SIMON ZWEIGHAFT'S PARK IN THE CATSKILLS CONTAINS A HERD OF GERMAN FALLOW DEER THAT ARE THRIVING WELL.

DEER PARK IN CATSKILLS.

THE COUNTRY SEAT AND PRESERVE OF SIMON ZWEIGHAFT, OF PHILADELPHIA.

After driving for an hour or two over the hills of a dusty Catskill mountain road near Tannersville, it is with relief that one turns into the elaborate grounds of Deer Park, the country seat of Simon Zweighaft, a retired Philadelphia merchant. On two days of the week the park is thrown open to the public, without restrictions except those necessary for the protection of the deer. There are miles of fine driveways through wild mountain woodland, with every now and then a cultivated stretch in which herds of deer are grazing. The roads end at an observatory on the top of Mount Sophia, where the American flag is shown the year round at a height of 3,100 feet.

It was fifteen years ago that Mr. Zweighaft went to the Catskills for the first time. The country suited him as had no other which he visited. He tried to buy the farm and boarding house in which he spent the first summer. Failing in that, he purchased the adjoining place, which, after years of careful planning, has been made one of the finest preserves in the Catskills. The estate has been added to until it now contains 250 acres.

The farm which the Philadelphian purchased was one of the most rocky in the whole Catskill country. People laughed when he said it could be made into an attractive country seat. It took two years to grub out the rocks which spoiled the stretch of lawn in front of the house. Then came a freshet which destroyed the improvements. There was more rock grubbing, but the final result was the artistic lawn extending a quarter of a mile along the highway from the old Mountain House to Haines Falls.

After establishing himself comfortably on his mountain estate, Mr. Zweighaft decided to acquire a herd of deer, and fenced the park with wire to the height of twelve feet. The preserve was stocked with German fallow deer and five species of American deer, and the herd now numbers between sixty and seventy. The owner is particularly fond of the deer from his native land, of which he has a number of fine specimens. They do well in the Catskills, and the herd is rapidly increasing.

Deer Park is interesting for more than the beautiful wild creatures which it shelters. The decorations of the lawn are striking. There is a large fountain on the east lawn and statues of Apollo and Diana. Besides, there are two huge conchshell fountains, surmounted by statuary. A pair of bronze storks give name to another fountain. The piazza of the house is decorated with a large collection of antlers and deer heads, of which the

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owner is most proud. A well stocked fish pond and a tiny lake, in which children row a miniature boat, are other features.

The rocks with which the place was covered have been piled up about the estate, making attractive features of the landscape. The superstitious mountain negroes believe that these rockeries are ancient Indian graves. No effort has been made to correct the belief, as it keeps them from prowling about the park at night.

IN DUTCHESS COUNTY.

Pawling, N. Y., Aug. 23 (Special).—The social gayety of the Dutcher House is at its height. In giving a view of her collection of water colors yesterday Mrs. A. M. Kellogg entertained her guests to a "studio tea" at the Catamaran, on Quaker Hill.

Considerable interest is manifested in the competition to-day for the Marion Cup of solid silver presented to the Dutchess House Golf Club by Edward E. Poor and E. E. Poor, 3d, of New-York. The event is a thirty-six hole handicap, and among the entries are Charles Lorenzo Marshall, the Rev. Dr. D. J. McMillan, Howard Morton, R. C. Loveridge, Charles Warner, J. C. Taylor, C. H. Hyde, the Rev. J. Havergal Sheppard, C. H. Lowther, M. Frank Meehan, Horatio Nelson, "Ned" Poor, Arthur Tate, John Akin Branch, Harry A. Holmes, jr., and Herbert L. Connell.

Club members and their friends will accompany the Dutcher House golf team next Wednesday to Lake Mahopac, where they will play the first of a series of games with the Lake Mahopac Golf Club's team.

H. H. Vreeland, president of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, of New-York, and Mrs. Vreeland gave a reception on Saturday at While-a-way, their summer home at Brewster's, to a number of the railroad's department heads. Following the reception was a concert and vaudeville entertainment for the visitors on the lawn.

Recent registrations at the Dutcher House are Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hyde, Miss Hyde, Jesse C. Hofer, George W. Uchtman, Miss F. M. Campbell, S. N. Williams, jr., H. Travers, Mr. and Mrs. D. Tompkins, John M. Tate, H. C. Entrup, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Boocock, James R. Smith, P. B. Parker, Miss D. Henderson, P. Burnett, D. V. Kelley, Mrs. Roland, Dr. A. S. Liebster, Miss Maxwell, Miss M. Maxwell, A. D. Williams, F. W. Clark, B. McRoss, Miss Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Taylor, M. Frank Meehan, Gilman P. Tiffany, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lowther, Robert A. Macdonald, J. G. Jackson, R. H. Thomas, Miss Penzel, Miss Johnston, Frank W. Drake, Edward E. Poor, Miss E. Curtis, Mrs. Lyman Rhodes, L. Rhodes, jr., Miss Katherine Rhodes, J. B. Smith, Miss G. E. Matthews, F. E. Van Noker, Alfredo Selgas, Miss L. R. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Thornton, Frank Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Connell, W. C. Hibbard, Horatio Nelson, Miss Reddington, William R. West, F. H. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hyde, Mrs. Arthur Brown, the Misses Brown, J. E. Ward, Miss Edythe Salter, W. H. Richardson, Mrs. Z. T. Piercy and Miss H. Piercy.

