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SUMMER RESTING PLACE.

The Seaboard Air Line is stirring things under its new management. Mr. Hoffman, the president who succeeds Mr. Robinson, is a live business man and the work that is being inaugurated shows him to be a man of energy.

Fast trains between New York and New Orleans, via Richmond, Weldon, Raleigh, Southern Pines and Atlanta, have been put on and business men can leave Atlanta in the afternoon after business hours and reach New York the next evening. This is the most pleasant route for travel between the North and South.

New resorts both winter and summer are being opened up. Among these is the famous Chimney Rock section; twenty miles South of Asheville, reached by the Carolina Central railroad from Charlotte, N. C., and by stage from Rutherfordton, N. C. The mountain scenery at Chimney Rock far surpasses any other place in the mountain range, and the drive by stage gives the visitors an opportunity of viewing for twenty miles the grandest views and most picturesque scenery in the United States.

Christian Read in her famous book, "The Land of the Sky," says, "What a place for a painter! The whole scene is lovely beyond all terms of praise or description. Swannanoa is nothing to this! Indeed, not only Swannanoa Gap, but everything else (in the mountain region) is dwarfed into comparative insignificance by the majestic beauty. What was the gorge of the French Broad to those mighty mountains which rise more than two thousand feet over our heads and stand not more than a quarter of a mile apart, while far down in the green chasm below us the Broad River whirls and foams around the countless rocks. Far up over the top of a mountain a stream of flashing silver falls down the bare face of a rock (for more than eight hundred feet) and is lost to sight amid the verdure which meets it. The sunlight strikes the cascade with dazzling effect and draws the arc of a prismatic rainbow upward from its spray. Now see what a superb mountain next. It is like a castle, only no castle was ever half so grand. We pause enraptured and overwhelmed. A castle indeed! What castle ever built by mortal hands would not seem a flimsy toy beside this immense mountain with its sides of solid rock worn smooth by the floods of uncounted centuries, and rising sheer and bare for more than a thousand feet? The peculiar rock which forms the chimney stands so high (taller than the Washington monument) and so apparently toppling that it seems as if the slightest touch would send it down the precipice which it overlooks. Across the narrow pass rises the mountain, on one side of which the flashing cascade falls from its birth among the clouds. Farther up the gorge great hills stand, which have already drawn about them the blue robes of distance. It is no wonder that we linger, loath to go. On we go, and it is but a short distance farther before we pass between the castellated heights that form the natural gateway of this most grand of all approaches to our Eden of the Sky.

"Look back; the grand dark blue heights and behind us, fold upon fold, peak overlooking peak, knot rising beyond knot, the great crest of the famous

Bald in the distance, Harris Pinnacle near at hand, towering needle-like in its eminence. And behind these splendid masses the sun is sinking in clouds of ruby and gold, while the tender young moon gazes down from the fleecy sapphire of the upper heaven. And so we bid farewell to the Land of the Sky."

Christian Read is a graceful writer, and she had before her an inspiring scene. Nothing is half so grand and inspiring as the scenery of Hickory Nut Gap.

The stage coaches put on the line are going to be in keeping with the elegant train service of the Seaboard Air Line, and the most pleasant way to see the mountains is to buy an excursion ticket by this route. Round trip tickets will be on sale, including the stage ride through the mountains, at a small advance over an all rail trip. No one going to the mountains in search of health or pleasure can afford to miss the trip through the Hickory Nut Gap.

During the hottest weather experienced in the summer months the thermometer seldom reaches eighty-five degrees. Board can be had at country houses in the mountains at most reasonable prices or at the famous Esmerald Inn at forty dollars per month.

Excursion teams start out each Monday morning for Chimney Rock, traveling through the mountains, camping each night at points of historical interest. The excursion parties who travel the mountains are out from two to fourteen days according to the pleasure of the parties, at a cost of not exceeding three dollars per day, including traveling expenses and board and lodging at night. The parties visit excellent trout fishing streams and hunting grounds.

The way to get health and pleasure out of a mountain trip is to get into the mountains, and the public is offered an opportunity through the Seaboard Air Line and at a cost less than has heretofore been offered.

Special information can be had by addressing any of the officials of the Seaboard Air Line: O. V. Smith, of Norfolk, Va., traffic manager; Mr. T. J. Anderson, of the same place, ticket agent; H. M. Boykin, of Richmond, Va.; A. J. Cook, of Raleigh, N. C.; C. S. Heard, Augusta, Ga., and H. W. B. Glover, Atlanta, Ga. Maj. Jno. C. Winder, of Raleigh, N. C., is the General Manager of the system and the public long ago learned to put confidence in any undertaking inaugurated under his management. Capt. A. M. Clarke, of Southern Pines, N. C., will be General Superintendent of the stage line, with headquarters at Chimney Rock. Capt. Clarke has had considerable experience in managing stage lines in the northern mountains.

