Boots and Saddles

BY MILDRED YORKE

ANY of the cottage colony ship their mounts here from the North for the season, and the number of stables in the Village is growing to take care of an increasing interest in hunting and riding. Mr. Lloyd M. Tate of Roaring Gap, in charge of the Pinehurst Stables, needs no introduction. The stables of Mr. John C. Thomas and Mr. J. Corbett Alexander are popular with local riders and have been factors in the success of the hunts. Mr. John Bunn of Greensboro, a newcomer, has just opened the Sunset Stables with some good horses, and plans to bring another pack of hounds to Pinehurst later on.

Mrs. J. B. Phillips of Orange, N. J., rides frequently with her small daughter, Mary Evelyn; Mrs. Richard S. Tufts, formerly of Glen Cove, L. I., who brings down her favorite mare, Caroline, each season, enters the gymkhanas and rides to hounds; and Mr.

and Mrs. A. R. Balsam of Bridgehampton, L. I., have brought some fine horses down with them. Mrs. Balsam's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Nash of Boston, have taken a cottage and have been riding often.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hunter of North Adams, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Verner Z. Reed of Brookville, L. I., are other cottagers of the same turn of mind. The Reeds have finished their new stables, and are getting ready a pack of hounds for invitation hunts in January and the rest of the season.



Mrs. Richard S. Tufts, and Mrs. L. R. Yeamans of Washington, D. C.



Mrs. A. R. Balsam and her young son Dickey, with her sister, Miss Eleanor Smith.



Miss Julia Scott Butterfield (riding her famous mule), Mrs. W. D. Hyatt and Mrs. Beverley Walter on the way to the hunt.



Fast going in a drag hunt.