AT THE HOTEL CHAMPLAIN.

Hotel Champlain, N. Y., Aug. 23 (Special).—The leading outdoor excitement of the week has been the team golf match between the Cobble Hill Golf Club, from Elizabethtown, and the club of the Hotel Champlain. The Cobble Hill players were too much for the Champlain men, and won the match by 9 holes. The cups for the medal play were won by Mr. Shannon, of the Hotel Champlain club, and Mr. Palmer, of the Cobble Hill club.

On Monday evening the majority of the guests were set aglee by the tricks and the legerdemain of a magician, and on Tuesday evening about one hundred and fifty of the women guests took part in a progressive hearts' party for souvenirs. The promenade concert of Wednesday evening was a brilliant success, and the lecture on Japan by a Japanese in his native costume on Friday evening attracted many of the guests to the ballroom, which was turned into a lecture room for the purpose.

Among the recent arrivals from New-York are the following: Dr. and Mrs. Peter Murray, Mrs. Edward Marsh Brown, Miss Emily L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Grosvenor P. Orton, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moran, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Butterworth, Forrest Butterworth, Mr. and Mrs. Asa O. Gallup, Miss Marie Gallup, Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Veith, Mrs. E. J. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dixon Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Darling, Mr. and Mrs. Standish, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Winters, Mr. and Mrs. S. Tuska, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Bancroft, Miss M. W. Bancroft, Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Opitz, Mrs. James Kenny, George J. Kenny, George Sickles, Mrs. Goodsell, Miss Wilmerding, Miss French, Dr. and Mrs. Charles T. Kerley, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Henderson, Miss M. A. McDonald, Dr. and Mrs. McCleary, Mrs. James R. Thompson, Mrs. A. L. Cornell, Frank Cornell, Mrs. Henry C. Miner, Mrs. Anna O'Neill, Miss L. C. Baker, Miss M. Haupt, George T. Whyte, J. B. Allen, jr., Mrs. C. P. Mosher, C. E. Warren, Miss Sullivan, Mrs. G. Reddy, George Matheson, jr., A. M. Matheson, Eugene Southack, Frank A. Munsey, Mrs. M. W. Rogers, Miss M. C. Rogers, J. W. Green, Mrs. Jacob Berry, Miss Lila Berry, Miss Gladys Berry, J. C. Converse, Mrs. Morris Mackenzie, Miss Crandall, Miss Jarvis, N. Mallouf, David Willcox, Mrs. Carlisle, Frank E. O'Reilly and Mrs. M. O'Connor.

NEW-LONDON VISITORS.

INTEREST TAKEN IN NAVAL MANŒUVRES—GOLF CONTESTS.

New-London, Conn., Aug. 23 (Special).—Society here has been deeply shocked by the sudden death of Charles Tyler Palmer, a young man of great promise and with exceptional mental gifts. He was a student at St. Paul's School, Garden City, and was to enter Yale in the fall. He took two special prizes at St. Paul's. His death came from cerebral fever. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Tyler Palmer, the father being part owner of the Palmer mills. The Palmers were about to move to their new home, in Pequot-ave., when he was taken ill.

Secretary Moody, with Congressmen Roberts, Foss, Cannon, Dayton and Meyer and Postmaster General Payne, was in the harbor on the Dolphin part of this week.

Former Congressman Reyburn, of the Pequot colony, with his family, has closed his cottage for a month and gone to Canada.

A cakewalk at the Pequot House, a concert by a noted barytone, a concert and small dance at the Casino, some teas and a bridge party were the social diversions of the week indoors, but the great game has been on the golf grounds. They are pretty well filled every afternoon. It is the thing for the women to drive out there after luncheon, and many of them go in the early morning to practise for the games of next week, when the president's cup series will be opened. Both women and men will be playing on Friday. On Thursday the weekly tournament was played on the grounds. The prize is a silver trophy cup.

As far as society is concerned, there is absolutely no interest in the roque tournament at Norwich, for it is chiefly men who are small merchants and clerks who are entered. Their play is something fine, and it is a pity there are so few lookers on at the Franklin-st. grounds.

