

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

MERCURY GOES TO 111 AS OKLAHOMA SIZZLES

Hottest Week on Record Closes With No Relief in Sight. Oklahoma City, Aug. 5.—A week of unprecedented heat ended in Oklahoma yesterday with new temperature records set at several points and no relief in sight.

At Tulsa the mercury hung at 111 degrees for two hours during the afternoon, the hottest in the history of the Government Weather Bureau there. For more than a week the daily average maximum temperature for the State has been well over the 100 mark.

Crops have been seared under the pitiless sun and blistering winds. Corn has suffered most.

Home Coming at Back Creek.

A mammoth Home Coming is planned for August 14. All who have breathed the congenial air of this vicinity are urged to come home and join with us one more time in a gay day with the Home Folk.

An organized army of scouts is now in pursuit of the wandering Back Creekers. They are turning their faces homeward. So we will all be there to hear the music and speeches, to eat and drink and loiter with the youngsters in the shade that bade us welcome in former days.

All local trains will stop at the church. Tickets should be purchased for Hahn, that's the railroad name for Back Creek. You are not only invited but urged to attend and bring a well filled basket.

COMMITTEE.

P. O. S. of A. Picnic. A P. O. S. of A. picnic will be held at St. John's Schoolhouse, Wednesday, August 15, 1923. The exercises will begin at 10:30 a. m. The following will be the programme:

Devotional Exercise by Rev. R. T. Troutman. Welcome Address by Mr. Jay L. Cress. Response by Rev. A. T. Cain, of Concord.

Music. Address by Hon. W. B. Stuart, of Charlotte. Music. Address by Mr. J. M. Kesler, of Salisbury.

Dinner. Beginning at 2:00 p. m. there will be a number of games. Prizes will be given to the winners. The race, cracker race, eating apples, bottle race, bean race, chicken race, hundred yard dash. At 3:30 a ball game between St. John's and Fink and Yost. Everybody is cordially invited to attend and take well filled

At The Theatres. Constance Binney in "A Bill of Divorcement," is the attraction today at the Star Theatre.

The Piedmont Theatre today is showing Round 8 of "Fighting Blood." Also Charles Jones in "Western Speed." "Fires of Hate," the 12th episode of "Thunderbolt Jack," featuring Jack Hoxie and Mabel Norman in "Molly O" are on the program at the Pastime today.

70-Million-Dollar Warship Scrapped.

New York, Aug. 6.—Scrapping of the hulls of the battleships Indiana and South Dakota, left uncompleted on the ways at the Brooklyn navy yard when the naval limitation treaty was signed was ordered today by the navy department. The Indiana and South Dakota together were to have cost \$70,000,000 and would have been the world's largest battleships.

The art of manure is many centuries old, having had its birth in the dim old convents in France, where the patient nurses practiced it on the hands of the noble ladies brought up within their walls.

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PERSONALS.

Rev. L. A. Thomas left this morning for Blacksburg, S. C., where he will spend several days.

Dr. Ernest McCauley, of Norfolk, Va., is spending this week at St. John's Church, where he is assisting the pastor, Rev. Roy T. Troutman, conduct a Bible School. Dr. McCauley will also preach at St. John's on Sunday.

Mrs. H. M. Goodman and Mr. Sam Goodman are spending the day in Moore'sville.

Mrs. George V. Harper, Mrs. S. V. Stewart and Miss Dora Stewart, of Miami, Fla., are expected to arrive in Concord tomorrow to spend about a month here with home folks.

Mrs. John A. Cline is spending the week at St. John's with her daughter, Mrs. Roy T. Troutman.

Miss Kathleen Sappenfield is visiting relatives in Kannapolis for several days.

Miss Mary Bradley Thompson, of Kannapolis, passed through Concord today on her way to Charlotte, where she will undergo an examination.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Irvin and son, Frank, Jr., of Salisbury, spent the week-end here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. F. Harris, on East Depot Street. Mrs. Irvin and son will remain here for several days.

Miss Carrie May Broome, of Raleigh, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Campbell Cline, on Cline Street.

Mr. T. Frank Morrison and little son, Thomas F. Jr., left Monday for White Lake, where they will spend about a week.

Mrs. Robert E. Jones, of Franklin, Va., arrived in Concord Monday to spend about a month here at the home of her father, Mr. D. B. Coltrane.

Mr. D. B. Coltrane has returned from a ten days' stay at Blowing Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Dusch, of Norfolk, spent yesterday and today in Concord on their way to Blowing Rock, Asheville and Hendersonville, where they will spend about two weeks. On their return from western North Carolina they will spend a few days here with Mrs. Dusch's father, Mr. D. B. Coltrane.

Dr. M. L. Troutman and Dr. G. C. Barnard, of Kannapolis, were business visitors in Concord today.

Miss Eva Kendall has returned to her home at Norwood after spending some time here with Mrs. J. M. Fant.

Rev. L. A. Thomas, pastor of St. James Lutheran Church, and family, are spending several days in Blacksburg, S. C., with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wick, of Richmond, Dr. William Parker, of Elizabeth City, and Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Parker, of Albemarle, are spending the day with Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Maness.

Mrs. Arthur H. Lee, of Yadkin, is spending several days here with friends and relatives. Mr. Lee spent Sunday here, returning yesterday to his home.

