

"Charlotte Day" At Fan--Marine Band To Play on Grounds

Crowds of People Coming in
on Trains From Near-by
Cities to Hear Great Organ-
ization—Prizes in Live Stock
as Awarded.

Tomorrow, Travelers Day, St.
Henry of Curtiss Bunch of
Aviators Will Make Flights
—Bi-plane on the Ground.

"Charlotte Day" has always been
a popular day at the annual fairs.
There is a belong-to-all atmosphere
on that day that differentiates it
from other days, i. e., as far as Char-
lotte is concerned.

This bright beautiful day is "Char-
lotte Day" at this year's fair. The
entire fair is drawing large
crowds not only from Charlotte, but
all surrounding cities and towns. The
night trains and the early morning
trains came in crowded to the plat-
forms. If this weather continues
thousands of people will witness the
flights by C. R. St. Henry, one of Cur-
tiss' best aviators, at the fair
grounds tomorrow and Friday.

The hangar is up, the aeroplane in
place and under constant watch by
trusted Curtiss men.

Weather permitting there will be a
beautiful exhibition by St. Henry to-
morrow and Friday. The beauty of the
flights is principally in seeing the
machine leave the ground and return
to same. To witness this one must
be within the grounds. The instant
the machine leaves terra firma a thrill
somewhat akin to a dive runs through
one. It seems supernatural.

The Exhibits.
The crowds who are at the fair
are not all fun-seekers. There are
hundreds who go to see the exhibits
of live stock; the birds that make up
the big poultry exhibit.

MARINE BAND.
The great event of today is the
playing of the Marine Band within
the grounds. The band begins to play
at 1 p. m. and continues until 4 p.
m. People have come from 60, 60,
and 100 miles to hear this great
musical organization. A stand was
erected for the band in front of the
old grandstand.

The band plays at the Academy to-
night.
Travelers' Day Tomorrow.
Tomorrow is U. D. C. day at the big
fair. Hundreds of traveling men—
gentlemen of the grip and sample
cases—will pass within the gates. Many
drummers have already arrived. Many
more are coming tonight. They have
their samples along, but they are going
to forget to to button hole the public
just for one day—tomorrow—and will
devote their time and energy to mak-
ing "Travelers' Day" a rip-roaring suc-
cess. The "boys" may fall in line in
the morning in front of the Central
hotel, and be headed march to the fair
grounds. They may chant as they
drum(mer) along:

"We are traveling men of Charlotte
And we're strictly on the road
We're mighty glad we've got a job
And we're glad of every load.

"The eyes of Charlotte are upon you
All the living day
The eyes of Charlotte are upon you
And you cannot get away.

"Though you think you may escape us
From now till early morn
The eyes of Charlotte are upon you
Till Gabriel blows his horn."

The judges of livestock at the Fair
have been hard at work since yester-
day awarding the prizes. The pigs have
been gone over and the prizes award-
ed.

Cochran Bros. were awarded first
prizes on the Berkshire sow and Berk-
shire herd.

In the Chester Whites, Mr. Cy El-
liott's entry took first prize for sow and
produce.

In the same class Mr. Thos. Whit-
nant's boar took first prize.

Mr. M. O. Dowd's entries were at-
tracting considerable notice in the
Berkshire class. His stock took four
first prizes, besides several second
prizes.

Clearing Site for State Building.
Special to The News.
Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 25.—The work
of clearing away the old buildings on
the site for North Carolina's first fire-
proof state administration building, on
Morgan street, between Fayetteville
and Salisbury streets is well under
way now and it is expected that the
lot will be clear and ready for exca-
vations to begin any time after Novem-
ber 1. The state building commission,
Hon. Ashley Horn, chairman, and W.
E. Springer, Wilmington, secretary, is
to open bids for the erection of the
building November 1. It is to cost a
quarter of a million dollars.

Fire-proof Windows.
Special to The News.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 25.—The work
of putting fire-proof window shut-
ters on all the windows on exposed
sides of the agricultural and the su-
preme court buildings is being pushed
right along now and will be completed
before a great while. The shutters are
to work automatically so that they
will close of their own accord in the
event of fire. They are to serve the
double purpose to prevent the spread
of fire either from or to the buildings,
both of which are veritable fire traps
in many respects.