The New-London Shooting Club, composed of many well known men, has bought a large tract of land, which it will stock as a preserve.

The Thames Club will have its annual picnic about August 27. The men have the privilege of bringing each a guest who is not a resident.

The beginning of the naval manœuvres on Wednesday attracted to the city a large number of naval men besides the officers who had been ordered here, and they are all intensely interested in following them.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Williams have started for Detroit to visit Mrs. Williams's parents. E. J. Hill, of Norwalk, was in the city this week, and George Le Fort Buys is one of the latest to register.

The little daughter of Schuyler Hamilton, who was recently hurt by falling from a swing at Oswegatchie, is much better and is walking about.

Judge Willis Eaton, of Troy, and Charles Q. Eldredge and C. A. Alden, of New-York, are here.

The Saturday hop at the Casino and the concert to-night are regarded as the leading social affairs of the summer colony. But the Pequot House hops give great enjoyment to the hotel guests. The fact is, the old division between the cottagers and the guests of The Inn, the Pequot and the Fort Griswold has been only slightly relaxed.

Newcomers at the Pequot are Rear Admiral and Mrs. Cromwell, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ely, Miss Ely, N. Harris Roome, Clough Overton, Arthur S. Kendosin, Maurice Rothschild, Miss A. Craig, Miss F. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. H. Maxson Rabury, Mrs. Pierson, Norman E. Ditman, Charles M. Swan, B. R. Bowen, Herbert Seymour, B. B. Kirkland, Miss Eldridge, Mrs. Stein, John R. Burnham, C. Maitland, J. E. Benedict, H. D. Hammand, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Proctor, Mrs. E. H. Foster, Miss Baird, Miss Dorothy Richards, Mrs. John E. MacDonald, Frederick George, Herbert Owens and Miss Lilian Hunt.

THE CAPE MAY SEASON.

BEST THAT THE SOUTH JERSEY RESORT HAS HAD IN FOURTEEN YEARS.

Cape May, N. J., Aug. 23 (Special).—The summer season at this resort has turned out so far to be the best year, from a social and financial standpoint, that Cape May has experienced in about fourteen years. The crowds of visitors here for the last two weeks have continued at about the same numbers, and their coming and going have about balanced each other. After to-morrow there will be a gradual lessening in the number of visitors, but the decrease will be hardly perceptible until after Labor Day, when the end of the crowded summer season will have been reached. The cottage colony, however, will remain intact and there will be hardly any reduction to be made from that element of the visitors until the latter part of September or early in October. The smaller hotels will be open throughout the month and the larger houses will not close until about September 15.

Arrangements have been made for many social events to be given from now on until October 1, including germans, private dances and golfing contests. The lovers of golf have this week had a pleasant time, the weather having been cool and the breezes refreshing. The number of events on the links have equalled those on any other previous week of the season and they have been more enjoyed because of the additional greens which were open to the players for the first time last Saturday, making the course now cover an expanse of more than eighty-five acres of the best rolling land within the limits of the resort. The most important player upon the golf links this week has been Judge George Gray, who was one of the Paris Peace Commissioners, and after his return from acting on that tribunal received a place on the Supreme Court bench of the United States. The most interesting golf event of the week was the mixed foursome played on Wednesday afternoon.

It has been a fine week for the lovers of sailing and fishing, and especially so because of the bright moonlight which has prevailed. Hundreds of parties have been out in the sounds adjoining during the week.

Straw rides have been a feature of the week also. Many of them have been given and rides have been taken far out into the country districts, where some ancient farmhouse is turned into a temporary dancing and banquet hall, the banquet consisting of such melons and other products as could be gathered from about the old place.

It has been a grand week for the dancers, and the morning hops and the evening balls given at the big hotels have been largely attended because of the splendid sociability which exists among the visitors here.

M. R. Wiley, of Brooklyn, is a late prominent arrival at Cape May Point.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Harvey, of Buffalo, are enjoying the season here.

Late arrivals from New-York are Adolph Rosenberg, W. F. Ingraham, A. J. Dockstader, Mrs. M. Scott, Miss Scott, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brown, Miss Katharine Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Moody, Frank W. Miller, H. Hudson Howley, William E. Quigley, K. E. Hayenbacher, Miss Edith A. Smith, Mrs. E. O. Richards, Mrs. A. Tooley, Miss Bessie Tooley, William Bishop, A. E. Hirsch, T. A. Brown, Mrs. I. M. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cantrell, A. O. Huesley, Miss Alice F. Schriver, Leonard E. Elwell, Frederick Acherman, Miss Imogene Fisher, Miss S. W. Lasher, Julian C. Smith, Mrs. E. J. Miller, L. A. Kean, W. W. Thurman, O. F. Husley, Mrs. R. Stoll, J. P. Callahan, R. J. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. T. O'Neill, Miss Margaret Wilson, A. M. Stadler, Miss E. Koenig, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Gilmore, James Kennedy and Frederick Buckirk.

