

American Legion To Have Big Exposition and Circus

Opens Monday, July 12th, in Winstead Warehouse, Roxboro, N. C. Many Excellent Free Acts Presented.

VIRGINIA-CAROLINA ACES FURNISH MUSIC

The American Legion has booked and will present an Exposition and Circus and Auto Show combined, all next week at the Winstead Warehouse. The Washington Decorating Co. has been engaged to do all the decorating, and the Red, White and Blue color display will be carried out. The Washington Decorators carry over \$10,000 worth of decorations and are rated as the best in the country.

The beautiful booths are now being erected in the Warehouse, and by Saturday of this week, everything will be in place. The Auto Display will be as good as any large city. The Auto Show will be arranged down the center of the Warehouse, and each booth will be beautifully decorated, with all colors of the rainbow.

In the rear of the warehouse the stage has been erected and nine of the most sensational free acts in the United States today is presented to the people every night absolutely free of charge. Opening the show every night with their act entitled "Twenty Minutes in Jazzland," the World Famous Orchestra, the Virginia-Carolina Aces, who joined the show from a tour of the United States, and they are fast winning a place for themselves in the hearts of their listeners. Their program runs from Red Hot Jazz to the Old Melodies that are dear to every heart.

The two Exhibits following them on the bill is an act of merit seldom seen in these parts, consisting of the sensational Hand Balancing acts of the age. Miss Eva Licht follows with a sensational Roller Skating act in which she does Clog Dancing and the Charleston on roller skates. Bert Long follows with an aerial act that in par excellence is second to none but while all the acts on the bill are pleasing and phenomenal, possibly the best act on the bill is The Famous Reckless Reckless Troop of bicycle riders who do the artistic and comedy riding of the show. Mr. Reckless himself does an act that is nothing short of impossible, everything that can be done with or on a bicycle he does, and he keeps it uninterfered with bits of comedy that keeps his audience in a constant uproar.

Every Act is clean and high class and is presented every night. Dr. Davis the Legion Chairman, has reduced the season tickets to 50 cents for the entire season, or 25 cents for single tickets, each night there will be a contest for "Who Will Be Miss Roxboro?" which will open at once. Each lady will receive ten percent of all tickets she sells for the Legion, and the Winner will be awarded "Queen" of the Exposition and Circus on Friday night of next week. Just call Dr. Davis and tickets will be sent out at once to you. About 20 ladies are wanted to keep the Boys out of it over. There will be dancing every night with music by the Carolina-Virginia Aces, a ten piece orchestra. The feature dance will be presented Friday night, in the form of a "Snow Dance" with all the electrical effects of snow, etc. The Dancing will start at 10:30 every night.

The Roberts Exposition Co., who is staging the show here, is classed as one of the best and has just finished a successful show at Danville, Chatham and South Boston. Each show was highly praised and the manager said here today that the Roxboro show will be better, and will open Monday night.

MR. AND MRS. LUNS FORD RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lunsford returned Saturday night from their trip West taking in Denver and parts of Mexico. Mr. Lunsford represented the Rotary Club at its International meeting, and spent some time sight seeing and visiting relatives of Mrs. Lunsford while on the trip.

Wins Trip to Europe



David Wilson, 15 years old, of Lincoln H. S., Portland, Ore., is the winner of the League of Nations essay contest, in which 4596 contestants were entered. He gets a free trip to Europe.

Newsy Notes From In And Around Helena

Friday night July 6th in the school Auditorium, Mr. G. H. Hauser's Sunday School Class will give an entertainment, admission 15 and 25 cents. The Community Aid Society will sell cream on the school grounds before and after the play. The Fourth of July was observed by the people generally at our community. Quite a few of the young set spent the day at near by resorts. A community fish fry and picnic was held by neighbors in the Mt. Zion section down on the river side.

The patriotic program put on by the League last Sunday night was attended by a good congregation despite threatening weather. Among the most pleasing features was a musical recitation by Miss Anna Burton accompanied by Misses Lucy Tiller and Mary Ashley, patriotic songs by members of the Junior League in connection of which Miss Viola Bowles gave a patriotic reading, and the story of "Star Spangled Banner" by Miss Earle Timberlake. Prof. Satterfield gave an interesting little experience of his in connection with the flag while he was in New York City. Miss Helen Hall was pianist for the evening. Next Sunday night Miss Zephina Burton will have charge of the program under the auspices of Mr. Hauser's Sunday School Class.

Thursday afternoon July 6th from 1 to 5 o'clock Mrs. H. E. Laine entertained the members of the Community Aid Society at her home here. The president, Mrs. J. T. Terry had charge of the business session after which the members enjoyed a concert in which Mrs. Lottis Oakley was the winner. The hosts served lunch and waifed as refreshments. J. V. Turner of Spartanburg, S. C. is visiting his daughter Mrs. J. E. Cash.