Hood's Pills

Best family physic.
Do not gripe or cause
pain. Purely vegeta-
ble, easy to take. 25c.

HELENE KNABE'S PRIVATE LIFE'S INVESTIGATED

By Associated Press.
Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 25.—Detect-
ives today took to police headquar-
ters for examination Augusta Knabe,
a cousin, and Katherine McPherson,
an assistant to Dr. Helene Knabe,
former state bacteriologist, who was
found dead with her throat slashed in
her apartment early yesterday and
there being no indications in the apart-
ment of robbery, the police sought
to find secret places in Dr. Knabe's
life. They believed the murder, for
so it appeared today, was done by a
person that entered the door, not a
window, of the apartment, did his
work and departed through the door.
Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 25.—Investi-
gation today of the private life of
Dr. Helene Knabe, former state bac-
teriologist, found dead with her throat
gashed yesterday in her apartment,
was the work cut out for detectives
assigned to the mysterious case.

They proposed to question the dead
woman's friends in the medical pro-
fession first, for it is said her acquain-
tanceship was almost entirely confin-
ed to persons interested in scientific
subjects, in physical culture or in so-
cial hygiene.

No Scandal Expected.
The quiet, orderly routine of Dr.
Knabe's daily life has discounted any
possible theory that scandal might at-
tach to her violent death.

She lived alone in the comfortably
furnished apartment in which her body
was found, because she devoted all her
spare time to study and experimentation.
She was a member of the Young
Women's Christian Association and
frequently lectured to its members.

Championed Purity.
Often she spoke to students of the
high schools on social hygiene, invari-
ably urging the necessity of purity in
all social relationships. She was deeply
interested in physical and mental
culture among women and today was
to have taken an examination for in-
structorship in the North American
gymnastic union at the German house
in this city.

Search for Hidden Motive.
The police last night having releas-
ed Jefferson Haynes, negro janitor of
the building, in which Dr. Knabe lived,
after satisfying themselves he
could tell nothing of the circumstances
of her death, search today was taken
up for a hidden motive for her mur-
der. Handsome and of brilliant intel-
lectual attainment as she was, the po-
lice after a night's work were unable
to discover that she had an enemy or
an intimate man friend.

Suicide Improbable.
The theory of suicide seemed un-
tenable because the knife with which
Dr. Knabe was killed was not found
and the coroner is assured that the
heavy gash that almost severed her
head was struck while she lay in bed.
There was no trail of blood on the
floor. Dr. Knabe's assistant, Miss
Katherine McPherson, said that her
practice was increasing daily and that
she was in cheerful humor.

Why there was a delay of over an
hour in summoning the police after
Dr. Knabe's body was found by Miss
McPherson, and what were the
changes in detail, were questions put
to the two women.

After Miss McPherson entered Dr.
Knabe's flat and saw her body with
a gaping wound in the throat she
stated she had first called by tele-
phone Augusta Knabe from her home
in a distant part of the city.

The dead woman, Miss McPherson
said, was lying on the bed on her
back without cover. Her night dress
was wadded under her arm. Miss
McPherson added that she pulled the
night dress down over Dr. Knabe's
body before the arrival of physicians
whom she summoned before the po-
lice were notified.

This action, the detective said,
would explain the presence of blood
on Dr. Knabe's left leg for the night
dress was soaked full of blood as it
lay crumpled under her chin.

Miss McPherson and Miss Knabe
were with the body of Dr. Knabe for
nearly an hour before the arrival of
Dr. Ernest Reyer, who was the first
of Dr. Knabe's other friends to enter
the apartment. Miss McPherson call-
ed Miss Knabe and Dr. Reyer and
other physicians by telephone. She
denied emphatically as did Miss
Knabe that she saw a knife that might
have been used in killing the physician.

The detectives today turned to the
investigation of a theory that Dr.
Knabe might have ended her own
life and that some of the group of
her friends gathered in the flat be-
fore the police inquiry got under way
may have sought to take away evi-
dence of suicide. A number of per-
sons, it was said, would be interro-
gated along this line.

