

Highlands Highlights

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HUDSON LIBRARY TO HAVE GARDEN TOUR

The Hudson library will hold a garden tour for the benefit of the library on Saturday, August 7.

Garden tours have been conducted in Highlands for several summers and have proved most delightful and interesting.

This year the tour will visit Miss Marguerite Ravenal's home overlooking Horse Cove; Col. John Stephen Sewell's beautiful garden and interesting log house; Mrs. Clark Howell's garden surrounding her Swiss chalet; Miss M. D. Warren's garden on Satulah mountain; and finally Mr. H. W. Sloan's estate on Satulah for a late afternoon view of the surrounding countryside.

The hostesses for the tour will be Mrs. G. A. Townsend, Mrs. J. C. Blanchard, Mrs. Nollman, Miss Rebecca Nall, Miss Gertrude Harbison, and Miss Valerie Dougall. All arrangements are in charge of Miss May Crosby.

Transportation can be furnished for those who desire it, or ticket holders may drive their own cars. All cars will start from the library at 3 p. m. Tickets may be obtained from members of the library association and will be on sale at Hotel Edwards.

Everyone is urged to avail himself of this opportunity to visit these lovely homes and gardens and to see these outstanding views.

TWO NEW POLICEMEN SWORN IN BY TOWN

Two new policemen were sworn in on Wednesday of last week by Mayor W. S. Davis. Sam Reese is now Chief of Police, and Frank L. Henry is his assistant.

A CORRECTION

In last week's issue of The Press it was announced incorrectly that Mr. Henry Stevenson won first prize and Miss Edith Bolton, second prize in the play day music contest. Each of these contestants won first prizes in separate contests—one vocal and the other instrumental.

FOOD SALE SATURDAY PROVES SUCCESSFUL

The food sale conducted for the Hudson library last Saturday was most successful. Food of all kinds, flowers, and confections were sold, bringing in a total amount of nearly \$50. The committee in charge was Mrs. O. E. Young, chairman; Mrs. F. H. Potts and Mrs. E. R. Gilbert. They were ably assisted by the Misses Gertrude and Dorothea Harbison.

LARGE CROWD ATTENDS CAKE WALK AT DUGOUT

A large crowd attended the cake walk at the Dugout on Monday evening. The affair was sponsored by L. G. Appley. Following is a partial list of donors of cakes: Mesdames Frank Potts, 2; Jack Hall, C. J. Anderson, W. S. Davis, Grover Edwards, Charles Potts, Eugene Potts, Frank Bloxham, W. A. Hayes, Helen Thompson, Roy Potts, Carl Zoellner, J. E. Root, Guy Paul, Earl Crunkleton, J. E. Potts, Harve Beale, and Mary Zachary, 2. The proceeds were turned over to Mr. O. E. Summer for new seats in the theatre auditorium.

LIBRARY TO SPONSOR PICTURE AUGUST 9-10

The Hudson library will sponsor the motion picture, "Super Sleuth," with Jack Okie and Ann Sothern, on Monday and Tuesday, August 9 and 10. There will also be shown

a technicolor film of the coronation of King George VI. Tickets may be obtained from members of the library association. A percentage will be given to the library.

MRS. ALTSTAETTER GIVES DINNER PARTY

Mrs. F. W. Altstaetter entertained a small dinner party at Laurel Lodge in honor of H. M. Bascom, who celebrated his 84th birthday on July 31. Mr. Bascom was one of the first settlers of Highlands and has had a wealth of interesting experiences during the years.

HIGHLANDS MUSEUM NEWS

There was a called meeting of the board of trustees of the Highlands museum and biological laboratory Saturday, July 30, at 4 p. m. The board discussed, as the next step in their program, the erection of a museum building on the property recently acquired, which fronts on Main street and extends back to the laboratory.

Dr. Coker, who is engaged in writing a monograph on the mushrooms, and a manual on the shrubs of North Carolina, reported that he had recently discovered and figured two new species of mushrooms and that the graduate students of Duke, Vanderbilt and University of North Carolina are making splendid progress in their respective researches in botany and zoology.

The board voted to invite the committee of southern biologists appointed to organize the southern biological society to hold their organization meeting at the laboratory.

