

## First Annual Horse Show.

The first annual horse show will begin its two days' session tomorrow at 2:30 p. m.

Present indications point toward success.

There are more than 200 entries in these being from N. C., S. C. and Georgia. Of this number about 40 entries were made by Asheville people.

The interest taken in Asheville is remarkable, and hundreds of people over there are looking forward to this enjoyable event.

Yesterday was the last day for entries and they were pouring in over the telephone last night.

There yet remain some unentered that were promised.

The grounds have been prepared and a new grand stand built between the ground and the lake.

The seating capacity in the grand stand will accommodate 700 people.

The local interest taken in the show is wonderful. We have been notified that the merchants of the city close their stores from two o'clock until six Thursday Wednesday and Thursday to attend the show.—Tuesday's Daily.

## Concerning our Town And Others.

A representative of the Hustler spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Asheville. While there he kept his eyes alert to the attractions, the growth, and the number of summer visitors there, and all the little things that pertain to a hustling town.

It has often been said that Hendersonville contains as many if not more visitors than Asheville. If one can look with an unprejudiced eye he will at once notice by far the greatest hustling activity in our town. The crowd of gazers standing on the square and that's where you will find visitors if they are in Asheville—is nothing in size to the number of people seen on Main street in Hendersonville. Furthermore, Asheville is not enjoying the number of visitors that was there last August. When we closely observe the attractions of our city and those of Asheville we can easily account for the difference. They boast of the greatness of their town, but from all appearances they are doing nothing to entertain their visitors.

They have a little attraction at only one theater, a little at the skating rink, and a little at River side Park, and there these amusements are only at night.

The writer met a citizen of Waynesville in Asheville and he instantly remarked about the activity of this city, its conference, horse show, chautauqua and other good things that go to make the progressiveness of Hendersonville—the greatest resort in the South.

Ex-Sheriff J. Williams has completed his new road to Chimney Rock. His new road is a little more than two miles in length and Mr. Williams says it embraces some of the finest scenery in the state. A driver can go now direct to Chimney Rock by the way of Salola Inn, where there is now a great number of visitors.

## Painful Accident

Mrs. Flawn and Miss Levy, of Georgetown, S. C. and Mr. Habernaicht, of Columbia, had a narrow escape from serious injury yesterday when they were thrown from a carriage. The horses were frightened at an automobile and reared up and at the same time made a short turn, which wrenched one carriage wheel into splinters and threw the occupants out.

The accident was at corner of Aspen and Main streets. Mrs. Flawn ran against the high curbing and hurt herself while her baby was thrown from her arms and bruised considerably. Injuries were not serious.—Tuesday Daily.

## Democrats In Haywood Name Strong Ticket.

A Hustler representative, who made a brief visit to Waynesville the first of this week, says the democrats of Haywood are in fine shape and confidently expect to increase their handsome majority of two years ago. The convention for the nomination of county candidates was held on Monday and a strong ticket put in the field. It is composed of the following named gentlemen: Representative—H. R. Ferguson.

Sheriff—W. R. Medford. Treasurer—Hugh A. Love. Register of Deeds—J. M. Noland.

County Commissioners—M. M. Noland, W. D. McCracken, W. H. Henderson.

Coroner—J. E. Moore.

Surveyor—O. O. Stanford.

The utmost harmony and good feeling prevailed and republicans who came out Monday to witness a lively scrap (with possibly a split) in the party went away shaking their heads. "Leading democrats over there," continued the reporter, "told me the party was never in better shape and that Mr. Crawford's majority in Haywood this year will exceed 800."

## A Rumor.

It has been rumored, how correctly we do not pretend to state, but it is current talk, altho' efforts to trace the talk to its source have failed, even tho' the Daily Hustler has 'steened' of its bright young men tracing it up, and most every woman in town is talking about it, so what harm can there be in the Daily Hustler repeating it, even if it is conversant with the laws of libel, but it is whispered by people in dark corners whose faces pale at the terrible news they repeat below their breath, that Hendersonville has a GREAT BIG CROWD this season, three times as many people as any other town in the mountains!

But for goodness' sake don't say anything about it, you know. It wouldn't do!

## Fishback-Braswell

Miss Lucy Fishback, of Harrisonburg, Va., and Ex-Mayor P. E. Braswell, of this city, were married in Greenville, S. C. yesterday.

The bride has been a popular lady of Harrisonburg, and has been teaching school for several years.

The groom is a prominent citizen and capitalist of Hendersonville, having served it as mayor for a good while.