Summer travelers will soon begin to think of where they will go during the hot weather, and many of them will no doubt decide to take the popular Seaboard Air Line Railroad and stage line to the most beautiful and interesting section of the Blue Ridge Mountains.

From Friend to Friend

Goes the story of the excellence of Hood's Sarsaparilla and what it has accomplished, and this is the strongest advertising which is done on behalf of this medicine. We endeavor to tell honestly what Hood's Sarsaparilla is and what it will do, but what it has done is far more important and far more potent. Its unequalled record of cures is sure to convince those who have never tried Hood's Sarsaparilla that it is an excellent medicine.

HOME FIRST.

HOW TO BUILD UP YOUR TOWN.

A Timely Article from an Exchange on the Subject.

The writer is old enough to know something of the history of the towns in North Carolina and to have noted the causes which have led to the decadence of some and growth and prosperity of others. There are some towns which a half century ago were among the most prominent and thrifty, as it then went, which have remained in the same condition they then were, without materially increasing either in business or population, while in other instances, where a few years ago a townsite was scarcely dreamed of, we now have prosperous towns and cities.

For this there is a cause and it will not be difficult to find. Some people have an idea that all that is necessary to build up a town, is to run a railroad to it. In this they make a mistake. Railroads do not build towns; they simply furnish an opportunity for the people to build them. For a town to grow in population and business there must be something to furnish employment to the people. The patronage of the farmers may keep up a few stores, enable a few doctors and lawyers to make both ends meet, and keep a newspaper running if the editor and his family have poor appetites and get along on very little food, but this is all. No town of any proportions was ever sustained by agriculture.

There must be something to employ labor, and something which will go abroad for the money with which to pay labor, and the only thing that will do this is manufactures. The history of the towns in this State fully demonstrate this fact. Except Asheville, which has received its growth mainly from the immense number of visitors who have gone there for their health, every town in the State which has made any considerable growth, owes its prosperity to manufacturing. Among these towns, Durham and Winston stand out prominently. Neither of these towns have any advantage as to locations over scores of others in the State and but for manufacturing would only be small sickly villages to-day. Manufacturing furnishes employment and the money paid for labor goes to support every enterprise and people of every class. The merchant, the farmer, the mechanic, the landlord, all get part of this money and in turn pay it out to others and it circulates through the arteries of trade giving vitality and strength to the system.

One thing which makes manufacturing so conducive to the growth of a town is the fact that the money which is paid for labor, together with all the profits accruing from manufacturing, is brought from somewhere else and added to the capital of the town. The town which has no factories, sends its money to the manufacturing town to build it up and enrich it, just as the South and West have sent their money to the Northern and New England States to enrich them. Take a small town with a payroll of say \$500 a week, and that means that \$25,000 will be added to the capital of the place in a year, besides the profit of the business, and it means that this money in passing from one to another will do the work of several hundred thousands of dollars. It is in this way manufacturing enriches a community, and every town which expects to grow, must establish them.

The N. C. Exhibit At Chicago.

Mr. T. K. Bruner returned yesterday from Chicago where he has been about six weeks putting the North Carolina exhibit in shape, he being the chief of the installation. A great deal of hard work has been done and the exhibit is now in order. He thinks that it is fortunate North Carolina did not have a separate State building, as the situation now is much better than it would had been had the exhibition been off to itself. Mr. Peter Wilson, who has large experience in such matters, is of the same opinion. The arrangement of the exhibit is said to be excellent and it attracts much attention and has elicited general and favorable comment.

Mr. Bruner expresses himself as much gratified at the showing North Carolina makes. The exhibit is said to be very handsome, and indeed some outsiders have said that it is the handsomest in the building. The grain makes a beautiful display, and along with it are the cotton and tobacco displays which are still more showy and attractive. Along with these are the fertilizer exhibit and marls which make a handsome appearance. There is a beautiful collection* of preserved fruit.

The Forestry exhibit is in the Forestry Building, and a prominent North Carolinian who saw it last week, pronounced it the handsomest installation in that building. The cases are of pollard oak with relief carving and are 12 feet high. At the base are displayed sections 4 feet long and 4 inches thick from the heart of the tree, one half being polished and the other natural finish. On the natural finished face are placed miniature maps showing the growth and distribution of each species in the State. These maps were very carefully prepared by W. W. Ashe, and prove a valuable addition to the collection. Above the sections are photographs of the several trees as they stood in the forests.