Leave of absence was granted to the director, H. E. Wheeler, to attend the annual meeting of the American malacological union in Ann Arbor, Mich., August 3 to 5, where he will present a paper on "The Successors of Timothy Abbott Conrad in the Conchological Literature of Alabama."

The membership committee reported fine progress in their campaign to raise funds for the museum. The board members present were Dr. W. E. Coker, Dr. Clark Foreman, R. L. Foreman, Wm. Lippincott, W. H. Sloan, Misses Marguerite Ravenal, M. D. Warren, Albertina Staub and May Crosby.

MUSEUM CLUBS

The children's nature club enjoyed a special double session program at Camp Sequoia on Monday afternoon under the efficient leadership of Mrs. Tyler, the nature director of the Camp. Mr. Henry Stevenson, the museum ornithologist, gave a special feature on birds. The boys' and girls' nature club were also guests of Camp Sequoia for a double session on Thursday. They particularly enjoyed making spatter prints of ferns, leaves and flowers.

Mr. Stevenson, in addition to an informal talk on birds, initiated the boys and girls in the technique of field observations for which the location of Camp Sequoia is ideal. Special appreciation is due Mesdames Moore and Vance, directors of the camp, for their courtesy to the museum groups.

A party of 19 young people and their sponsors on Thursday, July 29, went on an archeological and mineralogical trip. Of special interest were the still uninterpreted Indian markings on a large boulder at East La Porte. Dr. Wm. Lippincott, of the Clemson college faculty, acted as a guide.

The outstanding botanical trip of the season was made on Tuesday,

July 27, to the locality of the rare plant *Shortia Galacifolia*, at the junction of Horsepasture and Tox-away creeks, forming Oconee river in South Carolina.

CHURCH NOTICES

Sunday, August 8
Church of the Incarnation Highlands
 10 a. m.—Church school.
 11 a. m.—Morning prayer and sermon by the rector.
Church of the Good Shepherd Cashiers
 9 a. m.—Holy communion and sermon.
St. Agnes' Church Franklin
 5 p. m.—Vesper service.
Methodist Circuit Rev. W. F. Beadle, Pastor Highlands
 10 a. m.—Church school.
 11 a. m.—Preaching service.
 8 p. m.—Preaching service.
Clear Creek Cashiers
 3 p. m.—Preaching service.
 10 a. m.—Church school.

Dr. Willard Parry, of Miami, Fla., has joined his family at their home on Little Yellow mountain for the month of August.

Friends of Mrs. Clyde Hentz will be glad to learn that she is recovering satisfactorily from her recent serious operation, in a Columbia, S. C. hospital.

The Rev. Frank Bloxham, spent the week-end in Columbia, S. C., where he was the preacher on Sunday at St. John's Episcopal church. The Rev. A. Rufus Morgan, rector of the church, is spending several days at his native home in Macon county. Mr. Bloxham returned to Highlands on Monday.

Henry Irvan Gaines, well-known architect, of Asheville, was a visitor to Highlands on last Friday. Mr. Gaines conferred with Mr. Jack Hall regarding the building to be erected by the Satulah club, for which he drew the plans and prepared the specifications.

Mrs. Walker Reynolds, of Anniston, Ala., has returned to her home after spending several days with Mrs. O. E. Young, at her home on Satulah mountain.

Mrs. Harry Holt and her two children have been spending some time in Franklin, visiting Mrs. Holt's mother, Mrs. Jack Stribling. Mrs. Nash Broyles, of Atlanta, and her two grandchildren, Deas and Murray Hamilton, and Mr. Harry Hall are expected at Hall House this week to spend their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harbison made a business trip to Atlanta, Ga., last week-end. They returned on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Logan, of New Orleans, and their daughter, Jane, arrived at Hall House on Monday. They are accompanied by Mrs. Waldon, Mrs. Logan's mother, and by Miss Toole, a trained nurse. After a stay of 10 days, Mr. and Mrs. Logan and Mrs. Waldon will leave for Europe. Miss Jane Logan and Miss Toole will stay on until the middle of September. Mr. Logan is a brother to Mrs. Bob Eskridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Chapman, of Atlanta, arrived on Tuesday to spend their vacation with Mrs. Chapman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Potts.

