

Concord, Best Home City in Piedmont Section

ENTERTAINMENT OF CLASS SECURED FOR THE CABARRUS FAIR

In Addition to the Free Acts Midway Shows Will Bring Rides, Shows and Stunts That Should Please All.

BEAUTY CONTEST CREATING INTEREST

About 25 Young Ladies Have Entered Contest.—Baby Contest Also Proving Popular With Public.

The entertainment committee of the American Legion and Auxiliary have selected twenty-five young ladies to compete for the beautiful prizes in diamonds and gold to be awarded the young ladies competing for honors in the Miss Cabarrus contest at the great Cabarrus County Fair. All young ladies desiring to enter the race will report at the Porter Drug Store to Mrs. Fred Y. McConnell daily from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. The selection of prizes to be made from the windows of Starnes-Miller-Parker are a dainty assortment and are to be cherished by the successful young ladies. Elaborate preparations are being made for the official crowning of Her Majesty. The Orpin studio has been engaged as official photographers and all young ladies are requested to call at the studio and have their photos made free of charge.

Fever interest is being displayed in the prize Baby Show and exhibition. Twenty-seven mothers entered their precious little tots at the campaign office yesterday and had their pictures taken at the Orpin studio. Parents are urged to request to enter the kiddies without delay with Mrs. McConnell in charge at the Porter Drug store. All babies will be weighed and examined at the baby booth on the fair grounds during the fair, and handsomely engraved silver loving cups will be awarded the happiest, healthiest and hardest babies in all Cabarrus County.

A Ford touring car fully equipped, purchased from R. M. Housel at Kannapolis, will be on display throughout Cabarrus county beginning Thursday. Mr. Housel has placed many added accessories on the car for the Legion boys and the car will be displayed exclusively on the midway at the fair. The car will be given away on the night prior to the Auto Booth.

Entries are pouring into the fair association headquarters from the hundreds of vehicles and persons who will strive for the many prizes offered by the merchants of Cabarrus County in the grand parade next Tuesday. Floats of every description will be seen in the parade, together with bands and grotesque people who will help make it the greatest event ever staged in Cabarrus. The most unique of the eleven prizes offered is a pair of shoes for the most needy and forlorn barefoot man marching in line. The Richmond-Flower Company is offering this prize. R. M. Housel, of Kannapolis, will decorate the Ford touring car to be given away by the American Legion and Auxiliary and have it in line. Ehrhart Department store will award a suit of clothes to the man marching in line wearing the oldest wearing apparel bearing the date of purchase and who its predecessor was. The Musette, Inc., and Parks-Belk Co. have not overlooked the kiddies and will give fifty dollars in school supplies to the rural school having the largest number of students in line. R. M. Housel is also offering twenty-five dollars in tires and accessories to the largest number in (Continued on Page Five).

MEMBERS OF COMPANY E RETURNED TUESDAY NIGHT

Had Been on Duty at Spruce Pine For a Week—Two Members Remained for Special Police Work. Members of Company E, Concord's military unit of the North Carolina National Guard, returned to their home base Tuesday night after spending a week at Spruce Pine, where disorders were reported week before last when negro workers in the town were ordered to leave following an alleged attack on a white woman by a negro.

Harry Joyner and William Hershman remained at Spruce Pine and have been sworn in as officers. They will assist the police of Spruce Pine and the sheriff of Mitchell County in preserving order now that all the troops have been withdrawn. The Asheville troop of cavalry and the Morganton engineers also returned to their respective bases Tuesday. They were at Spruce Pine longer than the Concord company, having been called to the Mitchell county town several days prior to the issuance of the order which caused the Concord company there.

Members of the Concord company fared well in Spruce Pine, judging from statements made by several members of the company. Everything was quiet while the men were on duty there, and as no disorders occurred there was no occasion for the men to do work other than guard duty.

The call to Spruce Pine was the fourth Company E has received to do special duty since its organization several years ago. The men of the company were first on special duty here. Later they were sent to Rockingham and Aberdeen during the strike of the railway workers, and after returning from those cities were later sent to Spencer.

Company E arrived in Concord about 9:30 o'clock Tuesday night and the men were in the armory again by 10 o'clock. All equipment was carried to the armory immediately and the men discharged.

GERMANS NOW READY TO HELP THE FRENCH

Premier Poincare Says New Negotiations Cannot Be Begun by the French at This Time. Paris, Oct. 10. (By the Associated Press.)—Her von Hoesch, the German charge d'affaires, called on Premier Poincare today and offered the co-operation of the reichstag toward the resumption of the normal economic life in the Ruhr.

