\*\*\*\*\*\* Saturday, August 15. Organ recital at All Souls' church at 4 p. m. Tennis at Hattery Park. Dance at the

\*\*\*\*\*\* Friday Morning Musicale at the Victoria Inn.

The popularity of the Friday morning musicales at the Victoria Inn is each week growing greater. For each one the hostess, Mrs. A. D. Martin, has a delightful program by singers and planists of pronounced ability. and planists of pronounced Yesterday's morning's affair very largely atended and very enjoy-

The program, one of unusual length was given well. It follows: Phyllis, . . . . Dr. Arne, Mrs. Callahan Molly's Eyes . . . . . C. B. Hawley ...C. B. Hawley Torreador Song, from Carmen Mr. Wright
Maidens of Cadiz ... Miss Kendall
Scene and aria, "Der Freischutz"...
Miss Kendall Love is a Bubble, Allitson, Miss Kendall Ace Maria, Luzzi. Miss De Perucker "Junge Liela," Brahms

Miss Callahan Villanelle, Eva Dell Aqua "Still wie die Nacht," Carl Gotze
Miss Kendall and Mr. Wright
"Where did you come from, baby,
dear?" Dudley Buck dear?" Dudley Buck .. Miss Kendall Chanson a la lune, Jacques Dalcroze

Miss De Parucker Husheen, A. A. Needham.

Miss De Parucker burg, Miss.

Death and the Malden, Schubert.

J. V. .. Mr. Wright

Each voice was good and each number greatly enjoyed.

Mountain Party.
One of the most delightful trips of the season was had through the pic-turesque Blue Ridge and Black mountains to the summit of the majestic Mt. Mitchell on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, by a party consisting of Mrs. Moss, of Philadelphia, Pa., Chedester, Mr. Lawrence Chedester, Mr. Galbraith Coit, and Mr. Jas. Taylor, all of Asheville; Mr. De Rowan, of New Orleans, La., Misses Miss Esther King Martin entertainDarraugh and Shaffer. of Pittsburg, ed at luncheon yesterday to honor
Pa., and Lieut. Jacob W. S. West, 30th Miss Ball of Richmond and Miss Kittrell, N. C., who have been at the put the price of leaf tobacco below the

S. Infantry, and Mr. Phineas S. Phillips, of Cincinnati, O. The trip was most enjoyable throughout and the scenery unsur-passed. The weather was delightful and added much to the pleasure comfort of the party.

Jewish Aid Society.

The Jewish women of Asheville met yesterday afternoon in their temple on Spruce street and organized a ladies aid society. About twenty members attended the enthusiastic meeting. Eighteen more women will probably join the society. The following officers were elected:

President-Mrs. A. Whitlock. Vice-president-Mrs. M. D. Long. Secretary and Treasurer-Miss Clara

Tennis to be Continued Today. Owing to the rain yesterday after-oon no matches were played off in he tennis tourney at Battery Park. Stikeleather and Fitzpatrick, who were to have played the first match of the afternoon, with West and West, started in and finished one set. The rain then compelled them to stop. The score for the set was 6-4 in favor of the first named team. This afternoon the play will begin

at 30'clock and continue all the af-

Among yesterday's arrivals at the Battery Park hotel are:
P. S. Arkwright, Atlanta; C. Howard, Atlanta; Roland Ellis, Macon, Ga.; J. M. Williams, Dublin, Ga.; E. M. Holmon and wife, Worcester, Mass.; J. C. Martin, New York; H. R. McHwine, Virgiana; J. J. Asubry, Birmingham; L. M. Nicholson, Vicks burg, Miss.; C. R. Goodloe, Vicksburg, Miss.; W. W. Cunningham, Atlanta;

J. V. Johnston, Macon, Ga. Battery Park Dances.

The twice-a-week dances at Battery The twice-a-week dances at Battery mington, are here. They are at the Park are as popular as when they first Victoria Inn. began. Last night's dance was largely

Misses Watts and Troy Entertain. Misses Watts and Troy entertained Thursday evening in honor of their guests, Misses Pickett, Arrington, guests, Misses Pickett, Arrington, Hails and Watts of Montgomery, Ala. The pariors and halls were beautifully decorated in paims and cut flowers. Delicious ices and cakes were served.

