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ANNUAL PEACH SHOW WILL BE BIG EVENT

Two Governors Expected to Attend Show of Peaches. Large Dewberry Shipments.

Hamlet, June 22.—With acceptance by Governor Morrison of the invitation to open the fourth annual Carolinas Sandhills peach show here on July 24 the entertainment program is taking shape. Invitations have been extended to Governor McLeod, of South Carolina, and to other prominent citizens of the two states. Other plans in connection with the show are rapidly taking shape. It is expected to have Governor for the first day and Governor McLeod for the second. Their addresses will probably be delivered from a platform erected just outside the exhibition building, while most of the educational and purely technical talks will be given in the new city hall just opened.

Something entirely new in the manner of displaying the peaches this year is promised by the management. The huge pyramid last year attracted much favorable comment, but an arrangement even more attractive is being worked out for this year. The new arrangement will largely eliminate the congestion in the show room.

A few peaches are being placed on the market now from family orchards in this section, and those early varieties, never considered of very good flavor as compared with later crops, are said to be unusually fine this year. Weather conditions have been almost ideal and

barring a disastrous wind or hail storm over the peach belt within the next few weeks the Carolinas sandhills will move several steps higher in peach production this year.

Eighty-nine cars of dewberries were shipped a week ago, 176 last week, and it is expected that at least another hundred will go forward within the next 10 days. Figures on cantaloupe and watermelon production are not obtainable, but conditions of the crop on the more than 1,500 acres of cantaloupes and several hundred acres of watermelons, indicate record breaking production.

To Discuss Problems of the State.

Greensboro, June 23.—Commercial organization secretaries from more than fifty North Carolina cities meet at Morehead City for a two-day discussion of North Carolina business and problems, Friday and Saturday, June 27-28. Addresses by a dozen prominent North Carolinians and American men of Chamber of Commerce men and the meeting is to be one of the best ever held in the annals of the professional association, according to advisers of officers of the body.

Men leading the program, just announced by Harry E. Barlow of New Bern, chairman, include: Hugh McRae, Wilmington; F. D. Courtney and Charles M. Ketchum, Greensboro; Kenneth Royall, Goldsboro; Brent S. Drane of the N. C. Geologic and Economic Survey; Fred M. Allen, Gastonia; William T. Ritter, Winston-Salem; G. W. Dailey, Wilson; Ernest N. Smith, general manager of the American Automobile Association and others.

Secretaries from every section of North Carolina will be in attendance and among those signifying their intention of being present are: Harry Barlow, New Bern; Louis Moore, secretary of the association, Wilmington; Willard Kyzer, Kinston; L. S. Moody, Salisbury; R. M. Hershburg, Fayetteville; J. Vear Mann, president of the association, Southern Pines and Greensboro; Norman Y. Chambliss, Rocky Mount; Walter C. Denmark, Goldsboro; N. G. Bartlett, secretary Eastern Carolina Chamber of Commerce; H. B. Branch, Raleigh; Burke Hogood, secretary of the Southern Secretaries Association, Durham; H. S. Fox, Laurinburg; H. A. McNeely, Sanford; P. Q. Moore, Burlington; William T. Ritter, Winston-Salem and A. M. McWhirter, Hendersonville.

Youngstown, Ohio, has moved its public library to the Public Square. It was a move of only four blocks but the theory is that the nearer the books, the more people will use them; besides, the "per-culation" cost of operating the library soars and its social usefulness goes down.

In less than a year from the time insulin came into use for combating diabetes a prominent life insurance company is able to report a small, but probably significant, decline of 6.4 per cent in the death rate from that disease among its industrial policy holders.

GATE CRASHERS WILL BE CLOSELY WATCHED

They Are Going to Find It Hard to Get to Democratic Convention.

(By the Associated Press.) New York, June 22.—Madison Square Garden will be so tightly guarded against gate-crashers during the National Democratic convention that a burglar will not be able to jimmy his way in. As a first precaution, George F. Mara, convention director, has had the tickets prepared with stubs detachable for each session, and has kept the name of the pinner and of the final distribution point a secret, known only to himself. The tickets will be passed out the day before the convention opens.

Each of the nine public entrances to the Garden, as well as the numerous secret passageways for committeemen, newspaper men, convention officials, house employees and police, will be heavily guarded by uniformed officers and police detectives. "Spotters," veteran party workers who know by sight most of the 12,200 ticketholders, will help the authorities detect imposters.