## Mississippi Man Buys Property

Mr. John L. Orr has sold to Mr. William Lott, of Mississippi, that fine property on the Flat Rock road, "Rosedale Home," possibly better known as the B. F. Posey place.

Mr. Lott is one of the best known men of that far state, and Hendersonville is to be congratulated upon the fact that this city is to be his future home, and Mr. Orr is to be congratulated upon his success in locating here a gentleman of the standing and high character possessed by Mr. Lott.

He has a very beautiful place in "Rosedale Home," and Mr. Lott thinks this a very beautiful country and is well satisfied to think that a part, at least, of each year will be spent here in the future.

## First Bale North Carolina Cotton.

G. A. Martin, with his wife, are guests of Mrs. Osteen, at the "Chicken House." Mr. Martin is from Morven, N. C., where the first bale of new cotton sold in this state this year was marketed yesterday, at 11 1-2 cents, and was bought by T. V. Hardison, who spent last week in Hendersonville. Mr. Martin says the finest corn he's seen in this state is on Major Barker's farm here. Mr. Martin is very favorably impressed with Hendersonville, it's scenery, it's people, and the excellent fare at his present boarding house.

## The Chautauqua.

James Hunt Cook, the platform manager of the Chautauqua which opens Aug. 19, is secretary of the cotton exchange at Vicksburg, Miss. Affable, bright and pleasing, this young Southerner has won for himself a great name. He will be in charge of all the detail work of the Chautauqua here and will also present one or two of his very delightful lectures

## Recital at Hotel Gates.

The dramatic and musical recital given last night at Hotel Gates by Mrs. Hardin Burnley, of New York, was a decided success in its excellent program and the manner in which it was rendered, but the attendance was not very gratifying. Those who attended were well pleased at the entire performance and speak most complimentary of her child impersonations. The comedy and tragedy acts, and her dialect studies were excellent, being the exact talk of the negro.—Saturday Daily.

## Walked On By Mule.

Mrs. Eb. Drake stood behind her buggy, yesterday, on Main street. The mule hitched to the buggy became frightened and backed over Mrs. Drake, knocking her down, stepping on her. Besides a few bruises she was unhurt and was able to return to her home.—Saturday's Daily.

## THE NEW RAILROAD

W. A. Smith, president of the Appalachian Interurban Railroad Company, says that he has most encouraging news from New York looking to the closing of the contracts for the construction of that great railroad, which would mean so much to this part of the State.

## Potato For A Pen Wiper.

It's funny how the minds of men get fastened to a certain idea, or vegetable, and can't leave it, even when their profession or occupation changes.

There's Cashier C. E. Brooks of the Citizens Bank for instance. He's an expert on peaches and potatoes. He ought to be, by this time. He's got a great big Irish tuber on that little marble slab in the bank where he rings the silver dollars to see if they are counterfeit, and he uses the potato for a pen wiper. You can generally see a varied assortment of pens sticking upright in it, and Mr. Brooks says there's nothing equal to it for that purpose.

## Whist Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Pless entertained very handsomely at Bridge Whist a party of Wheeler guests in their Pine Grove at their beautiful residence.

The entire decorations were carried out in the color scheme of red, white and blue, with hundreds of yards of bunting, flags and Japanese lanterns. The Pines were illuminated with myriads of electric lights.

The Wheeler orchestra rendered many beautiful selections.

A sumptuous repast was served. Mrs. Pless was assisted by her sisters, Mrs. Wheeler and Mrs. Ostendorf, who presided at punch bowls. There were seventy five guests.

## Southern Railway Whistles.

Property owners near the depot are loud and bitter in their complaints against the Southern Railway for allowing the unnecessary blowing of engine whistles and ringing of bells at the depot. One property owner there, a former country official declares it to be a serious nuisance and an entirely unnecessary one. He cites an instance, the other day, of an engine bell on a passenger train which kept ringing all the time the train was at the depot.

## Two Chautauqua Attractions.

Manager Blythe, of the Chautauqua, spared neither expense nor pains when it came to securing attractions for the Hendersonville Chautauqua on the 19th. One of the star attractions are Capt. Jack Crawford, the Poet-Scout, a man who has made history. He is one of the most picturesque characters today on the platform. He is full of wit and his marvelous experiences are thrilling in the extreme.

Another attraction which will draw people from the surrounding towns is Rev. William Spurgeon, of London, who comes to Hendersonville with a message of helpfulness and with a reputation all his own.

