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THE HILLS OF ENCHANTMENT

The following lines written as a tribute to the little town of Highlands, in the Blue Ridge Mountains of North Carolina.

By - Robert L. Conlon

Hills of Enchantment--how great are thy charms,
With rustic village tucked beneath thine arms,
Caressingly sheltered from maddening pace,
That besets so many sons of Adam's race;
Breaks the quietude like a mother's croon,
As sunset chimes with a sacred haunting tune
Lulls the mountain folk into peaceful sleep,
As in each hamlet the dark'ning shadows creep.

Looking down, -- 'atop those enchanting hills,
With silvern lakes of morning mist, that fills
And spills into each cove and vale below,
Only to break in countless puffs that glow
And glisten like cottany balls of down,
Refracting the tints of a day new born,
Then floating gently off, from out our view,
Bearing aloft our dreams to the azure blue.

What myst'ries lie in those enchanting hills,
Stretched like the sea, with never ending thrills
Of wave on wave of purples, greens and blues,
A white capped cottage with its gentler hues,
A mansion boldly perched 'atop a cliff
Just like some old world castle here adrift;
With winding roads a gleaming through the trees,
Like silver ribbons fluttering in the breeze.

Eye hath not seen the gems that deeply lie
Perhaps beneath old Whiteside, -- towering high,
With treasure rare within some cavern deep,
While tangled vines and laurel the secret keep;
Ear hath not heard the song of mountain stream,
Or cataract in lonely glen unseen,
Balsam, oak and pine, - solitary and immense,
Hills of Enchantment--sign of OMNIPOTENCE.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Lee of Highlands announce the birth of a son, John Richard, born July 25 at the Margaret Pardee Memorial Hospital in Hendersonville, N.C.

CONCERT AT WCC

Lloyd La Vaux, accordionist, will appear in concert in Hoey Auditorium at Western Carolina College, Cullowhee, on Wednesday, August 6, at 8:15 p.m. This is the second in the summer series of lyceum programs.

LaVaux began his professional career at the age of six, when he appeared in concerts with his father, who was also his teacher. The two of them toured several continents together.

LaVaux will perform some of his own compositions at WCC, as well as his own arrangements of Sigmund Romberg's music. Other composers included on his program are: Handel, Rimsky-Korsakoff, Schubert, Kreisler, Gershwin, Bartok, Lecuona, and de Falla.

Mrs. Lilian Buchanan, chairman of WCC's lyceum committee, said the summer concerts are offered free of charge to the public as a courtesy of the college to its friends and neighbors in Western North Carolina.

INDISCREET

Gary Grant and Ingrid Bergman may be seen at the Galax Theatre very soon in another big hit "INDISCREET". Watch for play date.

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