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SHRINERS ARE COMING HERE WEDNESDAY

LOCAL COMMITTEE HAVE ARRANGED ALL DETAILS.

PROMISE OF MUCH FUN AND AMUSEMENT FOR ALL

Program Issued by Officials Calls for Parade, Drills, and a Great Meeting for Summer Ceremonial.

The summer ceremonial of Oasis Temple, Ancient Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine will take place in Hendersonville on the fourth day of the seventh month, Anno Domini 1917, in the fifth year of the reign of Woodrow, the first, and the twenty-third of Oasis Temple.

Attractive programs in pamphlet form have been issued out of Charlotte by the officers of the Temple. A special train consisting of four Pullmans, a day coach and a baggage car will leave Charlotte via the Southern railway at 11 o'clock p. m., July 3rd arriving here on the morning of the Fourth.

The local reception committee headed by Sam T. Hodges has been quite busy for the past few days. Nearly eight thousand attractive cards have been mailed out of town to Shriners all over the South inviting them to attend the ceremonial and spend their vacation in Hendersonville. It is thought that a large number will arrive with their families and remain several days and weeks.

A committee composed of S. T. Hodges, and Postmaster S. Y. Bryson appeared before the city commissioners last Tuesday evening and secured \$100 to be used towards defraying the expenses. Over \$400 has been raised for this purpose.

Mayor Brooks will issue executive orders closing all the side streets to vehicles leading into Main street from Seventh avenue to the court house for the big parade. This will take place during the hours from 2:30 till 4 p. m. The official decorators are here busy placing fancy and patriotic colors on business houses and city buildings. The owners of residences are urged to decorate their homes for the Fourth. Flags will be in evidence more than day than ever in the history of Hendersonville.

For some days past the nobility of the state has been hearing reports to the effect that there will not be sufficient hotel accommodations at Hendersonville for the occasion. Advices from this city are to the effect that all the summer hotels are open now, or will be before that date, and that there will be no lack of accommodations. Nobles residing at Hendersonville and at Asheville, are authority for the statement that all shriners, their ladies, and candidates will be taken care of in the most approved style.

As to the "stunts" which will be "pulled off" at this meeting, little or nothing has been said. In fact, the public would hardly appreciate or understand these festivities, according to those who are responsible for them, but for the candidates it is announced that here will be plenty doing.

Reservations are now being made for the trip, the special train to be operated over the Southern Railway system from Charlotte to Spartanburg to Hendersonville.

The Arab patrol, both drill corps and band, will appear in the new uniforms at this gathering, for the first time, and all is now in readiness, it is said, for the mid-summer pilgrimage.

Official Program.
Arrival of Oasis Special early morning, July 4th.

9:00 A. M.—Reception and registration of Nobles and Candidates at City Hall.

10:00 A. M.—Automobile drive—starting from Carolina Terrace.

11:30 A. M.—Business Session at City Hall.

2:00 P. M.—Band concert at Carolina Terrace.

3:00 P. M.—Parade.

4:00 P. M.—Ceremonial.

Automobile drives for ladies during Ceremonial, 4:00 to 6:20 p. m., starting from Carolina Terrace.

7:30 P. M.—Shrine Buffet at New Line Terrace.

Dancing for Nobility and Ladies at Carolina Inn and Old Kentucky Home.

Official Divan.
J. E. Cameron—Illustrious Potentate.
C. E. Cotton—Illustrious Chief Ruler.
J. O. Walker—Illustrious Assistant Ruler.
Chas. P. Ambler—Illustrious High Priest and Prophet.
W. L. McDonald—Illustrious Treasurer.
Thomas Griffith—Illustrious Recorder.

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THE FARMER SOLDIER



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Evening Hustler is Assured Liberal Support by the People

First Issue Promises to be the Beginning of Business boom for Hendersonville— Honor Roll Growing.

Promptly at 3:30 next Monday afternoon the first issue of the Hendersonville Evening Hustler will be on the streets. Arrangements have been perfected the past week for the telegraphic service, the corps of reporters, carrier boys, and an extra force of printers.