S. J. Fullwood, who is a guest at Hall House, made a business trip to Hendersonville the first part of this week.

Mrs. Alonzo Knight is a patient in a Brevard hospital, having been received there on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Costner and son, of Miami, Fla., are spending some time at Pierson Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Roebling and their family, of Princeton, N. J., and Savannah, Ga., are occupying the Barnes house on Satulah mountain for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mitchell drove to Walhalla on Monday. Mrs. Mitchell's mother, Mrs. Charles Ryan, of Hawkinsville, Ga., returned with them to spend several weeks.

Miss Eleanor Terhune has joined her family at "Highfields" for her summer holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Fuller have returned to their home in Atlanta, after spending a week at Hall House.

Mr. W. D. Cheatham is spending some time at Potts House. Mr. Cheatham is well known in Highlands and has been a regular visitor for some years.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Young is spending a week in Asheville as the guest of Miss Ann Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Parker Greene and Mr. and Mrs. J. Clark Johnston, of Atlanta, are spending two weeks at Mr. Kenyon B. Zahner's cottage on Lake Sequoia.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert R. Tebo have rented the Pugh cottage on the Dillard road.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren D. Cunningham and their children, of Scarsdale, New York, have arrived to spend a month visiting Miss M. D. Warren at her home on Satulah mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Whitman, from New England, are visiting Mrs. Whitman's mother, Mrs. Lillian Billstein, at her home here.

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Miss Katherine Marrow, from Andrews, is here visiting her uncle, Harley Browning.

Erney Duvall and family, are here visiting friends.

Mrs. Forrest Blankenship, of Bryson City, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McCoy.

Mary Lee Bradley spent the week-end with home folks.

A big crowd from here attended the farmers picnic, and Frank Browning won a dollar for having the biggest crowd.

Several attended the Sunday school convention Sunday at Cowee.

Mrs. Gertrude Burnette, from Greenville, S. C., spent several days here visiting relatives recently.

Frankie—"Is your dad an early riser, too, Dickie?"

Dickie—"Is my dad an early riser? Why, he gets up so early that if he went to bed a little later he'd meet himself getting up in the morning."

Marine Corps To Examine Applicants

Examination of 25 applicants for enlistment in the United States Marine corps will be held at the Marine corps recruiting district headquarters, postoffice building, Savannah, Ga., this month, it is announced by Captain A. C. Small, recruiting officer.

Young men between 18 and 25 years of age, ranging in height from 64 inches to 74 inches with corresponding weights, in good physical condition and of good moral character, eighth grade or above in education.

The Savannah office considers applicants from Florida, North and South Carolina and southeastern Georgia.

Full information regarding the various opportunities the Marine corps has to offer young men may be obtained by visiting or writing the Marine corps recruiting station at Savannah, Ga., it was announced.

Litt—"If I remember correctly you're an optimist, aren't you?"

Uppé—"Yes, after a sort. I believe the world is getting better every day, but I'm not so sure about the nights."

Old lady—"You don't chew tobacco, do you little boy?"

Little boy—"No, ma'am, but I could let you have a cigarette."

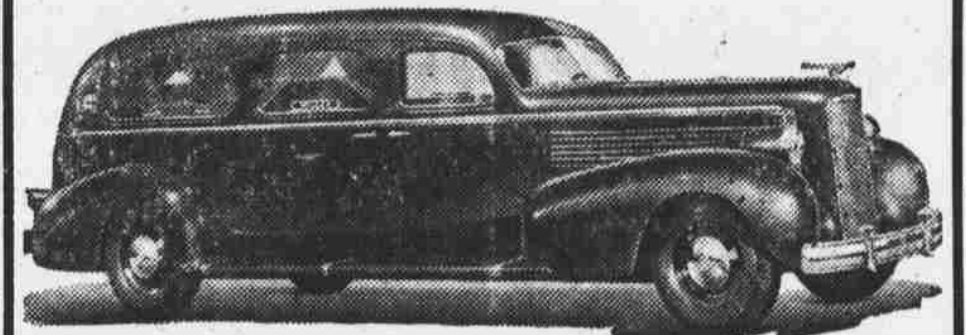
Swain (in the late hours)—"How can I ever leave you?"

Tired father (poking his head around the door)—"Bus No. 7, train No. 40, or any taxicab."

"Does your husband talk in his sleep?"

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