Premier Poincare replied that inasmuch as negotiations were in progress in the Ruhr with the groups of industrialists and labor leaders, he did not deem it advisable to begin further conversations on the same subject. He informed Herr von Roesech when Germany was ready to make a proposition covering the entire reparations question he would be glad to consider it.

Dairy Farmers Told Co-Op. Idea Will Protect Farmer

Syracuse, Oct. 9.—Readjustment which is in progress will end discontent among agriculturalists, in the opinion of Henry C. Wallace, secretary of agriculture, here today for the world's dairy congress and the National Dairy Exposition.

"The farmer is not radical and never will be," Secretary Wallace said. "He is our best conservative citizen, and any talk of radicalism is bunk." Former Governor Frank Lowden, of Illinois, stated the American farmer must organize co-operatively and study world conditions. "When he takes time to study these conditions he will no longer be a one-crop farmer. He will diversify to meet conditions as they are." Co-operation on the part of the farmer is bound to prove his own salvation.

Arrested for Alleged Swindle

(By the Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 10.—Samuel W. Glover, a stock salesman, was arrested today for an alleged stock swindle in Albany, Ga., involving \$30,000.

After the Cloudburst

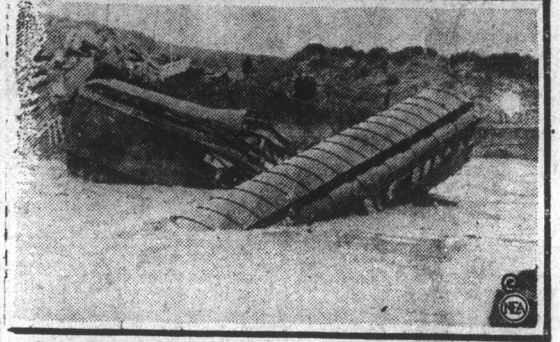


Photo shows wreck of a passenger train near Casper, Wyo., following terrific cloudburst which flooded Cole Creek. Several cars plunged into the waters. More than a score of persons were killed.

OPENING GAME OF THE WORLD SERIES TODAY

Giants and Yankees Clash This Afternoon in the First Game to Decide Baseball Champion of Present Year. (By the Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 10.—Worlds series fans awoke today to find Indian summer weather in prospect for the afternoon. Indications were that it would be warm at the game side with little wind.

The probable batting order: Giants—Bancroft, ss; Groh, 3rd base; Frisch, 2nd base; Young, rf; E. Meusel, lf; Stengel or Cunningham, cf; Kelley, 1st base; Snyder, c; Nehr or J. Scott, pitcher.

Yankees—Witt, cf; Dugan, 3rd base; Ruth, rf; R. Meusel, lf; Pipp 1st base; Ward 2nd base; Schang c; E. Scott, ss; Pennock or Hoyt, pitchers.

Kankee Stadium, Oct. 10.—Batteries are Watson and Gowdy for the Giants; and Hoyt and Schang for the Yankees.

First inning: Bancroft flied out to Ruth. Groh singled into center on the first ball pitched. Frisch forced Groh. Scott to Ward. Frisch went stealing. Schang to Ward. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Both Are Confident. New York, Oct. 9.—John McGraw, manager of the New York Giants, discussing his team's chances in the world's series tonight said: "In 1921 and 1922 the dope was all against us. It said my pitchers were weaker than those of the Yankees and my heavier hitters hardly as good as those of the Americans. Yet my pitchers proved strongest and by batters the hardest. The dope, as usual, is against the Giants, yet there is but one thing to predict—a Giant victory. The Giants are great ball players and they are strengthened by the confidence gained in the winning of two world championships in a row."

Said Miller Huggins: "The Yankees are a different team than in 1921 and 1922. The personnel is almost the same, but the spirit is changed. Now, along with the exceptional ability, the Yankees are aggressive and are working better together. Babe Ruth is changed. He expects to do heavy work with his bat. The pitching staff was never stronger or more brilliant. I think I may safely predict that the world's championship golf will fly over Yankee stadium after this series."

The Complete Dope. New York, Oct. 9.—Salient points of the world's series of 1923 follow: Teams: New York Giants of the National League; New York Yankees of the American League.

Games: Championship to go to team winning four contests out of seven.

Places of games: First game in the Yankee stadium; second in Polo grounds, alternating each day until six games have been played. Place of seventh game, if necessary to be decided by flip coin.