Since the last issue of the Weekly Hustler scores have subscribed to the Evening Hustler unsolicited. Subscriptions came by mail from Tampa Fla., and St. Louis, Mo., and other points, the letters accompanying bearing the message of good cheer and well wishes. The first subscriber was Dr. A. C. Tebeau of Hendersonville, who phoned in his subscription and then hustled to the Hustler office, to clinch the matter with a dollar. Then F. E. Curtis came in with two dollars—on paper to himself and the other to some friend whom he intends to induce to move to Hendersonville. Friends came in from Flat Rock, Mountain Home, Hillgirt and other nearby places and got on the Honor Roll. These solicited to subscribe later in the week responded gratefully, with two exceptions. One of these had an ingraining grouch and the other was suffering from paralysis of the pocketbook. Some of these days these fellows will die and their relatives will wonder why we didn't stop the press to write a subdued wad of literature about their greatness on earth. Nothing doing!

Advertisers see the possibilities of an everyday message to the people of Hendersonville and surrounding country and will use considerable space in the Hustler.

In every way the publishers feel encouraged over the prospect of a successful business venture, and will do everything to merit the faith the people has in the paper by their advanced business offerings.

GRATIFYING RESPONSE GREETINGS APPEAL FOR ARMY RECRUITS.

Various Organizations of Country Helping to Secure Soldiers.
Washington, June 25—Patriotic and civic societies, newspapers and other semi-public agencies everywhere are making a gratifying response to the government's appeal for support in the campaign of regular army recruiting week, and war department officials believe the next few days will start a recruiting boom for the regulars unparalleled in the nation's history.

Reports from all over the country indicate that the daily papers, as requested by Secretary Baker are taking hold of the work vigorously and are bringing home forcibly to eligibles the necessity of quick expansion of the regular establishment. Many of them are pointing out that enlistment with the regulars not only give men eligible for the draft an earlier opportunity to reserve abroad, but would insure that they go to the front under experienced officers selected before the great demands of the war army have to be met.

Officials are emphasizing that the plan of enlistment for the war offers an opportunity also for a man over thirty-one and less than forty to

do his share along with the younger men subject to draft. President Wilson's proclamation setting aside the recruiting week, it is pointed out, virtually amounts to a call for volunteers among men of this class.

The recruiting figures for today, which are expected to show the first results of the publicity campaign and really mark the beginning of recruiting week, will not be available until tomorrow. During Saturday and day, nominally the first two days of the week set aside by the president, New York was leading the states with 132 men, and Pennsylvania second with 102.

Since April 1, 124,949 war volunteers have been enrolled, although there has been no decrease in the physical standards imposed. This number represents probably less than one-fourth of the total number of men who have applied for enlistment.

THEORIES KNOCKED TOPSY-TURVY

International Conciliation is a journal published monthly by the American Association for International Conciliation. Our recollection is that Andrew Carnegie was active if not instrumental in starting the association a that long before the present great war began it was endeavoring to make sure what then seemed not very hard to do, the continuance of the peaceful conditions which then prevailed.

Whatever method of securing and maintaining peace the association may have had before the great European conflagration blazed up, the association has now come around to the accepted view, namely, that the only way to have peace with honor is to fight for it, and a recent issue of the journal of the association is devoted to a powerful article by Franklin H. Giddings on the base of an enduring peace.

JERRY SHITLE, FATHER OF W. S. SHITLE DEAD.

Was Confederate Veteran and Old Resident of the Chimney Rock Section.

Mr. Jerry Shitle, father of Prof. W. S. Shitle of this city died at his home in the Chimney Rock section of Rutherford county on last Wednesday and was buried at Valley Baptist church on Friday, Rev. H. A. Freeman conducting the funeral services. Mr. Shitle was born in 1832 and was therefore in his eighty fifth year and he had lived in the section in Rutherford in which he was born all of his long life. He was a member of the Baptist church and was a good man and will be greatly missed by many besides his family.

Mr. Shitle was a Confederate veteran and served throughout the four years of the war in the thirty-ninth North Carolina regiment. He was captured after hard fighting at Gettysburg and was a prisoner for 6 months. Surviving Mr. Shitle are his wife and nine children. Three sons live in Asheville. Prof. Shitle, of this city, who is superintendent of public instruction in Henderson county is a son and attended the funeral and burial on Friday.

MUSICAL A SUCCESS.

The Woman's National League for Service of this city gave a musical entertainment at the opera house Thursday night from which they realized \$47 after all expenses were paid. This amount will be used to buy material for making supplies for North Carolina's sailors and soldiers.