Messrs. Fred Isenhour, Vernon Igitker, Carl Howell and Luther Barnhardt left this morning for a ten day camping trip. While on their tour of Western North Carolina they expect to visit Chimney Rock, Asheville, Black Mountain, Mt. Mitchell, Blowing Rock, and other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. R. Wooten, of La Grange, will arrive in the city Thursday afternoon and spend the night with Mr. R. P. Benson. They have been spending the summer at Black Mountain and will be en route home. Mr. Wooten is a brother of Mrs. Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Edwards have returned to their home at Rocky Mount after spending some time here with the parents of Mrs. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. K. Patterson. They were accompanied home by little Miss Elizabeth Odell, who will visit them for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. S. Stone and two sons, Chas. Marion and William Stone, of Charlotte, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mrs. R. H. Patterson left this morning for Louisville, Ky., to visit her son, Mr. Raymond Patterson, for several weeks.

Mrs. Lester Patterson will leave Thursday morning for Joliet, Ill., to join her husband, who has been there for some time.

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STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, PC. South Atlantic League. Charlotte 21 14 .600, Spartanburg 19 13 .594, Macon 20 15 .571, Augusta 14 17 .453, Greenville 13 19 .403, Gastonia 12 21 .364

Results Yesterday. At Augusta 3-2; Charlotte 8-0. At Gastonia 4; Spartanburg 4; (14 innings, darkness).

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, PC. American League. New York .68, Cleveland .56, St. Louis .51, Detroit .47, Chicago .47, Washington .45, Philadelphia .43, Boston .38

Results Yesterday. New York 5; St. Louis 3. Washington 2; Cleveland 5. Philadelphia 14; Chicago 4.

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, PC. National League. New York .68, Pittsburgh .60, Cincinnati .61, Chicago .54, Brooklyn .51, St. Louis .51, Philadelphia .33, Boston .30

Results Yesterday. St. Louis-Boston, no grounds. Chicago 1; Brooklyn 5. Cincinnati 2-4; New York 4-5. Pittsburgh 4; Philadelphia 6.

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost, PC. Piedmont League. Danville .47, High Point .15, Winston-Salem .14, Greensboro .13, Raleigh .13, Durham .13

Results Yesterday. Winston-Salem 13; Greensboro 2. Raleigh 5; Danville 2. High Point 8-5; Durham 7-1.

Fetzer Returns From Big Coaching School

Chapel Hill, Aug. 6.—Coach R. A. (Bob) Fetzer, director of athletics in the University, has just returned from the University of Illinois summer school for coaches where he has been for the last several weeks with 425 other university and college coaches from all over America.

Coach Bob spent a large part of his time while here in making preparations for the coaching school to be conducted for North Carolina high school coaches by the university. This school will begin on August 29 and last through September 8 and will consist of theoretical and practical instruction in the fundamentals of football, basketball, baseball, track and tennis by Coaches Bill and Bob Fetzer, Norman Sheppard, Grady Pritchard, and "Red" Johnston from the university staff and Louis Graves, former state tennis champion.

Col. C. O. Sherrill is a Newton Product. Newton, Aug. 6.—Col. C. O. Sherrill, who has charge of the funeral ceremonies of President Harding, is a Newton boy. He is a son of the late Miles O. Sherrill, and was born in Newton and lived here till he entered the West Point Military Academy. He graduated second in his class, and has filled many assignments, at home and abroad, requiring the exercise of superior executive and diplomatic talents. The people of his old home have followed his successful career with much pride.

Accuracy. Desperado—"Halt! If you move, you're dead." Student—"My man, you should be more careful of your English. If I should move it would be a positive sign that I was alive."

The sea coast line of the globe is computed to be about 136,000 miles.

COURT CALENDAR.

In August of Cabarrus Superior Court will be held August 13th, 1923, before His Honor B. F. Long, Judge. The Civil Docket will not be called until Monday, August 20th, 1923, and will be called in the following order:

Monday, August 20th, 1923. 180—J. F. Cannon and M. L. Cannon vs. David H. Blair, et als. 80—Dr. J. A. Bangle vs. J. T. Carter. 95—F. J. Levy vs. East Side Mfg. Co. 96—R. H. and R. L. Walker vs. J. E. Starnes. 100—Concord National Bank vs. J. F. Bost. 101—B. W. Means vs. Fred S. Young and Gale S. Boylan. 98—Midway Theatre vs. North River Insurance Co.

Tuesday, August 21, 1923. 107—Love Nussman vs. J. O. and Lawson Herrin. 112—W. M. Williams vs. John Doe. 114—J. M. Weatherly vs. C. L. Spears. 116—Abram Ingram vs. Sam Harrison. 123—John Saunders vs. Bald Mountain Quarries. 125—For Motion. 126—F. H. Willis vs. Ed. M. Cook.

Wednesday, August 22, 1923. 128—C. A. Cook vs. J. B. Mangum. 146—Carl Wadsworth Co. vs. D. H. Sides. 149—Mrs. M. L. Allman, Admr. M. W. Allman, vs. Ray Henley. 151—C. S. Love vs. A. C. Lambert and J. L. Phillips. 152—D. A. Earnhardt vs. Mrs. J. D. Murph. 153—Kizziah Gardner vs. J. F. Cannon, Propounder. 155—Pantha Loye vs. A. L. and J. A. Chaney.

Thursday, August 23rd, 1923. 168—Vassie Litaker vs. American National Insurance Co. 169—Vassie Litaker vs. American National Insurance Co. 195—H. M. Hartsell vs. G. E. Crowell and W. C. Burleyson. By consent of Bar, Divorce cases are not calendared, but may be tried at the convenience of the Court. The Motion Docket will be called to suit the convenience of the Court. Witnesses need not attend until day set for trial, and cases not reached on day set for trial, will take precedence of cases for next day.

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