In the mining division the exhibit is surrounded by a handsome colonnade in white covered with mica after a design prepared by Mr. Peter M. Wilson. The cases containing the minerals are of pollard oak and forty feet is filled with a systematic collection of the gold, silver and copper ores, arranged geologically and geographically as they occur in the State. The iron ores are arranged in the same manner. Mr. H. B. C. Nitz, of the State Geological Survey, took exclusive control of the metalliferous ores and deserves much credit for his work. Prof. Holmes has done valuable work in this connection also, especially in the very handsome collection of building stones.

The gems and gem stones and gold nuggets occupy 24 feet of show case and it is surrounded by a large crowd constantly. This collection is so complete that it would astonish any North Carolinian not fully acquainted with the resources of the State.

The sections devoted to viticulture show thirty varieties of native wines and is quite creditable. In the Fish and Fisheries section, the attention of the visitors is at once attracted to a mullet fisherman's rush camp, which has been constructed of full size with the accompanying utensils.

There are eight handsome cars filled by the far-bearing mamalia, the water fowl and the most important food fishes. There

are also models of the fishing gear used in the sounds and rivers of the Eastern part of the State, altogether making a very attractive display.—News & Observer.

Some New Rules.

A funny postmaster recently sent to the post-office department a new set of post-office rules. They were:

A pair of onions will go for two cents.

Ink bottles must be corked when sent by mail.

It is unsafe to mail apple or fruit trees with the fruit on them.

Alligators over ten feet in length are not allowed to be transmitted by mail.

As all postmasters are expert linguists, the addresses may be written in Chinese or Choctaw.

Persons are compelled to lick their own postage stamps and envelopes; the postmasters cannot be compelled to do this.

Persons are earnestly requested not to send postal cards with money orders inclosed, as large sums are lost in that way.

John Smith gets his mail from six hundred and seventy-four thousand two hundred and seventy-nine post-offices; hence a letter directed to "John Smith, United States," will reach him.

Ducks cannot be sent through the mail when alive. The quacking would disturb the slumbers of the clerks on the postal cars.

It is earnestly requested that lovers writing to their girls will please confine their gushing rhapsodies to the inside of the envelope.

Nitro-glycerine must be forwarded at the risk of the sender. If it should blow up in the postmaster's hand he cannot be held responsible.

When watches are sent through the mail, if the sender will put a notice on the outside, the postmasters will wind and keep in running order.

When you send a money order in a letter always write full and explicit directions in the same letter, so that any person getting the letter can draw the money.

When letters are received bearing no directions, the persons to whom they are intended will please signify the fact to the postmaster that they may at once be forwarded.

The placing of stamps upside down on letters is prohibited. Several postmasters have recently been seriously injured while trying to stand on their heads to cancel stamps placed in this manner.

At the first indication of disorder, the deranged or enfeebled condition of the stomach, liver, or bowels, should be promptly rectified by Ayer's Cathartic Pills. These Pills do not gripe, are perfectly safe to take, and remove all tendency to liver and bowel complaints.

The Japanese Pile Cure is the only proper application for internal piles and is guaranteed in every case by John Y. MacRae, Raleigh, N. C.

Wilson Mirror: That glorious mould of sparkling sunshine, the radiant and resplendent Miss Lizzie Anderson, whose manifold charms and seductive graces make her so irresistibly attractive, has returned to enchain the glory light of Wilson's effulgence of loveliness.

Mrs. Harriet A. Marble, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., was for years a martyr to headache, and never found anything to give her more than temporary relief until she began to take Ayer's Pills, since which she has been in the enjoyment of perfect health.

Gratefully Appreciated.

Governor Carr has received the following letter from I. Taylor Ellyson, of Richmond, president of the Davis Monument association.

"I desire to express to you and through you, to the good people of Raleigh our grateful appreciation of the demonstrations of love and affection which were everywhere so manifest last Tuesday when the funeral train bearing the remains of Jefferson Davis reached your State. These manifestations of love for the memory of their honorable father were especially grateful to his daughters, Miss Winnie Davis, and Mrs. J. A. Hayes, and both in their names and for myself I beg leave to assure you how much we appreciate the delicate consideration which was shown us on the occasion of that ever memorable visit. Nothing could have been more beautiful than the tokens of affection which were so heartily and so universally manifested by the people of your city and State."

Don't suffer from dyspepsia. Take Simmons Liver Regulator. It always cures.

To think "nothing ails you," is a symptom of dyspepsia. Take Simmons Liver Regulator.

Three Deaths by Lightning.