RED CROSS FORMS ORGANIZATION.

At an adjourned meeting of those interested in Red Cross work held at the city hall Friday afternoon, a permanent organization was accomplished with a membership of 101 persons. The officers are, Dr. W. R. Kirk, chairman; C. F. Bland, vice chairman; Rev. T. W. Simpson, secretary; Hesterly Stepp, treasurer.

countries would have learned a valuable lesson from a bitter experience and Germany would near again find the world unprepared.

Powerful armies and powerful navies would become the rule and not the exception. And since the race had begun to deteriorate physically because of the want of physical exertion laid upon it, the universal military service, which would form a part of the scheme of permanent preparedness would seem to meet a need that heretofore has not been met at all.

The fact is that the war has completely reversed the opinions of a vast number of people. So it is that the champions of conciliation calling for the extermination of the forces that seem not to fit in with the idea of conciliation. The war has knocked theories topsy-turvy. An armed peace doesn't look half as objectionable a sit did a few years ago. But Mr. Giddings and all the rest had better be careful how they predict. There is just as good a chance to guess wrong now as there was before the war started.—News and Observer.

GIRL KILLED WHEN AUTO TURNS OVER

SERIOUS ACCIDENT LAST SUNDAY ON SPARTANBURG ROAD.

ENTIRE PARTY INJURED NOW IN HOSPITAL

Little Miss Willard, Never Regained Consciousness—Buried Tuesday. Others Improving.

One killed and two badly injured and three considerably bruised up is the result of a bad automobile accident last Sunday afternoon about 5 o'clock on the Spartanburg highway at the first curve about a hundred yards below the P. H. Walker boarding house.

The car was a big public service Hudson, service, and was driven by I. E. Freeman, of this city and was occupied by, besides the driver, Clint Thompson, Frank Mills, of this city, and Misses Santa Dill, Dot Fortune and the Little four year old niece of Miss Fortune, all of East Flat Rock. The boys had engaged the car to take these girls to ride and the party was headed for Saluda when in rounding the curve above mentioned, the big car turned over on its side. From evidences on a tree, the child must have struck the tree, it was picked up nearby and died in a short time. Miss Fortune suffered bad wounds about the head, and perhaps the worst hurt of the survivors Mr. Thompson had an arm broken and crushed, Mr. Freeman got a sprained wrist, while Miss Dill and Frank Mills escaped with a few bruises.

A car from Spartanburg came up within a few minutes after the accident and rushed the seriously injured ones to Hendersonville and later the Fortune girl and Thompson were carried to the Patton hospital where they still remain.

The child was the little daughter of Miss Fortune's sister, Mrs. Pearl Willard, of Columbia, and it was being cared for by its grandmother, Mrs. Fortune. The crushed little body was carried to the undertakers and prepared for burial. Mrs. Willard arrived Monday morning and was almost prostrated as was the grandmother. The funeral was held from the residence of Mrs. Walter Reece on First avenue at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and interment was made at Oakdale cemetery this city, Rev. A. Burgess, of East Flat Rock Methodist church conducting the funeral and burial services.

HUGE CROWD AT LAUREL PARK.

An immense crowd attended the "patriotic night" at the Laurel Park Skating Rink on Tuesday night when all the military boys were guests of the rink. The fashionable color for the evening was "khaki" as all the boys wore out in uniform. Miss Adelaide D'Vorak and Mr. Shellie Charles entertained the many spectators with an exhibition of trick and fancy skating the like of which has never been seen in Hendersonville before. Both of these clever skaters were the personification of grace, and while the sensational char jumping and high jumping of Mr. Charles thrilled the audience Miss D'Vorak captivated it with her exceedingly graceful figure skating and dancing on skates which was the poetry of motion. These skaters are truly artists of the highest type.

Skaters? The floor was filled with them and there were very few "Broodies" executed during the evening for novices were few and far between. Maybe the beginners refrained for fear they would look bad when the professionals cut loose and it such was the case the more experienced lovers of the sport might as well have rested for they, the professionals, as was naturally expected as well as hoped for, surely did do "some stunts." There will be feature skating by Mr. Charles at the rink for the balance of the week.

COUNTRY IN NEED OF AVIATORS.

Warriors That Service is Already Overcrowded Bianded as Unclouded.