An identification system has been devised by Stanley J. Quinn of the local citizens' non-partisan convention committee as insurance that the 2,500 tickets for New Yorkers who have contributed \$100 or more each to the entertainment fund will not fall into scalpers' hands. To each of his prospective ticket-holders, Mr. Quinn will forward a receipt in the form of a certified bank check, to be signed and retained by the recipient. An identification card, to be signed and returned to Mr. Quinn, will accompany the check.

On the day the convention opens the New Yorkers will present their certificates at a place whose location will be kept secret until then. Signatures will be compared and, if satisfactory, tickets will be issued. Only a forger could beat this system, and he would have to be well disguised, too, for most of the contributors to the convention fund are men and women prominent in local Democratic or Republican circles.

According to Mr. Mara, the detachable session-stub tickets will abolish a form of gate crashing not has been common at previous national conventions. It will be impossible, he said, for a bona-fide ticket holder to gain his seat in the auditorium and then dispatch his ticket by messenger to a friend, or customer, without the gates.

And as final precaution, the 100 hawkers to be employed by concession men will be barred from the main auditorium and confined strictly to the restaurants and club rooms with which the vast arena will be encircled. Mr. Mara recalled that a concessionaire was arrested at the San Francisco session when it was discovered he was collecting his hawkers' admission pasteboards and sending them outside to be scalped to highest bidders.

Madison Square Garden employees, who number 100 or more, will be obliged to stand muster before each convention session. It is intended that there shall be no visiting of the proceedings by proxy this year.

Newspaper Folks to Be Hosts to Fellow Craftsmen.

New York, June 21.—New York newspaper men and women will play hosts to fellow craftsmen from all over the land at the Democratic national convention.

Entertainment of the visitors has been undertaken, by authority of the National Democratic and Local Citizens' Committees, by the New York Newspaper Club and the Newspaper Women's Club, which organizations with a combined membership of 1,200, have designated Charles G. Hambridge, chief of all unofficial press arrangements for the 1,000 or more correspondents who will be there.

Mr. Hambridge has made his plans with the view first, of "providing for the working comfort and convenience of the visiting writers," and second, in order that all work and no play may not dull the reporters' wit, "of furnishing entertainment and recreation for them. For," says Mr. Hambridge, "political writers attend a convention primarily to work, and the matter of entertainment is secondary to them."

A fully equipped general workroom and clearing house for all "lone dog" reporters who will not have access to the press and syndicate accommodations will be established in the basement of Madison Square Garden, in the convention news dispatching center. A hurry-up lunch service will be maintained, without charge; attendants will supply the clearing house with all records of convention proceedings, provide messenger service, and act as a bureau of information.

There will be such crowds about the Garden and on streets to the principal hotels that Commissioner Enright has agreed to supply the visitors with guest police cards, which will let them through all police lines and expedite their taxicabs through restricted traffic lines.

Vest pocket booklets crammed with vital information about the convention personnel, delegations, headquarters, rapid service of communication, traffic short cuts between strategic points, etc., have been prepared especially for the visitors. Besides the customary press badges and credentials, two sets of lapel buttons will be distributed, one for local scribes and one for visitors, for purposes of quick mutual identification.

Each member of the local craft will be expected to place himself or herself at the disposal of any visitor, either in facilitating the gathering of news or the search for entertainment. The out-of-towners also will share in all privileges and courtesies to be extended convention delegates and alternates, in addition to the numerous special in and outdoor diversions being arranged for them. They will receive press tickets giving entrance to all golf clubs, ball parks, tennis courts, etc.

Both the men's and women's newspaper clubs are extending their accommodations for the convention period, equipping additional workrooms, adding dining and lounging quarters and other club facilities. Artists, cartoonists and camera men will be provided with separate studios within a block of the Newspaper Club.

Dr. L. J. Cooke, who has resigned as basketball coach at the University of Minnesota, piloted ten teams for the Western Conference championship during the 27 years that he served as mentor of the court game at the Gopher institution.

Builds Platform



Homer S. Cummings, chairman of the Democratic committee on resolutions, shown drawing up the party platform.

Learned Men Become Wild When Starved For Oxygen.

London, June 23.—Oxygen starvation produces some extraordinary effects on men ascending high mountains. Professor Barcroft at the Royal Institution recently told his hearers that during one of his ascents, after a height of 16,000 feet had been reached, he noticed one of the party behaving wildly.

At another altitude a highly respectable don indulged in lurid language and there was the case on record of a man suffering from oxygen starvation who had written down his sensations, and as the starvation became acute started getting his spelling fuddled.

It was characteristic of this starvation that, though the victim would know what to do, as for instance that by moving 20 yards he would get out of danger, he would not do so unless definitely instructed by someone else.

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