SHARON SPRINGS ENJOYS PROSPERITY.

Sharon Springs, N. Y., Aug. 23 (Special).—Despite the cold weather Sharon continues to enjoy a prosperous season. The departures the early part of the week were large, but the arrivals are holding out remarkably well, and the bookings indicate that with favorable weather the season will last until well into September.

Miss Helene Zabriskie Clarke, the well known whip, oarswoman, golf and tennis player, who has been winning most of the women's trophies at the contests on Long Island this season, is spending a few weeks at the Sharon House.

The concert given at the Pavilion on Monday evening by Mme. de Bassini, Mlle. Frankel, Chevalier A. de Bassini, Signor Micelli and Signor Clemente de Macchi afforded a treat to the music lovers at Sharon. Her friends were delighted to learn that under the treatment she has been receiving at the inhalation building Mme. de Bassini has almost wholly recovered from the throat affection which caused her to resign her position at the Royal Opera, Covent Garden, London, a few years ago.

Miss Emma A. J. Schwartz, of New-York, gave a birthday party at The Eldredge Tuesday evening.

George E. Warner, of Syracuse, spent a few days at the Sharon House the early part of the week, on his way to Newport. Mr. Warner is making the trip in his automobile. The machine attracted considerable attention while here owing to the fact that it is an exact duplicate of the one in which Mr. and Mrs. Fair met their deaths in France last week.

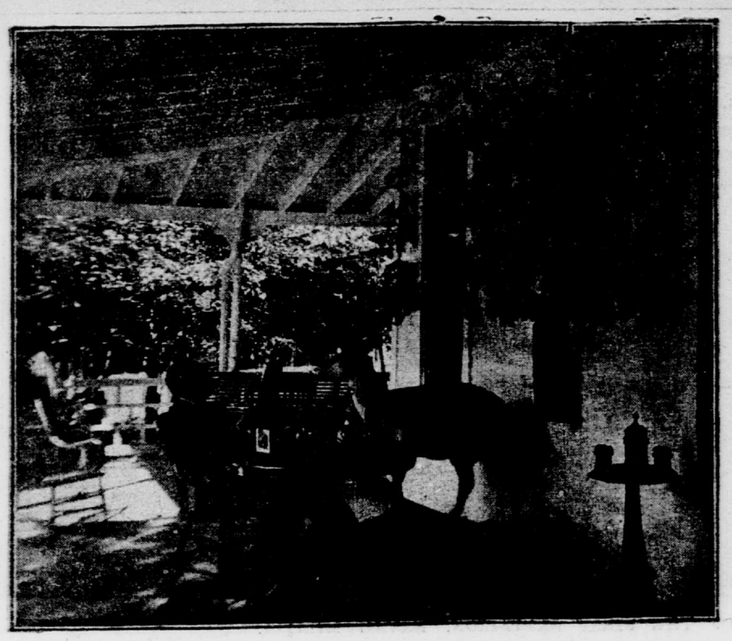
The winners of the prizes at the progressive whist party held at the Sharon House on Monday evening were Mrs. D. A. Warrener, Miss Smith and Miss Clarke, of New-York; W. H. Hutton, of Troy, and W. H. Cherry, of New-York.

Recent arrivals include the following New-Yorkers:

Pavilion Hotel—Miss A. Grant, Gordon Grant, Mrs. H. Sanders, Miss Elsie Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Engelke, Mrs. Brant Engelke, Miss Jessie H. Wallace, Miss E. L. Maitland, Dr. and Mrs. Wendell Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Katz, Fritz Katz, M. J. Cassidy, A. Marmlock, Miss J. Marmlock, Miss R. Marmlock, Mr. and Mrs. G. Paskus, Miss Arleen Rosenheim, Mrs. I. S. Rosenheim, Mrs. C. Schoenberg, Ralph A. Schoenberg, J. Paskus, Mrs. L. K. Anderton, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Tait, J. G. Perry, George Doubleday, O. H. Jadwin, Jay Noble Emley, Mrs. A. S. Emley, Jeanne Ferency Frankel, H. M. Richardson, M. Weis, D. M. Rosenthal, Max Schener, Jacob L. Heider, Mrs. O. S. Jadwin, Louis Cohn, Walter H. Killough, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Killough, M. J. Corn, J. P. McAveny, Louis La Forte, Dr. and Mrs. P. L. Schenck, Augusta Reis and Dr. Harriet Hess.

Sharon House—G. L. Wingroove, M. Birns, Oscar Loewi, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Howell, Miss H. Z. Clarke, Charles W. McCarthy, Joseph Stoffels, A. Strauss and Miss Smith.