Luncheon to Miss Ball of Virginia and Miss Stewart of Fletcher.

SUNDAY fruth needs no flowers of speech.—

AS and Creations your control of the BREAKFAST.

Stewart of Flatcher. Covers were laid for eight.
Miss Martin's guests were Ball, Miss Stewart, Miss Battle, Miss Hale of St. Louis, Miss Blanche Ran-delph, Miss Mason of Washington,

Miss Kendall of Cincinnati. Dance at Overlook.

A dance was given last night by the Ashevill: German club at Overlook park. A special car left the Square at 8 o'clock and returned at 12:30. The dance was enjoyed by a large umber of the young society set. Dancing began shortly after nine o'clock, the music and floor being finthe participants all enjoyed a most

leasant evening. Among those present, participating in the dance were: Misses Guerard, of South Carolina; Miss Betty Sites, Miss Dora Doe, Miss Christine Schuessler, Misses Drum-mond, Miss Westmoreland, of Atlanta, Miss Woodard, Miss Gertrude Smith, of Louisiana, Miss McCadall, of Louisiana, Miss Smaiden, of Louisi-Miss Etta Dukes, of Savannah, Messrs, Nichols, Sites, Guerard, Cobb, Jameson, of Louisville, Ky. Ramseur, Henderson, Robertson, Hilliard, Way, Taylor, of Louisiana, Mar-Guerard, Selden, Salley, Reynolds, Wadsworth: chaperones: Mr. and Mrs. Sites, Mr. and Mrs. Drummond, and Mrs. Schuessier.

Misses Shirley Montgomery, of Concord, and Rosalie Smith, of Goldsboro, were guests of Misses Watts and Troy, 41 Spruce street, this week. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bellamy, of Wil-

Miss Burrell and Miss Fannie Burrell, of Charlotte, passed through Asheville yesterday en route to Hot

Springs. Informal Dance. An informal dance was enjoyed at

the Victoria Inn last evening. Owing to the rain the weekly tea at the Swannanoa Country club was not held yesterday afternoon.

the Johnston, of Macon, Georgia, ar-rived yesterday afternoon. They are at the Battery Park hotel.

Miss Grace Elliott Carson, of Sum-

ter county, South Carolina, a niece of T. C. H. Dukes, is visiting Mr. and

Mr. and Mrs. Tench Coxe and Miss Boatwright, of Wilmington, are at Sapphire

## **ASKED GOVERNOR** TO OPPOSE TRUSTS

Raleigh, N. C. August 14.-Editor C. H. Poe. of the Progressive work on account of it. I have been so Farmer, returned today from the annual meeting of the Farmers' State out of bed with my hands and as for Alliance of Hillsboro and gives interest getting my clothing on. I could not ing news of its proceedings. It was in all ways the best meeting he has ever hed my back with liniments put on attended. Grand progress was made during the year. More earnest efforts during the year. More earnest each than ever will be made to recognize and than ever will be made to recognize and enlarge the order. W. B. Fleming preretary. Many counties which last year did not report have since been recognized and are in good condition and were represented. About \$1,000 was added, as profits, to the permanent added, as profits, to the permaneht natural, fund, and a resolution was adopted au- Sold i thorizing the work o part of this to be used in pushing the reorganization

The secretary was directed to prepare take no other. and publish in all the papers possible a = list of all non-trust tobacco manufac

that it should condemn the action of the ent buyers to sell at a ruinous sac legislature of 1903 in refusing to make rifice their present holdings of toan appropriation, and in refusing the bacco. credit of the state in procuring a law. for the building of an agricultural appoint a committee with authority to building at the A. and M. college at join with the Tobacco Growers' asso-Raleigh. Second, That we further concision and all other parties interested demn the action of the legislature in in calling a committee of tobacco requiring the board of agriculture to farmers to take action in regard to appropriate \$12,000 to complete the un-finished buildings now in course of ercc-finished buildings now in course of erccappropriate \$12,000 to complete the un- the decline in the price of leaf tobaction at said college before they were permitted to take money from their funds (a tay on armers only) to build chants of all classes, warehousemen, said agriculture building. Third, That bankers and capitalists; to prevent we ask the next legislature to right this leading agricultural industry from this wrong and injustice wrought by destruction at the hands of this giant upon the farmers of the state in the above particulars."

