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AUTO BALL TO OCCUR TONIGHT

The orchestra furnishing the music for the automobile ball at Laurel Park tonight, is one of the best in the South. They will be seated in a clever imitation gasoline wagon and the streams of sweet music furnished by them will make the pleasure of the dancers a double one.

The delicious punch will be served from a well, well, it almost slipped out that time, sure. It is a state secret just how the punch will be served and no mention of it whatever is supposed to be made in any daily newspaper. But the punch will be served and it will be the right kind, too.

The floor of the pavilion, one of the best dancing floors in the State, will be in excellent condition—it will be all the most particular may demand. Altogether the ball will be a fitting climax to the most brilliant social season in Hendersonville's history as a resort.

The event is given in honor of the contributors to the automobile meet fund—a partial list of whom was published in yesterday's Herald.

While it is unfortunate that the hill climb and parade had to be postponed until August 18, 1912, the ball tonight will testify to the desire of the part of Hendersonville's public spirited business men to contribute in every way possible to the entertainment of the city's guests.

Mr. Rogers Receives Prize.

Mr. R. M. Rogers of Fruitland was in the city yesterday, incidental to collecting the prize of \$15.00 offered last year by the Mercantile Co. for the best yield of beans grown on one-half an acre of land. He had previously received the same amount offered for the best yield of Irish potatoes.

Mr. Rogers succeeded in coaxing from the ground 123 bushels of potatoes on the specified half acre, and 5 and 1-3 bushels of beans from another half acre. The yield of potatoes was larger than even Mr. Rogers expected, being something unusual for this county. He feels justly proud of this record and promises to show some more good produce if the Fair is held this fall.

Buyer Lot Number Thirteen

Mr. Giles L. Wilson, of Spartanburg, a national bank examiner who is spending a few days in Hendersonville, at Laurel Park, Retreat, has bought lot number thirteen in the Laurel Park residential subdivision.

Mr. Wilson it is, in whose life this number thirteen has been pleasantly associated with many of the most important incidents of his career. An account of some of these incidents appeared in a recent issue of the Daily Herald attracted attention here and has since been widely copied by the press of the South.

Almost from Mr. Wilson's first exploration of Laurel Park he was attracted to one certain lot in the estate—not particularly more desirable than any one of the others remaining in the subdivision, and not in anyway more likely to attract his attention. But this one certain lot invited his attention, his thoughts, his desires, and he seriously began to consider buying it.

One evening Mr. Wilson spoke to Mr. W. A. Smith about the site he had in mind for a summer home. Together they consulted the large map of Laurel Park Estate and both were almost startled to find that it was Lot No. Thirteen!

When this number's connection with Mr. Wilson's life at almost every turn is considered, that he should select lot number thirteen from among many equally as desirable is really a remarkable coincidence and one hard to explain. It will be interesting to note if, in the fullness of time, Mr. Wilson sells the home site he now owns in the most beautiful natural park in America for a greatly increased sum—say thirteen hundred dollars. Or possibly he may find a gold mine there or something like that. At all events he has bought the lot. No doubt that of itself is lucky for him as it is for Hendersonville in gaining so desirable an addition to its citizenship as Mr. Giles L. Wilson—a man for whom number thirteen has no terrors whatever.

At The Palace

Both the pictures and the music were unusually good last night and it was hard to leave even after the performance was over. "Steamboat Bill" by the orchestra received a good round of applause and the rendition of all the numbers was worthy of commendation. Especially good and touching were the accompanying pieces of the film "Waiting". The music and the paths of the piece made one boy in the rear of the hall say to his younger brother, "Don't cry, Freddie, it aint all so." He really expressed the secret feeling of all who saw the film for it was one of heart-grinding interest. Good pictures will be shown this afternoon and tonight. A Philbrick picture of extreme interest will be the feature. As usual a good show and a crowded house of well pleased spectators will be seen.

THE EXODUS



KANUGA NEWS

Sept., the most beautiful month of the golden year, finds no lack of appreciation of its charms amongst the scores of members of Kanuga Club who are still enjoying the hospitality of that famed resort.

The aquatic sports drew a large crowd of spectators, who were enthusiastic in their applause of the various contestants. In the midst of the swimming contest, Mr. Peter O'Donnell of New Orleans, dressed as a girl, suddenly upset in a canoe near shore and caused some consternation among the attendants, who thought he was a real girl and could not swim. He was finally carried safely to the float much to the amusement of the crowd, when they discovered the affair was only a joke. The judges were T. G. Buch and Judge Foster of New Orleans, and K. G. Whitaker of Columbia, S. C. The prizes were awarded in the evening at the auditorium, during the intermission of the formal dance.