Time of games: Two o'clock eastern standard time.

Umpires: Evans and Nallin for the American League; Hart and O'Day for the National League.

New Receiver Takes Over Salisbury Bank. Salisbury, Oct. 9.—B. F. McLean, receiver of the Peoples National Bank of this city, which closed its doors early in June, in this week relinquishing his office as receiver and is to be succeeded by J. E. Fouts, Muncie, Indiana, who is now here familiarizing himself with the duties that devolve upon him and is being checked in by Mr. McLean, who is going over matters pertaining to the institution with the new receiver. Mr. Fouts is an attorney and comes to the work here as the representative of the Treasury Department to handle the affairs of the banks under the receiver'ship.

Lloyd George Carries Out Program. (By the Associated Press.) Toronto, Oct. 10.—David Lloyd George carried out the morning program here today including two brief speeches, although he was hoarse. When he arrived from Ottawa it was at first believed he would not be able to carry out the program.

Throughout the morning he conserved his voice, declaring he probably would need it for the afternoon meeting.

FOURTEEN PERSONS LIVING AT SPRUCE PINE ARE ARRESTED

Charged With Rioting and Conspiracy in Connection With Recent Armed Demonstrations in That City. WILL BE GIVEN HEARING LATER

Warrants Were Served Without Disorder, Most of Them Being Served Without the Public Knowing of It. (By the Associated Press.) Spruce Pine, Oct. 10.—Fourteen persons, including a minister, were arrested here this morning on charges of rioting and conspiracy in connection with the recent armed demonstration, resulting in the wholesale deportation of negro laborers in this section.

Preliminary hearings will be given late today if sufficient cause is shown to warrant further action the defendants will be bound over to a special term of Superior Court for Mitchell county, which will be held October 22 at Bakersville, it was announced.

The men arrested are: Stokes McKinney, Peter Biddix, Pete Grain, Jr., Jed Ward; Bot Buchanan, John Tripman, Logan Ward, D. E. Jackson, Mac McMann, Z. H. H. Capan, Rev. Moston Buchanan, Ander Grain, Lane Buchanan, and Robey Buchanan.

No trouble or excitement resulted. The arrests were made quietly at the homes of the defendants about 10:30 a. m. Some of them were found on the streets or about their work, but the deputies serving the warrants approached them quietly and summoned them to appear before a local magistrate this afternoon before many of them had learned of the matter.

The town of Spruce Pine has employed Frank Watson and Dr. J. M. Peterson to prosecute the cases.

If probable cause is found the defendants will be bound over to Superior Court and tried during the special term called for the trial of John Goff, alleged assailant of an aged white woman of Spruce Pine.

THREE VESSELS UNABLE TO FIND ANOTHER SHIP

Which Tuesday Reported That She Had Gone on the Rocks on Pacific Coast. (By the Associated Press.) Seattle, Oct. 10.—Three vessels sent word to Seattle today by wireless that they had been unable to find the motor ship Kennecott in the place in which she reported herself early yesterday on the rocks south of Dixon Entrance.

The Alaska Steamship Company, owners of the Kennecott, stated that no word has been received direct from the motor ship since her wireless ceased working about 1 a. m. yesterday. Fears grew that the vessel was a total loss, but the fate of the 31 men aboard her became an uncertainty.

Big Tourist Business in the Asheville Section

Asheville, Oct. 9.—The past summer tourist season has been a record breaker for Asheville. The hotel managers are a unit in reporting that no season has ever been better. At least one manager was frank in saying that they had not expected very much because the season was so late in starting but that he had been surprised to find that business when it did develop came in such volume that his hotel broke last year's record. No complaint is heard in any quarter, and it is believed that next summer Asheville's hotel facilities including the new hotels that are now in course of construction will be taxed. It is believed that the advertising obtained from the tourists of this year will be more than enough to fill the hotels next summer.

It is a bit early to be able to get much of an expression as to the fall season, but from this point it is possible to say that all hands are enthusiastic over the outlook. Advance bookings have been very good and they have come in earlier than usual and in greater volume than is customary at the outset of the season. The big boost that hotel patronage has received this summer has given the hotel proprietors courage to expect a good fall season.

Postpone Reading of Bill

Berlin, Oct. 10 (By the Associated Press.)—The nationalists and communists in the reichstag voting jointly succeeded today in effecting the postponement until Thursday of the third reading of Chancellor Stresemann's authorization bill giving him wide authority in the dictation of measures for economic rehabilitation. The indication was that they hoped ultimately to defeat the measure through filibustering tactics.

