

# Saturday House,

JAMES RIDEOUT, Prop'r.

Highlands, N. C., June 29 1891

Andy Alton W Tangle

Dear Sir - You may not care for popular approval by letter from your ordinary readers, but I hope it does not annoy you - But I cannot help writing you that I enjoyed keenly yours of the 19 inst in Chceys Inter ocean - I have passed it around and then filed it away among my best papers -

Respectfully Yours,

James Rideout.

Would like to see you.

HIGHLANDS is a justly popular health and summer resort, excelled by none, located on a basin-plateau at the southern terminus of the Blue Ridge, in Macon county, N. C., near the dividing lines of the States of North and South Carolina and Georgia, 30 miles from the railroad at Walhalla, S. C. The main street in Highlands is 3,817 ft. above the sea. The town is steadily growing in population; is a money order postoffice, with three daily mails; is connected by telephone with the telegraph at Walhalla, S. C., and Dillsboro and Sylva, N. C. Has seven regular hotels, five general merchandise stores, churches, good school, societies, &c.

HIGHLANDS is a station of the U. S. Signal Service in charge of a voluntary observer.

For nine years past the mercury has never risen above 87° in the shade. The highest in 1889 was 84°, on May 11; 1890, 85°, on July 13. Mean for August, 1889, 62°; September, 52.3; October, 48.3; November, 33.9; December, 41.8; highest temperature during these five months was 82°, lowest was 8.5; lowest for the year, 5° above, on February 7th. The temperature is rarely as high as 80° in the summer or as low as 20° in the winter. The rainfall is abundant, both summer and winter.

The SATULAH HOUSE offers the comforts of a home. Table supplied with fresh milk, butter, eggs, berries, and all that our excellent market affords. Rooms always full in season. For summer rates apply early, to JAMES RIDEOUT, Prop'r, Highlands, N. C.

Come via Walhalla, S. C.; hack fare reasonable. Season opens May 1st.

DISTANCE TO  
Points of Interest About Highlands, N. C.

MOUNTAINS.

Mt. Satulah, altitude over 4,500 ft.	1/2 m.
Bear Pen Mountain, 4,400 ft.....	3/4 "
Fodderstack " 4,400 ft.....	1 "
Short Off " 5,000 ft.....	4 1/2 "
Whiteside " 4,908 ft.....	5 "
Scaly " 4,800 ft.....	7 "
Yellow " 5,100 ft.....	8 "

GRAND FALLS AND CASCADES.

Naiad Cascades, 300 feet.....	1 1/2 "
Satulah Falls, 60 feet.....	1 1/2 "
Highlands Falls, height, 50 feet....	2 1/2 "
Bridal Veil " " 50 " ...	3 "
Norton's Cascades, 400 feet.....	3 "
Glen Falls, 104 ft.....	3 1/2 "
Mill Shoal Cascades, 200 feet.....	4 "
Cullasagee, Upper, 70 feet.....	4 "
" Lower, 150 feet.....	9 "
Turkey Tail Falls.....	7 "
Tuckaseegee " Upper.....	14 "
" " Lower.....	15 "
Whitewater " .....	20 "

CHARMING MOUNTAIN VIEWS, &c.

Sunset Rock.....	1/2 "
Spring-in-the-Cave.....	1 1/2 "
Kallalanta.....	1 1/2 "
Sedge.....	2 1/2 "
The Bowery.....	2 1/2 "
Rock House.....	7 "
Granite City.....	7 "
Picklesimer's Cave.....	6 "