

Chautauqua Attractions For Friday And Saturday, July 16-17

Will Entertain Chautauqua With Plantation Melodies



W. C. BUCKNER'S SOUTHERN JUBILEE QUINTET.

The southern plantation melodies have never lost their charm to the American people, and nothing is more truly musical when presented by talented colored singers such as W. C. Buckner's Southern Jubilee Quintet. This is one of the finest organizations of its kind.

MILITARY ARCHERS.

Bows and Arrows Were Used in Battle Up to a Century Ago.

We think of the bow and arrow as medieval weapons of war abandoned by the nations of Europe four or five centuries ago. The bowmen of Troy are the last of any prominence in English history. Yet it is only about 100 years since soldiers fought with bows and arrows in European wars, and that, too, on the fields of southern Belgium.

It was in 1813, when all Europe was armed against Napoleon. Every one of the allied nations brought every possible resource of men and means to further this end. Among them was Russia. To the war she sent soldiers from the newly conquered tribes that dwelt upon the steppes of Asia—Boharians and Tatars and Tartars and other half savage peoples. Many of these regiments were armed with bows and arrows.

Donald, the military historian, speaks of a great number of those that fought side by side with the Prussians in eastern Germany and in Belgium, and he says that these bowmen held their own against the French infantry. Their aim, he says, was surprisingly good, and they could shoot an arrow with effect almost as far as a musket ball was effective, but in those days that was not much more than 100 yards.—Exchange.

THE ART OF MUSIC.

One Must Thoroughly Understand It to Really Enjoy It.

Berling says: "Music is the art of moving by a systematic combination of sounds the affections of intelligent, receptive and cultivated beings."

Weber states: "Music is to the arts what love is to man; in truth, it is love itself; the purest, softest language of passion, portraying it in a thousand shades of color and feeling."

Ruskin declares: "Music is the first, the simplest, the most effective of all instruments of moral instruction."

Have you ever thought what a desolate place the world would be without music? Have you ever realized that the entire civilized world now looks upon music as one of the great essentials in the education of the cultured man and woman?

Few persons know that the greatest delight of music comes through the understanding of it. The highest in music is not revealed to the student until the student has earned the right to enjoy it. With the right once earned the student has a wonderful power at his command, a power with which he can carry his listeners to the height of joy or to the depth of sadness. With music it is possible to exercise control over all the emotions of man.—Alfred Edward Freckleton, Jr., in New York Tribune.

Wrong Signal.

"I'm not at home to that gentleman, Jane," declared the belle.

"You haven't seen his card yet," professed mother. "You don't know who he is."

"True, but it isn't the machine I am waiting for. I can tell by the name,"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Proof Positive.

"How do you know that Chester did not mean to a stamping-paper?"

"I don't at the way it's spelled,"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Senator Burkett of Nebraska



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SENATOR BURKETT is one of the great "young" men of the nation. He has been a member of the state legislature, was elected to the house of representatives at Washington four times and has served six years as United States senator. He has filled many notable Chautauqua engagements and is now regarded as the foremost orator among American orators. His coming lecture at the local Chautauqua will be one of the great treats of the week.

LOADING A SOLDIER.

Weights the Privates in European Armies Have to Carry.

The weight a soldier in active service has to carry often becomes a burden, and frequently in a retreat or a flight much of it is thrown away.

Nearly all the soldiers belonging to European armies have to carry about with them in the field a kit which ranges in weight from thirty-eight to sixty-one pounds.

The equipment that the different soldiers carry about with them is very similar. It generally comprises a rifle and bayonet, with bags and so on for keeping them clean; an intrenching tool and, of course, a number of rounds of ammunition. Then there are the various articles of clothing, with changes, and a first aid outfit.

All the soldiers with one exception carry a knife, fork and spoon, water bottle and mess tin. The Russians, who are the exception, carry a wooden spoon only, which they keep in their boots. There is also a supply of food carried and generally one or two reserve or emergency rations. Together with an overcoat and the knapsack and similar accoutrements, the load to be carried is a considerable one.

The Russians, the men, the weight working out at sixty-one pounds, while

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GERMANS CROSS FRONTIERS

Mackensen's Army, Within Few Miles of Lublin, Pressing on Warsaw.

Berlin, via wireless to London.—General von Mackensen's army has penetrated Russian soil from the Galician frontier to within 37 miles of Lublin.

Vangorod, the fortress guarding the southern approach to Warsaw, the Polish capital, is but 40 miles north west of Lublin, and the steady swing of von Mackensen's left wing into the Russian territory is advancing toward the railroad, which runs from Warsaw through Vangorod and eastward through Lublin.

Southeast of Lemberg, General von Linzinger's forces continue to advance. They stormed the heights held by the Russians southeast of Kuroto vice, it was announced.

Baptist Hosts Gather.

Oakland, Cal.—More than 2000 Baptists from all parts of the United States and Canada are in Oakland to attend the international convention of the Baptist Young People's Union which opened its five days' session Wednesday in connection with the 6th annual convention of Pacific Coast Baptist Young People's Socie

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PORTLAND, OREGON

THE LADY AND THE COBRA

With a Violin Recital the Effects Which Were Magical.

An Englishwoman residing in the city recently found to her horror that a huge cobra had coiled itself about her veranda rails near with she sat playing the violin. She was too dare to move to run with safety, so she continued playing while she gradually crept away. At first her only idea was to keep the creature thus entangled while she escaped, but when she gained a safer distance and perhaps fascinated by the unworldly signs strange inspiration seized her. She played air after air of different character.

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