The Cigarette Fiend at the Fair. A
moral lesson to all.

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 25.—Fore-
cast:

North Carolina, fair in north,
local rains on coast tonight or
Thursday.

South Carolina, fair in north,
local rains on coast tonight or
Thursday.

The Cigarette Fiend at the Fair. A
moral lesson to all.

Soda crackers are
extremely sensitive
to moisture.

Before the advent of
Uneeda Biscuit the
only persons who
ever tasted fresh,
crisp soda crackers
were the people in
the bakeries.

Imagine their trip
from bakery to your
table; exposed to air
and moisture—kept
in grocers' boxes and
finally in a paper bag
on the shelf in your
pantry. Could they
be the same as they
were the day they
were baked?

Now that we have
Uneeda Biscuit—we
have perfectly
baked soda crackers
—perfectly kept.

No moisture can
reach them—no con-
taminating influ-
ences can affect
their flavor—their
goodness is impris-
oned only to be
liberated by you for
you when you open
the package.

Always in the moist-
ure proof package.
Never sold in bulk.
5 cents a package.

**NATIONAL BISCUIT
COMPANY**

New Livery Stable in Process of Erection

The new livery stable of Messrs.
Grier, McAuley and Bradford, located
on West Sixth street between Church
and Poplar street, is in process of
erection and the contractors force is
busily at work. When completed it will
be among the best equipped enterpris-
es in the city.

Executive Board Will Meet Tomorrow Noon

The regular meeting of the city
executive board will not be held to-
night, but is postponed until tomorrow
at noon. The object of the meeting is
to elect a successor to Building In-
spector Robinson, who handed his re-
signation to the board at its last meet-
ing, which was Wednesday night of
last week.

Pale, Delicate Women and Girls.
The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTE-
LESS CHILL TONIC, drives out ma-
laria and builds up the system. For
growing people and children, 50c.

Negro Desperado Laughs at Crime

By Associated Press.
Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 25.—Frank
Harrison, the negro desperado of Tus-
caloosa, who killed two white men
this week and who was brought to
the jail here for safe keeping, laugh-
ed today in speaking of his crimes.
He said he appreciated the fact
that while men were protecting him
from being lynched, but said he could
not imagine that would be the fin-
ish when the law got through with
him. The negro will be kept here un-
til his preliminary trial next week.
AD WALL ST

OBJECTION TO LAN O FREORGANIZATION.

New York, Oct. 25.—Formal objec-
tion to the American Tobacco Com-
pany's proposed reorganization plan
was filed today with the Federal
court by counsel for the independent
tobacco manufacturers and producers.
The objections embody previous state-
ments that the plan will not restore
competitive conditions in the tobacco
industry because the ownership of
many new companies is practically
identical.

Society

**MRS. TILLET TO
HONOR MRS. RODMAN.**
Mrs. C. W. Tillet is to extend a
farewell compliment to Mrs. W. B.
Rodman. On Saturday from 4-6 she
will give a reception at her elegant
home on North Tryon street.

**WASHINGTON TO
BE HOME.**

Miss Clara E. Roe and Mr. Thos. W.
Woodward of Washington who were
married Saturday last by Rev. C. W.
Hanna, of the First A. R. P. church,
have gone to Washington where they
will reside.

**MARRIED
MONDAY.**

A marriage of interest to many was
that of Miss Beattie Richardson and
Miss Fred M. Costan, both of Char-
lotte, which took place Monday. The
ceremony was performed by Rev. G.
W. Hanna, of the First A. R. P. church.
The bride and groom both number
many friends.

Mr. Costan is a traveling man, popu-
larly known on the road. He and
his bride will reside in Charlotte.

Mrs. Christopher Atkinson Died

The many friends in Charlotte of
Mr. Christopher Atkinson, of Columbia,
will regret to hear of the death of
his wife, which occurred yesterday
morning. A telegram conveying this
sad message was received yesterday
by Mr. Harry Ellerbe, the wire com-
ing from his brother, whose wife is a
kinswoman of Mrs. Atkinson.