Union Hotel—James Bergman, Mrs. M. Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. G. Meyer, Frederick H. Meyer, jr., Frank G. Rinn, Mrs. L. Platt, Jacob Stahl, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Goodman, F. Ehrhart, Mrs. A. M. De Vino, Miss Claudia De Vino, Miss Selma De Vino, E. Kat, Henry Hachmeister, Mrs. C. Hachmeister and G. Mayer.



A FINE COLLECTION OF ANTLERS ADORNS THE PIAZZA OF THE HOUSE OF S. ZWEIGHAFT, DEER PARK.
Mr. Zweighaft seated in chair.

RICHFIELD SPRINGS SEASON.

BALL AT THE EARLINGTON—A UNIQUE CONCERT—EXCITING TOURNAMENTS.

Richfield Springs, N. Y., Aug. 23.—A ball given by the Hotel Earlington this week was the most brilliant event of the season. The attendance was

CONCH SHELL FOUNTAIN ON THE MAIN LAWN AT DEER PARK.

large, the ballroom decorations handsome, the costumes lovely, the orchestra at its best and refreshments were provided.

An amusing feature of the Friday night Earlington concert was the Romberg Symphony arranged for piano and toy instruments played by guests of the house and the orchestra and director. It created the most hilarious merriment. Another feature of the concert was "The Critic's Dream," in which an unusually severe critic is made to hear in a dream the air "Annie Rooney" woven into several of the masterpieces of great composers.

The trolley decision in regard to right of way has been given by the State Commissioners, and Richfield will soon boast of electrics in her borders.

Golf has had many players this week. Miss Weatherbee broke the women's record in the handicap contest. Miss Shields made the unusually good score of 26 strokes on the short course. Stewart Campbell won the approaching, driving and putting contests. Charles Thom broke the professional record by two strokes and a score of 37. Charles Drake Smith won the Tuller House Cup in that contest. The Proctor Cup annual match will be the next event. Mrs. George A. Beaton, of New-York, has presented a cup for a coming women's contest.

George A. Beaton lives in a charming villa in Richfield and is one of the most appreciative of visitors. He asserts that those interested in Richfield lose sight too much of its wonderful health features in discussing its other qualities. "With its splendid air, baths and opportunities for outdoor exercise there could not be a more desirable spot for recuperation," he says.

John D. Beals, who, with his family has been making his headquarters at the Earlington, moved into his new home this week on View Hill. He has brought a fine automobile to town.

Professor Dodge, of Illinois University; Professor Chandler, of Lehigh University; Miss Helen Bradley, of the Pennsylvania State College, and Miss Dr. Alice Asserson, of the New-York Women's College, are recent arrivals.

Late arrivals from New-York are:

At the Earlington—H. B. Shomson, Mr. and Mrs. George Hayne, Miss May Weatherbee, R. S. Berchman, Hicks Lord Weatherbee, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell C. Phillips, C. H. Swengrue, Miss Florence B. Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hawley, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kearns, Leo Lieberman, B. H. Engelke, Miss Engelke, Mrs. Brant Engelke, Mrs. Jessie Wallace, Mrs. E. S. Maitland, Mr. and Mrs. Gustavus Isaacs, J. W. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Post, Wendell P. Colton, F. A. Waller, John G. McBride, Alfred R. Craine, Mrs. Olga Reed, Mrs. Maud McLaughlin, S. K. Nichols, Harvey Feldman, Mrs. R. Munroe, Jean Dorsiter, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. McCoy, Mrs. A. Schaff and Miss Schaff.

Berkeley-Walontha—Mrs. Townsend, Mrs. George Sargent, Miss E. A. Taft, Mrs. H. E. Snow, Mrs. W. H. Colton, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Baldwin, Miss H. E. Wheeler, H. N. Campbell and Mrs. Campbell.

Tuller—Mrs. E. M. Hitchcock, Mrs. F. B. Wright, Dr. J. P. Tuttle, Miss Melander, F. O. Halsey, Miss A. Seville, Mrs. Jules Sazerac, William L. Moore, Miss C. C. Cordy, Dr. E. J. Gallagher, A. L. Phillips, Marie C. Bliss, Mrs. A. S. Emley, J. N. Emly, Charles Powell, Miss G. W. Birch, S. J. Dougherty, J. H. Hughes and Mrs. E. T. Dobbs.

Kendallwood—R. L. McDuffie, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. White, John S. Power, and Dr. Alice Asserson.

THE GAMEKEEPER'S PET.
One of the deer in the Zweighaft herd.

AMID CATSKILL PEAKS.

SEASON SHOWS FEW SIGNS OF ENDING—ENJOYMENT OF THE DELIGHTFUL WEATHER.