Another resolution adopted is as follows: "Whereas the present low price of leaf tobacco seriously concerns the furnished the press of the state for manufal conditions." financial condition of many of our publication: brethren; now be it

Resolved, That by the Alliance in annual convention. First, That according to our judgment ther is no cause for the great fall in the price of leaf tobacco other than the consultation of the American and

Imperial Tobacco companies. Second. That we do hereby respect-fully petition Gov. Aycock, through joint action with the governors of South at 2 p. m. Dr. B. F. Dixon, State audi-Carolina and Virginia, to use his best endeavors to induce the President of the United States to enforce any law now in existence for the suppression of pronopoly in the purchase of tobacco.

On One Subject Asheville People Grow Enthusiastic.

on the following subject is almost daily manifested by public expression and local endorsement. Head what this citizen says, and discover the cause for the constant showering of praise which follows in the wake of Doan's Kidney Pilis:

A B Page printer of 67 North

The following educe A. B. Page, printer, of 67 North

Main street, says: 'I have had trou-ble with my kidneys and back for at least three years. The secretions from the kidneys were as red as blood and full of sediment and of a very and full of sediment and of a very strong odor. My back ached some times as if it would come anjointed especially at night. Terrible pains right across the small of my back up the left side clear to my shoulders existed, and I have lost days from my work on account of it. I have been so had that I sould have the result havely drag myself. plasters and used any number of remedies but to no purpose, until I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Dr. T. C. Smith's drug store and used them. The first dose helped me and since us-The first dose helped me and since using the remedy I have not had the backache You can use my name and welcome. They cured me and rendered the kidney secretions normal and Sold for 50 cents a box by all deal-

ers. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name-Doan's-and

cost of production at this time but for The following resolutions were adopt-d: "Resolved, That the Alilance feels to force warehousemen and independ-

4th. That the president of this body

monopoloy and trust, 6th. That a copy of these

### ANNUAL REUNION.

The annual reunion of the Rough and Ready Guards, Co. F. 14th N. C. and the Buncombe Riflemen, Co. K, 11th N. C. and part of the C. V. C. Confederate Veterans began at Camp Ray yestor, will speak.

STARLIGHT EXCURSION.

View the mountains seen from Overlook Park by starlight. It's a beauright. Cars leave the square 6:00, 7:00, 8:00 and 9:00 p. m. Last car leaves mountain 10:15 p. m.

The following educational rallies have been arranged by the executive committee, and this list will be added

August 22.

Hamlet, August 15th. Sparta, Alleghany county, August Laurel Springs, Alleghany county,

Hilton Academy, Ashe county, Aug. Jefferson, Ashe county, August 25. Franklin, Macon county, August 29. Highland, Macon county, August 29.

DR. CHARLES D. McIVER-

Castalia, Nash county, August 21. Kirby, Northampton county,

PROF. J. B. CARLYLE-

Yadkinville, Yadkin county, August North Wilkesboro, Wilkes county, \$ m., August 17. Moravian Falls, Wilkes county, Au-Kendall, Wilkes county, August 19. New Hope, Wilkes county, August

Bugaboo, Wilkes county, August 22.

HON, JOHN H. SMALL-Mt. Gllead, Cabarrus county, August

Mt. Pleasant, Cabarrus county, Au-Georgeville, Cazarrus county, Aug. Bethel, Cabarrus county, August 21. Harrisburg, Cabarrus county, Aug.

HON. R. B. WHITE-

Newton, Catawba county, August Popular Tent, Cabarrus county, Auust 17. Mt. Gilead, Cabarrus county, Aug. Mt. Pleasant, Cabarrus county, Aug. Georgeville, Cabarrus county, Au-Bethel. Cabarrus county, August 21. Harrisburg, Cabarrus county, Aug.

HON. R. F. BEASLEY-Blanchville, Robeson county, Aug. Centennary, Robeson county, Aug.