Frankfort, Ky., June 10.—Last night at the little town of Sadizter, five miles from Frankfort, a farmer, James Redding, his wife and two visitors, Mrs. John Lyman and Alexander Barbour, were sitting on the front porch when a bolt of lightning descended upon the doomed house, instantly killing Mrs. Lyman, Redding and Barbour. Mrs. Redding, who is in a delicate condition, was so shocked that her recovery is hardly possible. Three corpses lay at her feet. The house was not burned.

Don't be talked into having an operation as it may cost you your life. Japanese Pile Cure is guaranteed to cure you by John Y. MacRae, Raleigh, N. C.

Men are made manly. The old made young and vigorous by Magnetic Nervine. Sold by John Y. MacRae, Raleigh, N. C.

The Homestead Strike.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 11.—All of the charges of murder etc. against H. C. Frick and others of the Carnegie Steel company officials, as well as the Pinkerton detectives, were dropped in court this morning. In turn, all of the strikers who had been arrested and as yet are untried, have been released on their own recognizances. This virtually ends all of the Homestead cases in connection with the big strike of last year.

I suffered from biliousness, indigestion, etc. Simmons Liver Regulator cured after doctor's failed.—W. D. Bird.

You will seldom need a doctor if you have Simmons Liver Regulator handy.

Washington letter to Richmond Dispatch: A North Carolinian who was given a position recently in the Treasury Department was at first assigned to stand a very technical Civil Service examination. He is a man of fine practical sense, and has had considerable experience in the affairs of life in addition to having held responsible positions in his State. His first assignment is said to have been a mistake, and it is related that Secretary Carr's remedied the matter himself and in doing so said: "I want you to have a position that will not subject you to the Civil Service examination. You could not stand it. I could not stand it myself."

Simmons Liver Regulator surely cures headache, indigestion and all disorders of the liver.

The Perfect Proportions.

A perfectly formed woman will stand at the average height of five feet three inches to five feet seven inches. She will weigh from one hundred and twenty-five to one hundred and forty pounds. A plumbline dropped from a point marked by the tip of her nose will touch at a point one inch in front of her great toe. Her waist will taper gradually to a size on a line drawn from the outer third of the collar-bones to the hips. The arms of the perfectly formed woman will end at the waist line, so that she can rest her elbow on the table while standing erect, and her forearm should extend to a point permitting the figures to mark a point just below the middle of the thigh. Her neck and thigh should be of about the same circumference. The calf of her leg and arm should measure about the same. She should measure from her waist to her feet about a foot more than from her waist to the crown of her head. Her neck should be from twelve to fourteen inches around, her head erect and on a line with the central plane of her body, and her feet should be of a size and shape to conform with her hands. Although sizes in footwear and gloves vary somewhat; a well-proportioned woman wears a shoe one-half the size of the glove that her hand call for; thus, if a lady wears with comfort a number six glove, she should wear a three shoe.

All Free.

Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not have now the opportunity to try it Free. Call on the advertiser Druggist and get a Trial Bottle, Free. Send your name and address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills Free, as well as a copy of Guide to Health and Household Instructor, Free. All of which is guaranteed to do you good and cost you nothing. Chas. Cole & Co's Druggists.

The Mt. Airy News says the White Sulphur Springs, near that place, have been sold to Mr. Rufus Roberts for \$20,000.

Good looks.

Good looks are more than skin deep depending upon a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver be inactive, you have a Bilious Look, if your stomach be disordered you have a Dyspeptic Look and if your kidneys be affected you have a pinched Look. Secure good health and you will have good looks. Electric Bitters is the great alternative and Tonic acts directly on these vital organs. Cures Pimples, Blotches, Bites and gives a good complexion. Sold at Chas. Cole & Co's Drugstore, 50c. per bottle.

The Winston Republican learns that a 6-year-old son of James Haymore, of Pilot Mountain, got access to a quantity of whiskey and drank so much of it that death, in a very distressing form, followed soon thereafter.

How's Your Liver?

Is the Oriental salutation, knowing that good health cannot exist without a healthy Liver. When the Liver is torpid the Bowels are sluggish and constipated, the food lies in the stomach undigested, poisoning the blood; frequent headache ensues; a feeling of lassitude, despondency and nervousness indicate how the whole system is deranged. Simmons Liver Regulator has been the means of restoring more people to health and happiness by giving them a healthy Liver than any agency known on earth. It acts with extraordinary power and efficacy.

Rev. R. C. Wilcox, Princeton, N. J., says: "I had nothing better so much to keep me in working condition as Simmons Liver Regulator."
See that you get the Genuine,
with the Z on each wrapper.
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