Stamford, N. Y., Aug. 23 (Special).—The sunny days of the last week have been delightfully appreciated by the thousands now in the Catskills. The inestimable value of sunshine, so often oppressive and uncomfortable in last summers, was never more fully realized by everybody than now, after the prolonged season of cloud and rain. The sunny spots on every piazza and the sunny windows in every room were the popular places with all visitors, though usually avoided in past years. The cool days and the cooler nights, with the frosty mornings, a few of them of late, have been mitigated by the bright midday sunshine, and everybody is glad to note the gradual dispersing of the rain cloud, the clearer air and the welcome return of normal climatic conditions.

"Standing room only" might well be posted at the Stamford station these days, for there are no vacant rooms in sight or on record, and yet the trains keep rumbling in every few hours, and the newcomers seem to scatter over the town and find abiding places somewhere. The citizens have opened all their spare rooms for the hotel overflows, and the merry throng is crowding the streets and lawns everywhere.

The new cottages of Dr. Bristol, in Bristol Park, are unique and attractive. The doctor has original ideas in architecture, happily carried out in these artistic structures. He expects to add others in time for next season's rental.

A benefit tea in costume, given by Mrs. Middleton at her cottage in Granthurst Park, this afternoon, was an attractive social feature.

The Ulster and Delaware Railway Company is planning to move the Stamford station half a mile further up the track, in order to avoid stopping on a curve and heavy grade, and also to get more room for the grounds they are promising to lay out. They propose to build an ornate stone structure, with elaborate fittings, such as the rapidly growing importance of the summer business demands. But the citizens are opposing the change strongly, because of the greater distance from the village centre and the consequent inconvenience.

The second annual championship golf tournament began on the links of the Utsayantha Club on Wednesday, fourteen women and twenty men taking part in the contest. The finals were played to-day. This is one of the finest links in the Catskills, and there is a charming view of the entire course from the lakeside piazzas and balconies of the Rexmere, which stands in the midst of an extended lawn, which slopes gently down to the margin of the lakes, upon which boating is greatly enjoyed. Separating these lakelets are quaint bridges, with arches of mountain bowlders and miniature waterfalls. Here and there on the shores and in the edges of the woodland are rustic cottages, and these are all occupied.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Powellson, of New-York, and Miss Edwards are at the New Grant House, which is now without a vacant room.

Edward I. Haines, of New-York, has just established a new record at the West End bowling alleys, with a score of 242.

Postmaster Grant of Stamford says the receipts of his office are largely in excess of any previous season, showing the growing popularity of the resort.

Tht New Grand Hotel, on Summit Mountain, now presents the most attractive exterior of any resort in the range. It has been newly painted and renovated from top to bottom. A new hardwood floor has been laid in the parlor, and the whole interior has been redecorated and greatly improved in every way. There is an air of freshness and cleanliness that is fully appreciated by every summer resort visitor.

The Kaaterskill season is going on gayly, with a large complement of guests, and the house will remain open through the first week in September, which will be marked by the convention of the American Electro-Therapeutic Association. Many prominent men in the medical profession will be present, and the discussions will be of interest to laymen, as well as the doctors and electricians.

Ernest H. Crosby lately arrived from his Rhinebeck home, Grassmere, with Miss Schieffelin, daughter of Mrs. Henry R. Schieffelin; also Captain John Bigelow, U. S. A., his brother-in-law, who was lately relieved from duty in Cuba, and Mrs. Bigelow.

George E. Bartol, of Philadelphia, paid a flying visit from his Springton Manor farm, Glenmoore, Penn., to his mother, who has been summering at the Kaaterskill. He was accompanied by Mrs. Bartol and Miss Eleanor Bartol. Miss Van Wyck, a relative of ex-Mayor Van Wyck, is also on this mountain crest. T. Alfred Vernon arrived lately, coming up the Hudson on his yacht, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Woodbury Langdon.

Mrs. Badeau, widow of General Grant's secretary, is summering at the Kaaterskill with her friend, Miss Van Dolen. Mrs. Henry Brown, daughter of President Harris, late of the Reading Railway; Dr. Marvin Beckner, of Bellevue Hospital; Francis Langdon, of New-York, and Mrs. Ellen McElroy, of Philadelphia, are also there.

Many driving parties now reach the Kaaterskill daily. Among those of late were Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Bergen, from Fir Tower, Onteora Park, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howland Russell, from Content, also of that park.

Edward Coykendall, superintendent of the Ulster and Delaware system, recently visited the resort with a party of friends.

The old Mountain House is still packed to the roof, and the Laurel House, at the Falls, is also having a fine season under the new manager.

All the parks in that charming region are still filled with guests, and there is little of the season's cessation anywhere as yet. There will be few departures until September.

Among late New-York arrivals are the following:

Churchill Hall—Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smiley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Emmett, Miss G. Reynolds, Walter Gale, W. B. Wallis, A. M. Minnaugh, F. W. Collins, S. Wordsworth Fox, Kenneth L. Hendricks, J. W. Berton, M. C. Heine, Edward H. Fennell and C. A. Schwoerer.