Col. McCloskey of Atlanta made an appropriate address and Mr. Whistler in his usually graceful manner, presented to each winner the token of his prowess. The Carnival was a success and will become an annual event at Kanuga.

At the regular Thursday evening Progressive Whist party the following were the prize winners, in the order given: Capt. and Mrs. Jack, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson, Judge and Mrs. Guion, Judge and Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Robinson, and Will Tyman.

On Sunday morning Prof. Richard T. Wyche conducted the religious exercises and told in his own charming manner the story of St. Francis of Assisi. At 8:30 P. M. Rev. P. T. Durham of Concord preached, and gave his audience an example of eloquence in his sermon from the text "Lay not up for yourselves treasures on earth."

The entertainment of Moving and Living Pictures given on Wednesday evening under the direction of Mrs. W. J. O'Donnell of New Orleans was largely attended and was enjoyed. The proceeds were for the benefit of the Library.

Recent Arrivals at the Club are: Mr. K. G. Whistler, Columbia, S. C.; Miss Josephine Clarke, Savannah; Miss Ivey Watts, Hendersonville; Miss A. L. Smith, Hendersonville; Thom Devlin, Hendersonville; H. M. Ferris, H'ville; Miss Bunny Taylor, New Orleans; Mr. W. Urok Flower, New Orleans, La.; Mr. F. H. White, New Orleans, La.; Mr. A. J. Haged, New Orleans, La.; Mr. J. T. Conaway, Rev. P. T. Durham, Charlotte, N. C.; Chase Brenizer, Mr. B. P. Korner, Mr. and Mrs. Tenent, Miss Harriet Edwards, Charlotte, N. C. Mr. Jno. A. Law, Miss Ann Law, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Griffin, Spartanburg, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Simpson and family, Mr. E. V. Patterson, Charlotte, N. C.; Mr. C. F. Ray, Asheville, N. C.; Mrs. S. C. Thornton, Montgomery, Ala.; Miss Thonington, Montgomery, Ala.; Miss Saddle Williams, Augusta, Ga.; Mr. W. S. Hayward, Charleston, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. E. Cabiness, Birmingham, Ala.; Mr. John M. Scott, Charlotte, N. C.

It is reported that the deal is off whereby the Franklin Park Improvement Co., was to sell the Franklin Hotel together with eight acres of land to Cleveland and Williams of Greenville, S. C. The sale was announced as concluded about two weeks ago, the consideration named being \$35,000. When the time came for the actual signing of the deeds, however, it is said that the owners of the Franklin Park Improvement Co. refused to affix their signatures, the reason for their action not being known.

SHORT LOCAL NOTES

Mr. Avery Gates returned yesterday from a stay of several days in Spartanburg.

Col. White and Dr. Price of Muskogee, Okla. reached the city today and are quartered at the Kentucky Home where they expect to spend several weeks.

Mr. C. J. Kelloway, connected with the Atlantic Coast Line railroad at Wilmington stopped over in the city yesterday on his way to Brevard where he will spend several days.

Number 83 wins the beautiful Little Dolly Favorite Range give away by Edwards Hardware Company in its contest recently closed. The person holding this lucky number had not been located before going to press this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bain of Raleigh reached the city yesterday and will spend several days here, stopping at the Kentucky Home.

Mrs. F. H. H. Calhoun and Mrs. H. B. Carlisle of Clemson College, S. C., were in the city yesterday for a short while, leaving for Spartanburg last night.

Mr. C. H. T. Bly left yesterday for New York where he expects to spend about ten days on matters of business.

Mr. H. E. Stillwell left yesterday for a stay of several days in Savannah and Jacksonville.

Mr. W. H. Sheets, Jr., of Asheville was in the city yesterday for a short while.

Mrs. J. C. Garlington, of Laurens, S. C., returned home this morning after several months visit with her son at the Kentucky Home.

Miss Annie, Mary and Wilhelmina Webb of Nashville, Tenn., who have been spending the past two weeks at the Kentucky Home returned today after a very pleasant visit.

Dr. R. H. Bellamy, and Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Wood of Wilmington are in the city today.