Mr. Atkinson is a son of the late
Rev. William R. Atkinson, and a
brother of Rev. Geo. Atkinson. His
wife was greatly beloved in Columbia,
and her death is deplored by many
friends.

The State of this morning notes
Mrs. Atkinson's death thus:

"Mrs. Christopher Atkinson died
yesterday morning at 8:15 at a local
hospital after an illness of three
weeks. Mrs. Atkinson, who was Miss
Eleanor Norville de Treville, was
born at Summerville June 25, 1878. Her
girlhood was spent in Summerville,
Orangeburg and Columbia, her family
moving to this city in the spring of
1896. She was married October 3, 1900,
to Christopher Atkinson at Trinity
church. To them were born four at-
tractive children, Eleanor Norville,
Lucy Hannah, Christopher and Vir-
ginia Louise, who is little over a
year old.

"Mrs. Atkinson was a devoted moth-
er and an ideal home-maker. She
spent her life in living for others, and
her home was to her the highest place
for a woman to fill.

"On last Thursday Mrs. Atkinson un-
derwent a serious operation, after
which she made a heroic struggle un-
til the last. Her husband and mother
were at her bedside when the end
came.

Among the relatives who have come
to attend the funeral are Miss Alice
Atkinson of Wilmington, Rev. Geo. H.
Atkinson of Albemarle, N. C.



MRS. KATE WOOLESY

Mrs. Kate Trimble Woolsey, wealthy
Suffragist and author of "Republican
versus women" who characterized
Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst the Eng-
lish suffragette leader who recently
arrived in this country for a lecture
tour as a "sad mission" to enlist the
sympathies of the American women,
who Mrs. Woolsey declared was in
reality the political "underdog" and
more in need of sympathy than the
English sisterhood.

Rodgers' Machine Wrecked.

By Associated Press.
Spofford, Tex., Oct. 25.—The bi-
plane of C. P. Rodgers, the coast-to-
coast flyer, was wrecked near here
early today as the aviator attempted
to take the air, the smash occurring
before he left the ground. The ma-
chine hit a hillock. It will take at
least three days to make repairs.
Rodgers was unhurt.

ARE YOU DRIFTING

into the crowd of weak,
weary, depressed; or are
you filled with vitality and
energy?

Health is the founda-
tion of success.

Nerves, Brain, and
Body should be staunch-
dependable.

Scott's Emulsion
the best of food-tonics, is
the firm footing for health.

Corset Demonstration

—BY—

Madam Nacross

Who will assist our expert Corsetiere, Madam McCall, in our Corset
Department for two weeks.

Beginning Oct. 23rd to Nov. 4th



The Famous

**Bien-Jole
Corset**

AND

Brassier's

For Women Who
Are Particular

Come let MADAM NACROSS show you the new things, in
low bust, straight hip line, soft cloth below hip, as a protector, with
good dependable supporters attached.

Brassiere's all sizes, and very essential as a protection to the cor-
set lining.

Come in and learn all the new ideas pertaining to a correct fit-
ting Corset. We have them all and will take pleasure in demonstrat-
ing them to you.

Liles-Nix Company

CHARLOTTE'S AUTHORITY ON WOMEN'S WEAR

17 and 19 West Trade St

Phones 776 and 777

Munzie Abnathy Again in The Toils

Menzie Abnathy, who has spent
most of his adult existence on the
county roads and who has earned most
of his sentences by his fondness for
chicken, has been a poe his old tricks
again and is locked up at the police
station, where he will await trial be-
fore the recorder tomorrow morning
on a charge of stealing chickens.
The fowls that attracted Menzie's
fancy this time were those at Joe Mon-
ahan's store, corner Brevard and Third
streets, and it is alleged that he swiped
them last night. Menzie has been off
the chalking only 12 or 14 days.

Now life on the gang Menzie does
not consider servitude at all, but a
continuous vacation and as soon as he
has been away from the gang a week
or two he is filled with longing for the
atmosphere of new worked roads and
the stockade. His favorite means of
relief is to visit a chicken roost and,
having enjoyed a fine meal of fried
chicken, take no steps to prevent the
fact being known. It is more than like-
ly, if the incidents connected with this
event are as they usually are with
Menzie, he will get to the gang again.