Much Lumber Destroyed

Hertford, N. C., Oct. 10.—About 500,000 board feet of lumber was destroyed when a dry kiln at the Major & Loomis Lumber Company's plant was burned last night. The amount of the loss had not been determined early today.

Wednesday's Charlotte Observer: A congressional party from Concord, consisting of: Mr. Joe Barrier, Mr. Jit Liebenberger, Mr. Doby Treottman, Mr. Ed. Wallman, Mr. Wallace Moore, Mr. Walter Brown, Mr. Harry Lee Johnson, Mr. Hubert Morris and Mr. Billy Brown spent the week-end in the city.

BUSINESS SESSIONS OF SYNOD BEING HELD

Synodical Session Service Held During Week at Spruce Pine. (By the Associated Press.) Spruce Pine, N. C., Oct. 10.—The Synodical Commission Service was held and ministers over the deceased ministers were read at this morning's session of the 14th annual North Carolina Synod of the Presbyterian Church. One of the most important sessions of the entire gathering will take place this afternoon when reports of the Stewardship committee are received.

Discussion will center about continuing the office of Stewardship Secretary at Charlotte. Tonight the session will be given over to consideration of the report of the committee on synodical home missions.

Today's opening session was held in the Presbyterian Church at Graham as the meetings are equilly divided between Burlington and Graham. Upwards of 300 deacons and elders are in attendance, and Dr. J. H. Henderlite, of Gastonia, is moderator, he having been elected over Rev. R. Murphy Williams, of Greensboro, by a narrow margin Tuesday.

Sessions of the Synod will continue through Friday morning.

THE COTTON MARKET

Opened Steady Today at Advance of 12 Points to Decline of 2 Points. (By the Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 10.—The cotton market opened steady today at an advance of 12 points to a decline of two points, most of the active months being a few points higher on relatively firm cables. Cotton futures opened steady, Oct. 28.05; Dec. 27.57; Jan. 26.92; March 26.93; May 26.95.

BRICKLAYERS PAY FINE FOR SABBATH WORK

But They Figure They Made Money as They Got \$36 For Their Work. (By the Associated Press.) Larchmont, N. Y., Oct. 10.—Four bricklayers were fined \$5 apiece here yesterday for working on the Sabbath. "That's all right," they said, as they peeled off the bills. "Counting the double overtime, we make \$36 for every Sunday's work."

With Our Advertisers

Don't fail to see the complete line of Star and Durant cars at the Fair next week. Scarboro's are making some special offerings for today and tomorrow. Clue & Moose have just received a fresh shipment of feed.

Flags, pennants and bunting at the Musette. Get them now for the Fair. Hen feed at the Sanitary Grocery Co. Get some and make your hens layers instead of liars.

Don't fail to take some shares in the 52nd series of stock of the Cabarrus B. L. and S. Association, now open. E. E. B. Grady and let him put in a heating plant for you. C. H. Barrier & Co.'s store is a good place to trade if you like something good to eat.

The fine quality of Schloss Bros. clothes is well known. Get them at Hoover's.

See the three-column letter on page 1 to the Krystal Motor Co., showing the remarkable test of Havoline Oil and a Star Car.

Fresh Milk-Maid Bread is baked every day at the Concord Bakery. Dr. E. C. Pierce, optometrist, has located in Concord and his office is over the Central Barber Shop in the Phifer building. See card elsewhere.

Friday, November 2nd, To Be Arbor Day

(By the Associated Press.) Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 10.—Friday, November 2, has been proclaimed by Governor Cameron Morrison as Arbor Day in North Carolina and A. T. Allen, state superintendent of public instruction, has been appointed to direct the observance of the day.

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Pleads Guilty to Embezzlement

(By the Associated Press.) Cincinnati, Ohio, Oct. 10.—Frederick W. Hecht, former cashier of the American National Bank at Dayton, Ohio, pleaded guilty in U. S. Court here today in a warrant charging embezzlement of \$306,000 of the funds of the bank. Sentence will be pronounced later in the day.

Body of Gen. Oglethorpe Unearthed

Graham, England, Oct. 10 (By the Associated Press.)—The body of Gen. Jas. E. Oglethorpe, founder of the State of Georgia, was unearthed today by excavators under the direction of Dr. Thornwell Jacobs, who plans to have it removed to Atlanta.