Miss Sarah Cansler, who has been spending several weeks at Kanuga returned yesterday to her home in Charlotte.

Mr. D. H. Klein, Principal of the Flat Rock graded school for the past three years is in the city passing the amenities of the day with Supt. W. S. Shille.

Mrs. Sol Iseman and daughter, Vera, after spending several weeks in the city, returned today to their home in Jacksonville, Fla.

Miss Jessie Robinson and Messrs. Stewart and Scholle Pitcher of Charleston, S. C., who have been here for several weeks returned to their homes this morning on the Carolina Special.

Work on the street car line has been delayed for several days on account of the recent period of rainy weather. As soon as the ground will permit the work will be resumed. It was amusing yesterday to watch the negro laborers, who had been handed checks in payment of their work. Many of them found difficulty in reading their names and several of them had the one intended for someone else. The bystanders came to their rescue and finally helped them adjust matters satisfactorily. One of the negroes looked at the thin piece of paper for a long time and then said, "Hub, that don't look like no money to me." And it didn't for this fellow knew no more about checks, and their value than a rabbit knows about side-pockets.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Raleigh, N. C.—The North Carolina corporation commission today accepted the resignation of J. K. Doughton as state bank examiner, and elected in his stead Charles B. Brown who has for some time served as assistant examiner.

Sallburg, N. C.—The verdict in the white slave trial was reached by the jury in Rowan superior court late last night. Mrs. Annie Nod was convicted.

New York—Changes to meet objections of bankers of certain features of the new central bureau plan for the registry of export cotton bills were made in the plan today at a conference of the members of the bills of lading committee of the American Bankers' association.

New Orleans—E. L. Hall, the auditor of the Gulf & Ship Island railroad, wanted on the charge of embezzling \$5,000 from the railroad, was arrested at the terminal station here today by local detectives.

Wilmington, N. C.—A sensational campaign here for better sanitary conditions culminated late yesterday in the arrest of Mayor Jos. D. Smith and Dr. Charles T. Nesbitt, superintendent of health, charged with failure to abate a common nuisance in what is alleged to be an inadequate sewer line through the principal part of the municipality.

Chicago—Representative of the international union composing the federated shop employees of the Illinois Central, which has been refused recognition by President Markham, of the railroad, today gave thirty days' formal notice to railroad that they desire alterations in their contracts.

Washington.—Representatives Chas. D. Carter, of Oklahoma, created a sensation in the heart of the smart shopping center here today by assaulting four clerks, one of whom he alleged insulted his 18 year old daughter Miss Italy Carter, who was with her father on a shopping expedition.

Chesterfield Court House, Va.—Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., indicted for the murder of his wife, did not take the stand yesterday in his own behalf as was expected, but the assertion was made just before court adjourned that the defense would conclude its case late today with the prisoners testimony.

The First Methodist Church

Services at the First Methodist Church tomorrow as follows: Sunday School at 9:45 A. M., conducted by F. E. Durfee, Supt. At 11 o'clock preaching by the pastor. At 8:30 P. M. Sermon by Rev. Dr. D. Atkins, Presiding Elder.

A cordial invitation of these meetings is extended to all.

At The Lyric

A good crowd saw the "Coronation" last night and it was one of the most endless array of glittering beauty and splendor. 'Twas hard to conceive the immensity of all of it and the trouble and expense of such a massive affair. If splendor and gallantly bedecked men and women had anything to do with the success of the event it must have been success in every particular. It was a great show. The film showing the young soldier about to be executed was a most excellent one. The interpretative music of the orchestra had much to do with the effect of this picture however. The music last night was highly enjoyed because most of the selections were of the kind which naturally appeal to one.

CHOLERA EPIDEMIC GROWS

Many Deaths Daily Reported From Turkey.

Constantinople, Sept. 1.—The cholera epidemic is obtaining a firm hold in Turkey. Partial returns show on August 31 that there were 70 cholera cases and 25 deaths in Constantinople. At Uskup there is an average of 50 cases daily while at Moalister in Macedonia the disease is equally virulent.

Johnny's Question.

Johnny Williams had been "bad" again.

"Ah me, Johnny!" sighed his Sunday school teacher. "I am afraid we shall never meet in heaven."

"What have you been doing?" asked Johnny, with a grin.—Harper's

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Browning and four daughters of Palatka, Fla., and Mrs. S. B. Saunders and son of Saginaw, Mich., are staying at Hillcrest for several days.

