutman and daughter, Ora, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Stallings and children. They all reported a good time.

T. C. Stallings was called to the bedside of his mother, who is seriously ill at J. Barnhardt's, of No. 5.

Clyde Furr and a few of his friends motored to Kannapolis Sunday evening.

Iva Corl and Keller Klutz were welcome visitors in Mt. Pleasant Sunday evening.

There will be Community meeting at Rimer schoolhouse Friday night, May 21st. The program is as follows:

Song.

Scripture Reading and Prayer—Rev. T. C. Stallings.

Recitation: The Raggy Man—Miss Daisy Stallings.

Declamation: I Wish I Wuz a Girl—Jolinnie Blackwelder.

Song.

Progress of the Community—Miss Blanche Barrier.

Pantomime: Home Sweet Home—Nell Furr, Ida Corl and Nettie Blackwelder.

Reading—W. A. Sifford.

Recitation—Inez Furr.

Song.

Jokes—Mary Corl.

Dialogues—A Negro School.

Song.

Pantomime: Pal of My Dreams—Gladys Furr.

Cross Questions Crooked Answers.

Song: Goodnight.

We are expecting to have plenty

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