Washington, June 24.—The government wants aviators, and needs them badly, the committee on public information announced today in a summary of what already has been accomplished in preparation for the great air service program now being mapped out. Eight hundred men are now enrolled in preliminary instruction schools, and the influx continues at the rate of 200 a week. After August 25, the government expects to graduate 200 students weekly into the advanced flying fields. It is expected that 1,408 men will be actually flying by September 8.

To maintain the present schools and many others to be established, thousands of men will be needed. The committee called attention to unfounded rumors that the air service already is overcrowded.

"Instead of the aero camps becoming swamped, as rumor has it," said the statement, "much less needful

CAMP CHIMROK OPENS WITH FINE PROSPECTS

Geo. F. Wright Enthusiastic Over Outlook of Season.

Camp Chimrok, the new camp school for boys located at Chimney Rock will open next Monday, July 2nd, when a large number of boys will arrive, coming from points in Missouri, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, North Carolina and South Carolina.

The owner and campmaster, Mr. Geo. F. Wright, is very enthusiastic about the prospects for the season, and is planning to take care of a large crowd of boys.

A number of interesting hikes are planned for the campers during the summer, among them being trips to Asheville, Black Mountain, Mount Mitchell, the Cherokee Indian Reservation and other interesting points.

A special department for Boy Scouts of America is maintained under the leadership of Mr. Reese Combs, of Miami, Fla., one of the best scoutmasters in the South. Mr. Combs will arrive this week and be ready to take up the work with opening of camp.

The campmaster states that real camp life will be a feature of Camp Chimrok, which will make the session more enjoyable to the boys.

A number of boys will also come at later dates, as entrance may be had at any time during the season.

EXEMPTION B'D. IS NAMED

Messrs. C. E. Brooks, J. Mack Rhodes, and Dr. J. S. Brown Appointed by Governor Bickett.

Henderson county's exemption board has been announced by Governor Bickett and is composed of Mayor C. E. Brooks, J. Mack Rhodes and Dr. J. S. Brown. These gentlemen will organize shortly and begin their official duties.

The government at Washington will forward full instructions within a few days and it is said that after July 1 the drafting wheels will begin to turn and Henderson county will be called upon to furnish men.

Every man enlisting in the local coast artillery company from now until June 30, will be deducted from the quota of this county. Captain R. V. Ladd is very anxious to get about a dozen more men for his company.

HORSE SHOE CURVES.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Poole of Richmond, Va., are visiting their parents at this place.

Joe Capps spent Sunday with the Misses Duncan.

Mrs. Bird and Miss Lou spent the week end in Etowah.

Mrs. Duncan was called to Davidson River on Saturday to attend the funeral of her nephew, Ira Ledbetter.

Clyde and Wade McKinney of Bolton, were visitors at Horse Shoe Sunday.

Mrs. Lillie Allen dined with Mrs. Matt Allen on Sunday.

Frank Johnson and wife, J. B. Johnson and wife, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Albert of Asheville, spent the week end with Mrs. Dave Barnett.

Louis and Lee Allen were visitors at Horse Shoe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Levetette of Asheville and Mr. and Mrs. Zack Levetette of Piedmont, S. C., spent the week with their parents.

Rev. Honeycutt and wife dined with Mr. Poole and family on Sunday.

Rev. Reginald Allison preached an excellent sermon in the Methodist church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgin Allison, Grady and Seaman Allison were here Sunday.

Miss Ruth Orr of Etowah had charge of the postoffice in absence of Miss Bira.

Farmer McCrary spent the week-end with his father.

Misses Louise and Maude Duncan are visiting in Hendersonville.

Mrs. Tom P. Jimison is visiting in Haywood county.

Duran William Collins of Spartanburg were at Maplehurst Sunday.

Miss Bessie Poole and brother are visiting in Asheville.

Miss Bonnie Greenwood went to Weaverville to attend the White-Greenwood marriage.

A. Lohse has returned to Asheville, branches of patriotic effort were badly overdone by young men with a desire to get in and do something for their country. Men between the desirable ages of twenty-five began volunteering in droves for the "mosquito fleet" under the idea that, if they couldn't get the Germans from the air they could get a shot at a submarine lying in wait off Sandy Hook or outside Boston harbor. And, as a result, the country is still calling for flying recruits."