Rexmere—Duncan C. Pell, Miss Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Munn, Dr. J. H. P. Hodgson, Mrs. Ida J. Dutton, Mrs. George W. Burleigh, A. H. Shoup, Mrs. Frances H. Kimball, Mrs. Sheluon Hopkins, Miss Hubbard, William R. Oakens, Miss Dorothy Mills and Mrs. William H. Mills.

New Grand—Miss Alva W. Aaron, Emil Aaron, Mrs. A. Buchanan, Albert Weiss, F. W. Hotchkiss, A. H. Monakal, K. C. Pelkashy, William W. Mayer, K. Marks, S. Schlessinger, E. S. Grorey, R. Hirch, A. Fenn, M. G. Kauffman, C. Abbott, Mrs. M. F. Goldstein, J. H. Kautman, Peter Bosch, Dr. H. E. Holsey, R. Brandt, M. J. Stein and E. M. Levy.

Kaatsberg—Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wallace, Mrs. J. C. Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. Henry O'Brien, Mrs. M. J. Ward, Miss A. S. Marshall, Mrs. J. H. Smallwood, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolf, R. G. Elliott and Mrs. Francis J. Worneck.

Hotel Martin—Mr. and Mrs. H. Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Culkin, Frank R. Eltinge, S. Rinaldo, E. S. Stodola, H. E. Slater, M. Goldberg, Miss Elsie Nagel and Frederick Nagel.

Antlers—Dr. Henry Herbert, Miss Helen M. Milius, Mrs. C. A. Lowerre, Mrs. W. R. Cosgrove, Joseph Frankfort, Joseph Spencer, Miss Katharine Spencer, T. J. Maloney, H. H. Costikan and M. McGowan.

Sunset Park Inn—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dusenbery, Matthew I. Foe, Edwin H. Hammer, William H. Andrews, Miss K. C. Fabricius and Miss M. F. Fabricius.

Loxhurst—H. S. Butler, A. Gomez, Miss May E. Martin, Miss Daisy Acker, Miss Katharine L. Reidy and Miss Lucille Vaupel.

Pine Grove—Mrs. T. P. Cook, Mrs. S. Whit, Mrs. E. R. Ruplegea, Mr. and Mrs. Linnington, Mrs. Loomis, A. H. W. Van Sicklen, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Lock, G. A. Henry and John H. Henry.

Santa Cruz Lodge—Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Holmes, Dr. and Mrs. H. A. King, William R. Sherborne, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Tyler, the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Brown, Mrs. George Houghton, Earl A. Bowman, Miss Margaret Reid, Russell Bluker, Jackson Wallace and Miss Van Dolsen.

Haines Falls House—C. H. Arms, Miss A. Sedgwick, Mrs. R. B. Sedgwick, Miss Harriet B. Deyo, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Deyo and R. T. De Ouelin.

IN THE BERKSHIRES.

COTTAGERS MAKING READY FOR FALL SEASON—HOTELS FILLED.

Lenox, Mass., Aug. 23 (Special).—Mr. and Mrs. George Westinghouse and George Westinghouse, jr., have returned from abroad, where they had been since last spring. Mrs. Westinghouse was ill in London, and will not entertain until late in September, when she will give a series of afternoon teas. The Westinghouse grounds have been enlarged this year, and several miles of new permanent drives have been made. Their model electric light plant has been doubled in its capacity. The

THE STORK FOUNTAIN AT DEER PARK IN THE CATSKILLS.

Westinghouse horses will be shown in the Lenox horse show.

Dr. and Miss Lane, of New-York, are guests of Mrs. William F. and Miss Kate Cary at the Cook cottage.

Miss Cornelia Barnes, daughter of Captain and Mrs. John S. Barnes, of New-York, is in Newport for several weeks.

Mrs. Robert Winthrop and Miss Marie Winthrop, of New-York, started this week for an extensive tour of Canada, going as far west as Lake Superior.

F. Augustus Schermerhorn, of New-York, who has been yachting along the Atlantic Coast in his steam yacht Free Lance, has returned to Lenox.

Dr. Frank Bullard, of Boston, has arrived at Merrywood, where he is a guest of his brother, Charles Bullard.

Samuel A. Babcock, of New-York, who has the Osceola cottage, has his son, Samuel Babcock, of New-York, as his guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Giraud Foster, of New-York, returned this week to their cottage, Bellefountaine, in the Stockbridge Road. They will give several large entertainments in September.