The Herald office was the recipient yesterday of a fine large, incense watermelon from Mr. T. J. Shipman who lives out on the Ridge road, a short piece from the city. To say that such tokens are appreciated hardly expresses the pleasure felt. Could the donor have seen the smiles of satisfaction that wreathed the countenances of the office force while eating this melon, he would have known better what degree of appreciation was felt. The Herald is always proud to welcome a man of Mr. Shipman's type, and will take him at once into the innermost recesses of the Sanctum. Come again and bring another melon....

DRESS MAKING—Apply at Open YFw Cottage, Buncombe Street between 7th and 8th Avenue. 1wp.

WHILE SOME DECIDE TO GO OTHERS GLAD TO COME

Hundreds of visitors have already left Hendersonville—called home by business, school or social affairs, but, for the first time in many years, many more are coming to Hendersonville to take their places.

This peculiarity of the present season is noticeable particularly at Laurel Park—where scores of strangers are seen, now that the sun is smiling once again, exploring the manifold beauties of the great estate.

It is a fact, and one that speaks loudly of the fame of Laurel Park, that nine-tenths of the visitors to Hendersonville visit Laurel Park at the first favorable opportunity presented. And nine times out of ten, again, they repeat their visit, almost daily.

The Swiss Railway in the Park, at the present terminus of the Laurel Park street railway, is the second favorite spot of the average tourist—the first being Crystal Springs.

The numbers of passengers carried daily by the incline average something like three hundred—and they are universally out-spoken in their admiration of that superb panorama witnessed from the summit of Echo Mountain and the end of the railway. They see before them, spread on a gigantic canvass miles and miles broad, a picture of the White City—Hendersonville—with its long arms eagerly reaching towards the Park which has helped to make it known.

Beyond the city they see the gentle undulating slopes of the most beautiful mountains in the world. Not the bare and barren rugged Rockies, nor the snow capped peaks of Switzerland's famed Alps, but green clad giants tossing their gleaming heights far into an azure sky. They see, beyond the first range, other peaks in the dim distance—solitary sentinels on these far flung ramparts of the world keeping watch and ward over the destinies of a city some day to be the resort of a nation.

It's a fine picture a wonderful scene—not soon forgotten. And the easiest way of all to view it is to take the dummy" to the Swiss incline railway.

There's going to be many hundreds like this trip tomorrow—if the sun still shines. The Park itself never looked more beautiful than right now after the wonderful foliage there has been refreshed and renewed and given new life by the copious rains. Altho late in the season, it is the one safe bet that the crowd at Laurel Park tomorrow will rival in numbers and enthusiasm any crowd there the season it's Hendersonville's Playground of a verity, and when the weather is favorable the people flock to it.

"There's a reason."

WILLIAM SHOWS APTITUDE FOR ADVERTISING BUSINESS

"What is this—a corn show or printing office?"

An old and valued subscriber to the Hustler fired the question at the office devil as he started to enter the office this morning.

His mission was a life-saving one. He was about to pay a year's back subscription and one year in advance.

Very often old and valued subscribers do this very same thing.

That's no fairy tale—right there on Miss Lilly Brook's desk are the books to prove it if you hesitate to believe the statement.

He started to enter and everybody's heart ceased to beat for fear he would not. He paused on the worn stone threshold of the office, pulled a pair of steel rimmed spectacles from a leather case, and carefully adjusting them, leaned over and examined something on the ground in front of him.

"Well, I'll be dogged if that aint clever," he murmured. "That's what I call smart—I certainly do."

And slowly removing his specs, he replaced them in their leather case and entered the office.

A sign composed of kernels of corn, spelling "The Hustler Company, Incorporated," spread on the walk was the cause of the old and valued subscribers' remarks. The sign was the result of the mental and physical prowess of Mr. William Shipman a recent and temporary addition to the Hustler's staff of bright young men, who, finding time hanging somewhat heavy upon his hands conceived the idea of utilizing the large space in front of the office for advertising purposes.

William is extremely anxious that no note be taken of his effort, and out side of this confidential little comment nothing will be said about it. For you see how it is, yourself—he was supposed to be otherwise engaged but his spirit naturally rebelling against the iron discipline of a mere printing office, he, and so on and so on.

Help Wanted.

Wanted Piano player for temporary employment in Hendersonville. Good pay to right party. Address Piano, care Herald Sept. 2, 2tp