NEGROES LIVING IN PENNSYLVANIA TOWN ORDERED TO LEAVE

Self Appointed Vigilance Committee in Stowe Township Paid Visit to Homes of Negroes and Left Warning. MANY NEGROES IN TOWNSHIP LEAVE

After Warning Negroes Members of Committee Visited Police and Reported Their Action to Officers. (By the Associated Press.) Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 10.—Early this morning a few negroes were reported to have left Stowe township during the night, following an order given by a self-appointed vigilance committee that every negro in the township quit the community within 24 hours. Others were reported as preparing to leave.

According to the police of the township, the action of the committee came as a result of the slaying last Saturday night of Thompson Rowland and the founding of his grand-daughter, Edith Coulter, by a negro on a lonely hillside. The negro escaped and the police have no tangible clues as to his identity.

Separating into small squads, the vigilance committee, which is said to have numbered more than 200 men, visited all negro families in the several negro workers' camps in Stowe township and quietly issued the warning for each negro to depart. Police estimate the number of negro residents of the township at between 400 and 500.

After completing their self-appointed task, the leaders of the committee reported their action to police authorities, the latter say. The police say they were aware of what the committee was doing but did not interfere as long as there was no violence. The negroes received their orders passively, and soon after the word began to spread they deserted the streets.

GOV. WALTON IS READY TO RESIGN RIGHT NOW

If Such Action Will Help in Fight He Started Against the Ku Klux Klan. Oklahoma City, Oct. 10 (By the Associated Press.)—Governor J. C. Walton, after nine months as chief executive, stands ready to abdicate in order to bring to a successful close the war on the Ku Klux Klan in Oklahoma.

Climaxing the whirl of spectacular maneuvers and counter maneuvers between the opposing forces in the tumultuous factional battle which has been waged during the last month, the Governor last night offered to compromise with members of the legislature by resigning. His only condition was that the lawmakers first pass his bill designed to unmask the Klan and curb mob violence.

"Now we will see who is sincere," declared Aldrich Blake, the Executive's counsellor in making public the Governor's terms. "The next move is up to the Klan."

Leaders of the majority of the lower house already are gathering here for an extra session of the Legislature tomorrow, reported that the Governor's offer would not affect their intention to inquire into the impeachment charges before proceeding with the proposed anti-Klan legislation.

Germany Would Do Anything to Dodge Payment

Rome, Oct. 8.—"Germany is advancing into a labyrinth which is becoming ever more inextricable," says the Giornale d'Italia today in commenting upon the parliamentary crisis and subsequent situation in Berlin.

"She would like to resist against the victor," the newspaper continues. "She wishes to have a monarchy but dares not challenge France. She would adopt socialism, even bolshevism, in order to leave France empty handed, but fears to plunge into an irreparable catastrophe."

"Thus she drifts between the rocks of the opposing parties and of opposing dynasties—Wittelsbach against Hohenzollern without reaching conclusion regarding the ever deepening abyss into which she is about to fall."

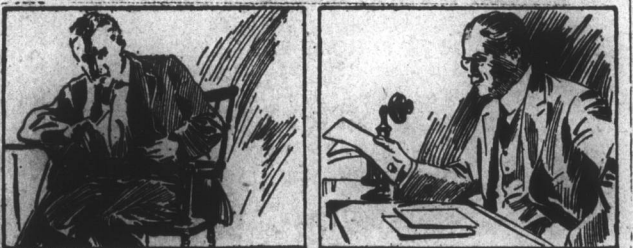
"France, armed to the teeth, maintains her vigil, not changing a line of her program despite Curzon's frown and Baldwin's smile. France wants to be paid and no British opposition can make her change."

High School Football Team Working Hard

The High School football team, which plays the Davidson high school team here on Friday afternoon, is working hard this week. The team will be without the services of regular quarterback Ridenhour, who was injured last week in Charlotte, but Coach Moore is grooming another man to take Ridenhour's place. With the exception of Ridenhour the entire varsity will be in condition to play Friday, unless injuries are suffered in practice.

Moorehaven Still Inundated

Moorehaven, Fla., Oct. 10.—Moorehaven early today remained inundated while the state government was rushing dredges here and organizing an army of citizens to plug the big gaps in the dykes surrounding this town, which yesterday failed to stand the onslaught of swirling waters from Lake Okechobee during a high gale.



WHICH CHAIR???

When you get past the productive age in your life which chair will you be sitting in—the one at the right or the one at the left?

You have it in your power to decide right now—a building and loan account with this Old Reliable Building and Loan Association added to systematically each week will place you in a position that will make your declining years a time of comfort and happiness. It is easy to start—Let us show you how.

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