MUDDY and PIMPLY COMPLEXIONS

Quickly Respond to a Few Appli-
cations of HOKARA Which Leaves the
Skin in a Soft, White and Velvety
Condition.

Hokara contains no grease or acids,
is antiseptic and cleansing, therefore
it is a truly scientific cream and skin
food.

Thousands of ladies are only too
glad to utilize something that would
assist nature in restoring their face
and hands to the flush of youth, and
to these Hokara will prove a god-
send, as it is guaranteed to clear the
complexion of all blemishes such as
pimples, blackheads, freckles, wrin-
kles, etc.

Sold by R. H. Jordan & Co. under a
guarantee of satisfaction or your
money back. A liberal jar for 25c;
larger size 50c and \$1.

**Cotton Figures by The
Rose-Webb Cotton Co.**

The Rose-Webb Cotton Company of
this city have issued a card containing
some interesting figures relative to the
amount of cotton of the 1911 crop
that has already been ginned. The
figures are based on the National Gin-
ners' report.

The report shows that up to October
18th 7,750,000 bales of cotton has been
ginned. The average per cent of the
total crop ginned to October 18th, for
the past 7 years is 46 per cent, the
lowest 38 and the highest 64.9 per
cent. The amount of cotton ginned up
to September 25th this year is the
largest on record.

**A HOUSEHOLD MEDICINE THAT
GIVES CONFIDENCE.**

Is Foley's Honey and Tar Compound.
Mrs. T. J. Adams, 523 No. Kansas
Ave., Columbus, Kas., writes: "For
a number of years my children have
been subject to coughs and colds. I
got some of Foley's Honey and Tar
Compound and have found that it cured
their coughs and colds in a very
short time, so I keep it in the house
all the time." Bowen Drug Store on
North Square.

Believe Barn-burn- ers Are Spotted

County officers and a detective em-
ployed by Mr. Harvey Elliott are work-
ing on evidence which they believe
will lead to the arrest and conviction
of one person, and perhaps two, who
are suspected of burning the barn on
the plantation of Messrs. Charlie and
Harvey Elliott in Steel Creek on Sun-
day night the 15th of October about
8 o'clock. The evidence against a negro
living on a farm adjoining the Elliott
farm is considered conclusive and the
circumstances are said to point strong-
ly toward the implication of a "white
man."

The barn was totally consumed, to-
gether with all its contents, which in-
clude a considerable quantity of feed
has been away from the gang a week
or two he is filled with longing for the
property of Tom Connors, a colored
farmer, who lived on his own farm ad-
joining that of the Messrs. Elliott and
who rented the Elliott farm also, using
the barn on the last named farm for
his animals. The barn is believed to
have been burned to spite him. There
was no insurance in the barn and the
loss is a heavy one both to the owners
and the negro who had it rented.

BRIEFS

—Mr. Alexander Graham says that
the comet can be seen about 5 a. m.
near "the big bright star;" that it is
visible to the naked eye.

—Columbia State: "The failure of
O. P. Heath & Co., of Charlotte, cot-
ton brokers, caused much interest in
Columbia yesterday. O. P. Heath be-
ing the uncle of M. C. Heath, of the
firm of M. C. Heath & Co., of this
city. The failure in no way affects M.
C. Heath & Co., as the firms are
distinct and separate."

**FOLEY KIDNEY REMEDY VS. A
HOPELESS CASE.**

Hon. Ark. J. E. Freeman says: "I
had a severe case of kidney trouble
and could not work and my case seem-
ed hopeless. I used several well known
remedies, and had the services of a
doctor, all of which gave me no re-
lief. One large bottle of Foley's Kid-
ney Remedy cured me and I have never
been bothered since. I have also
recommended it to my friends who all
received the same good results. Bowen
Drug Store on North Square.

Games and Game Boards

Largest stock of games in the
city. Call and see some of the
new ones. For young and old.
Baseball Boards, Carrom Boards,
Cricket Boards, Bring the
children to see us.

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