DR. G. T. WINSTON-Haywood county, week ending Au-cust 15. Dilisboro, Jackson county, August Silver, Jackson county, August 18. Webster, Jackson county, August 19 Enon, Transylvania county, August

Brevard, Transylvania county, Aurust 22. Hog Back, Transylvania county, August 24.

PROF. J. E. RAY-Lowesville, Lincoln county, August

DR. THOMAS NEWLIN-West Bend, Yadkin county, August

Augusta, Davie county, August 18. A. D. KOCH, Jonesboro, Ind.

Fork church, Davie county, August 18 (night.) Advance, Davie county, August 19. Farmington, Davie county, August White School House, August 26

HON. WALTER M. THOMPSON-

Iredell, Brunswick county, August Pellocksville, Jones county, August Tuckoboe, Jones county, August 28th, Trenton, Jones county, August 28th, HON. C. H. MEBANE.

Newton, Catawba county, August 15.
HON. W. G. HAMMER—
Augusts, Davie county, August 18
(afternoon.)
Fork church, Davie county, August Advance, Davie county, August 19 (afternoon.) Farmington, Davie county, August 29 (afternoon.)
White School House, Davie county,
August 20 (night.)

Culuhalen, Davie county, August 21 (afternoon.) Mocksville, Davie county, August 22 (afternoon.) DR. B. F. DIXON-Columbus, Polk county, August 19,

SUPT. D. MATT THOMPSON— Louisville, Lincoln county, August 15.

PROF. M. C. S. NOBLE-Newton, Catawba county, August

DR. A. J. M'ELWAY-Poplar Tent, Cabarrus county, Au-Harrisburg, Cabarrus county, August 22. EUGENE C. BROOKS, Secretary to Campaign Committee

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We are making a drive on ladies' oxfords. They are perfect beauties and you can get them at 25 per cent dis-

count, to close them out G. A. MEARS The Daylight Store, South Main Street 8-15 1t

Bell pepper.. .. ... ... ... .. . . . . . . 10c dozen. bunch Onlons...... bunch HIRAM LINDSEY.

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Do as I have done-get in the Parker City, Ind., Oil field. I have 600 acres; am organizing a new com-

Get in on the ground floor. Address.

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We have the largest Brick Hotel in the Carolinas or Georgia, with all modern improvements. Every room in the hotel is an outside room. The ball room is located on the fourth floor, which is 44 x 120 feet, 38 large windows, 285 4 candle electric lights. The Columbia Orchestra furnishes music. The grounds are well shaded. We have an electric car line from White Stone on the Southern Road to the Spring. As to the water, we have the finest mineral water on the market. We refer you to the following testimonials:

### REV. G. F. SCHAEFFER.

Monroe, Ga., Sept. 20, 1902. White Stone Lithia Water Co., White

Stone Springs, S. C. Gentlemen:-Last month when my health was declining I was induced to make trial of White Stone Lithia To do so I became a guest at the White Stone Lithia Hotel. A torpld liver and kidney trouble, with swelling ankles (especially above the ankles) and poor appetite urged me to test the efficacy of the water.

The result has been very gratifying, The first apparent effect was the "waking up" of my liver, thereby producing a most pleasurable change of bodily feeling. My kidneys have been marvelously improved, if we consider the shortness of time in which the water was used. My ankles have resumed their normal condition. My weight was increased nine pounds in two weeks. I have ordered some of the water to be shipped to Monroe, and am confident that no other "med-Icine" is so well suited for my "allments."

> Respectfully. REV. G. F. SCHAEFFER.

Mullins, B, C., April 22, 1903.

with pleasure that I write of

A. M. BRAILSFORD, Jr., M. D.

the merits of White Stone Lithia Water, I have several patients using it now with marked benefit in kidney and stomuch troubles. I have known a uric acid calculus to pass after using the water for only three days. Respectfully yours, A. M. BRAILSFORD, Jr., M. D.