## Picnic at Chimney Rock.

Large crowds of people gathered last Friday and Saturday at Chimney Rock for the picnic and tournament. People came from all sections of Buncombe, Polk, Henderson and Rutherford counties by the hundreds. The many hotels in the Gap were taxed to their capacity, while numerous parties brought their tents and provisions and camped out on the surrounding hills. Though the weather was unfavorable, all the attractions, such as the tournament and fire works, were pulled off according to program. There were dances and good music at several of the hotels, adding greatly to the pleasure of the occasion.

In spite of falling rain, parties made up of boys and girls climbed the mountains, scaled the Chimney, explored the several caves, viewed the falls and cascades, and journeyed to the bottomless pools. No matter how great proportion their appetites assumed, due to the unusual amount of exercise they were taking and to the light, wholesome air they were breathing, they were satisfied with the best that this mountain country affords,—and that means all that the most fastidious gourmand could desire.

The crowd was jolly, good-natured and peaceable, and there was absolutely nothing which occurred to interrupt the merry round of pleasures. Everyone left glad that he had come and resolved to return at the first opportunity. The gentlemen who undertook the picnic and managed it so successfully are to be commended for their enterprise and their unflinching kindness and attentions at all times.—Rutherfordton Sun.

## Regulate The Autos.

Main street was meant for something else besides a speedway for owners of automobiles. While the owners of autos have every right which other users of the street have, they have no more. The reckless disregard of public safety shown by some owners of the "devil wagons" is helping to keep alive the prejudice of the average horse owner and pedestrian against them. The speed of automobiles should be limited by the city ordinance and then the city police should ENFORCE that ordinance.

## The Biggest Day Yet At The Postoffice

Postmaster Jackson smiled gently and remarked to a Daily Hustler man that last Monday was the biggest day, in receipts, in the history of the Hendersonville Postoffice. It showed a tremendous increase over any other day and the genial postmaster opines that Hendersonville now has the largest crowd in her history.

## Miss Sunofsky Won Prize.

Miss Rose Sunofsky, this city, won a \$55 Stenography Scholarship as the result of her active and persistent efforts in the Asheville Citizen prize contest which closed Saturday night.

Early in the contest she won a worthy tailored suit as a special prize for her good work.

## The Ribbons.

The Hendersonville Horse Show ribbons are on exhibition in the big window of G. M. Glazener and they attract much attraction. There's the coveted blue ribbons, and the red and yellow, all badges of excellence.

## Republicans Nominate

The Republicans of Henderson county held their county convention today and nominated the following ticket:

For Representative, J. S. Rhodes.

For Register of deeds, S. M. King.

For Sheriff, A. M. Blackwell.

For Coroner, W. R. Kirk.

For Surveyor, A. C. Drake.

For Commissioners, John T. Staton, T. A. W. Lyda and W. P. Baine.

## The Excursions.

The summer traffic is now at the height in Hendersonville and other places in Western North Carolina.

Reliable citizens of this town say that the city now has in it as many visitors as is ever seen here.

The excursions that arrived from the South yesterday left hundreds of new visitors in this town.

Excursion loads arrived yesterday and another long train this morning containing eleven coaches full of people.

Every train was heavily laden with people, there being as many as a dozen coaches to some of them. The cars were crowded and packed to the utmost capacity. The majority of the crowd alighted at Hendersonville, tho' there were hundreds going on to Asheville and other resorts in Western Carolina. Among the majority left in Hendersonville, there were a few bound for Toxaway and Brevard.

All the excursion trains were pulled into the city with two engines, which puffed and snorted monstrosly to get the heavy loads up the mountains, then being several hours behind the scheduled time.

The boarding houses report great numbers of visitors and the most of them have all the guests that they can accommodate. They have already turned down several applications, which fact is an evidence that shows that the city contains thousands of visitors.

The excursion tickets hold good until about the first of September, and from now until that time the city will be crowded with thousands of strange faces.

There is a great hustling activity in all lines of business in the city. The stores, banks, the postoffice, all the places of amusement and the streets are crowded from early morn until a late hour at night.—Saturday's Daily.

## A Big Runaway.

Miss Neva Pace and her friend, Miss Hampton, who is visiting her, had a narrow escape from injury yesterday at Laurel Park.

The horse that the ladies were driving walked against the embankment while they were watching the ball game. Suddenly the buggy overturned, throwing the ladies out. At that time the horse jumped to run and broke up the buggy, after which he loosened himself and made tracks for home.

Fortunately the ladies were not hurt.—Saturday's Daily.