Mr. and Mrs. U. T. Hungerford and Miss Hungerford, of New-York, arrived this week, with a stable of horses and a large automobile. They will spend the greater part of the fall season here, and will make several long tours of the Berkshire Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, of New-York, who have been at Saratoga, will arrive next week at their October Mountain cottage. Mr. Whitney has lately released several thousand Long Island quail there for the fall shooting, and the pheasants which are extensively bred on the estate will afford sport. Later William C. Whitney and a party from New-York will arrive in Lenox for the fall entertainments.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Waterbury, of New-York, who have been in Saratoga, will arrive here the first of next week in their touring car. From here they will continue to New-York, after stopping for a short time at the Berkshire resorts.

J. Frederick Schenck, of New-York, will have one of the handsomest new cottages in Lenox. The design is old Colonial. Building began this week, and the house will be opened next spring. Mr. Schenck has a valuable collection of furniture, picked up in all quarters of the world, which he will bring to Lenox for the new house.

Mrs. Robert G. Remsen and Miss Remsen, of New-York, have opened the Struthers cottage, in Main-st.

Mr. and Mrs. Byam K. Stevens, of New-York, started this week for Narragansett Pier.

Miss Evelyn Sloane and John Sloane, jr., are the guests of Mrs. Henry P. Rogers, in the Adirondacks.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Perkins, of Cleveland, are expected here early in September. Miss Ruth Hanna, daughter of Senator Hanna, will be their guest.

Mrs. Frederick Neilson and Mrs. Arthur T. Kemp, of New-York, who are at Newport, will return to Lenox next week. Reginald Vanderbilt will spend September here.

President Roosevelt will meet the Lenox cottagers on Wednesday morning, September 3, on the occasion of his visit to the Berkshires. He will be a guest of Governor W. Murray Crane, of Dalton, who will accompany the President on his Berkshire tour.

Henry H. Cook, of New-York, owner of Wheatleigh, is ill again at his cottage. Mr. and Mrs. Carlos de Heredia, of New-York, are with Mr. Cook at Wheatleigh.

The arrivals at the Curtis Hotel this week include Mrs. Gilbert L. Beekman, Paul Bayne, the Misses Emma and Elizabeth Buckbee, Miss Emma B. Croft, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Smith, J. Montgomery Smith and J. C. Gernot.

At the Hotel Aspinwall are Miss Alice Hall, Miss Isabelle Hall, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Street, Mrs. Charles Griffin, Mrs. William Leeds, Mrs. Douglas C. Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Fisk, Miss Fisk, Dr. and Mrs. F. H. Whittemore, Mrs. D. P. Williams, Mrs. W. A. Stetson, Mrs. Frank Potter and William Stetson.

Governor Crane, of Dalton, and a large party have been making a coaching tour through the Berkshires. In the party were General Robert Blood, General W. H. Brigham, General Henry S. Dewey, General Frederick W. Wellington, Worcester; Colonel James G. White, Boston; Colonel Edward J. Gilhon, Wakefield; Colonel William C. Capelle, Boston; Colonel Henry L. Williams, Colonel George G. Benyon, Watertown; Colonel Paul R. Hawkins, Springfield; Major John E. Lancaster, Worcester; Major Charles S. Porter, Lieutenant Governor John L. Bates, David S. Slade, Lucius Field, J. J. McNamara, A. A. Maxwell, John S. Smith, Congressman George P. Lawrence, David I. Robinson, George F. Howard and E. F. Hamlin.

Pittsfield hotels are filled, and the overflow of guests is being sent to cottages about the various hotels. The management of the Maplewood Hotel presented a handsome cup to the Country Club of Pittsfield, which was played for this week, the competition being open. The contest was witnessed by a large part of the hotel guests. The conditions were thirty-six holes, against bogie, and the winner must hold the cup three years to win it outright. At the Maplewood Hotel are Dr. James M. Steele, U. S. N.; Mrs. L. Huntington, Miss E. Downing, Mrs. T. N. Norris, Miss E. Bolton, Mrs. L. F. Bissell, Miss Bissell, Mrs. C. R. Benent, Miss Benent, Mrs. T. Henry Asbury, Mrs. N. Gladsbury, Mr. and Mrs. William Lummis, Mr. and Mrs. Ira A. Kip, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas T. Barr, Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Leavens, Miss Leavens, Mrs. Elmer E. Whittaker and Mr. and Mrs. William P. Cook.

In Stockbridge this week there has been interesting tennis. The Stockbridge and Great Barrington teams had a tournament. Next week the open golf tournament will be played for valuable prizes.

Mrs. Oscar Iasigi, of Boston, gave a musical at her home this week. On Tuesday evening a dance was held in the Red Lion Inn, at which there was a large party. Ralph Hoffman, of New-York, who has been visiting his parents in Stockbridge, gave two lectures at the cottage of Mrs. E. D. Worcester on "The Fertilization of Flowers by Insects." Miss Kate Thompson, of New-York, also entertained the cott