W. A. CLARK.

Columbia, S. C., Oct. 1, 1902. Mr. J. T. Harris, White Stone Springs,

Dear Sir-Your favor of the 5th ult. was duly received. In reply thereto, I would say that it affords me much pleasure to add our words of commendation to your springs and all its surroundings. Our visit there last August was highly enjoyed and greatly appreciated by us all. We derived much benefit from the use of the water and we can say without hesitation. that we have never used any mineral water with greater benefits. tion of this water on both kidneys and

liver was very marked and beneficial. We are also pleased to add our commendation to your hotel and all of its surroundings. We found the building all that could be expected, and fully up to your representation. The table was well kept, and afforded us entire , satisfaction. We would, without hea-

itation, commend it most favorably to anyone seeking a mineral water of this character; and we trust that you will enjoy a future of great prosperity for this enterprise so well started, and which descrives the patronage of our people. Yours very truly, W. A. CLARK.

President Carolina N. Bank.

Laurens, S. C., Sept. 10, 1902, J. T. Harris, Esq., White Stone Springs, S. C. Dear Sir: -I am using White Stone

much pleased with results. I think it the best I have used. Yours very respectfully, O. B. SIMMONS, Pres. Bank of Lau-

DR. B. ELMORE KELL.

Chester, S. C., April 23, 1903. Mr. J. T. Harris, White Stene Springs. Dear Sir:-I do unhesitatingly state

that the efficiency of White Stone

O. B. SIMMONS.

Springs Lithia Water and am very

Lithia Water, not from its splendid analytical analysis, but from my own personal observation, is a very valuable agent in eliminating the impurities of the blood through its marked diuretic effects, and in so doing restores the secretory and excretory organs of the body to their normal So in this way physiological state. proves its properties to be of great value in assisting digestion, assimulation and increasing the appetite. Therefore, we can recognize it as a mineral water of powerful tonic properties and should be highly recommended in stomach and liver disorders, blood disturbances, rheumatism, gout, diabetes, Brights disease, and in all inactive conditions of the kidneys and convalencing diseases.

B. ELMORE KELL, M. D.

I feel myself, that I am justly due

an acknowledgment of the happy ef-

fects I derived from its use

L. J. BLAKE, M. D. Read what Dr. L. J. Blake, President Board of Health of the City of Spartanburg, has to say of the merits of White Stone Lithia:

Spartanburg. May 11, 1903. J. T. Harris, Proprietor White Stone Springs, Spartanburg County, S. C .: Dear Sir-I have used and prescribed the White Stone Lithia Water a great deal during the past two years. In all cases requiring renal stimulation I have obtained uniformly good results. In lithaemia and kindred affections from uric acid diathesis it meets the indications, and I am sure its free use will prove it the equal of any similar water on the market. Yours very truly, L. J. BLAKE, M. D.

REV. JOHN T. McBRYDE.

Spartanburg, S. C., Aug. 16, 1901. White Stone Lithia Water Co., White

Stone Springs, S. C. Gentlemen:-I have tested the virtue of White Stone Lithia Water, and now most earnestly commend it to any one troubled with any kidney disease. It has done more for me than

any water I have ever tried. For years I have suffered at times with the passage of urle acid calculf, and have tried a number of celebrated mineral waters, among them Buffalo Lithia Water, Tate, Capon Springs, Waukesha Bethesda, having spent two months each summer for eight successive summers.

While I was somewhat benefited, I can safely state that I find no comparison in the action of White Stone

Lithia Water, for in it I find that they act powerfully on my kidneys, clearing up the urine and in thoroughly washing them out, when I drink White Stone Lithia Water in sufficient quantities. If what I learn from my doctors is true about flooding the kidneys, then I can see no reason why I should suffer any more with uric acid calculi or the fearful attacks of renal colic. As long as I can get it I will try no other water but White Stone

Very respectfully, REV. JOHN T. MCBRYDE, Pastor Second Presbyterian Church.

D. H. SALLY.

Sally, S. C., Sept. 11, 1902. White Stone Lithia Water Co., White

Stone Springs, S. C. Gentlemen: -I have been using the White Stone Lithia Water for some time for kidney trouble and feel better than for years as a result. Have taken no other medicine, and certainly consider the water wonderful in its ef-

fects. Respectfully,

D. H. SALLY.

Prof. and Mrs. Justin Bongafous are here to give General Massage Treatment and Medical Gymnastics to guests.

# White Stone Lithia Water Co.,

WHITE STONE SPRINGS, S. C.