Misses Helen Pearce and Anna Burton were week-end visitors at the home of Miss Grace Tillet of Mt. Tizah.

Misses Viola Bowles who is attending the Summer School of Duke University and Hilma Bowles of Richmond and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bowles of Durham, spent the week end here last week.

J. M. Burton and family, J. P. Cash and family and a few friends enjoyed a picnic last Friday on the river at Burton's Mill.

Mrs. T. P. Noell is spending the week at Virginia Beach.

"THE FLAPPER GRANDMOTHER"

Without doubt this is one of the most delightful home-talent productions ever staged in the South. The ladies of the Presbyterian church are fortunate in securing the services of Miss Virginia Carleton of the Waynesville Sewall Lyceum and Producing Co., of Atlanta, Ga., under whose management the production is being staged.

FIND AGED NEGRO DYING FROM LONG EXPOSURE

Help for the Aged Negro Appeared to have Arrived in Nick of Time

WILL PROBABLY RECOVER

Apparently dying by degrees, Sidney Jeffers, an 81 year old negro, was found lying under a clump of trees yesterday not a stone's throw from the new Western outlet highway and the State College Experimental Farm. Jeffers, a former employee of the State College farm, had been in such a helpless condition for more than two weeks, according to W. F. Hunter, a white farmer residing in that section.

Help for the aged negro appears to have arrived in the nick of time, physicians stating that he probably would not have survived another 24 hours exposed to the elements and ravages of insects. He was unclothed when found.

A structure resembling a pigsty and an improvised lean-to constituted the old negro's only home. The hovel lacked flooring and was without a single window, although large slits in the roof and walls provided ventilation and ample room for rain to enter. It appeared as though at any moment it might collapse.

Odd bits of clothing, specimens which even the most commonplace rag dealer would disdain to handle, broken pieces of crockery, a pair of rusty bed springs, several old boxes all infested with bugs, lice and a legion of other insects, were found inside the dreary hovel.

Exposed to Elements. Two weeks ago, Sidney, bent with the infirmities of old age and disease, crawled about five yards from his dilapidated hovel to a clump of trees, it was learned. Here with nothing to cover him but the stars, and where rain had beaten into his face, he had fought off the Grim Reaper, probably hoping against hope that a doctor would come.

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FOUR YEAR OLD BOY DROWNED ON THE 4TH

Joseph Alfred McAllen Lost his Life in Enthusiasm over Fish in Trap

DR. B. E. LOVE SUMMONED

That was a most distressing accident which occurred on Sunday when the life of Joseph Alfred McAllen, four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Allen, long residents of Person county who reside about 8 miles from Roxboro, on the Bushy Fork road, was almost instantly snatched out when he became too enthused over the finding of fish in a fish trap and waded out too far, and the water took its toll of another life Sunday morning about 10 o'clock when Joseph was drowned before anyone could reach him.

Dr. B. E. Love was summoned instantly but life was extinct long before he could reach him.

The misfortune occurred in a rather unusual manner. The boy with several other brothers were in the act of investigating a fish trap, in which they found two fish, and Joseph, the youngest of the brothers waded into the stream and without making a cry for help submerged in the water. The father was the first to miss him, but too late to save his life, which was gone before he was rescued from the pond.

Master Joseph McAllen leaves a mother and father, ten sisters and six brothers, and of the family of 17 children, Joseph is the first to meet his death.

The funeral services and burial of the deceased were held at the grave Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and were conducted by Rev. J. J. Hall. The pallbearers were the brothers-in-law of the child, who are as follows: L. D. Long, H. E. Long, L. E. Bowles, and J. T. Horton. Misses Rosa Brooks, Ruby Brooks, Love Whitefield, Elizabeth Horton, Katy Allen, and Martha Allen, acted as floral bearers.

Marketing Farm Products Great Need Of County

Kidnapped Evangelist



First picture of Mrs. Alvin Semple McPherson, the noted Evangelist, taken in a Los Angeles hospital after her kidnapping. Mrs. McPherson was found wandering in a dazed condition near Douglas, Arizona.

Bull City Rotary Club Steps On Roxboro Nine

Yesterday afternoon the Roxboro Rotary Club journeyed to Durham for a joint meeting with the Durham Rotary, and for a ball game. The boys report a great time, though they put up a mighty poor game of ball, the score being 22 to 13, in favor of Durham. However, the Roxboro boys evened up by winning in a game of mumble-bee, or was it bar-rynd-golf, for which they were presented a huge "loving cup," made out of an old coffee pot, which engraved.

After these athletic events the Durham club gave a barbecue dinner, which was enjoyed by speech making, songs, etc.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Commencement Exercises of the Daily Vocational Bible School were held in the Baptist church last Friday evening. The school has been a decided success, 124 were enrolled, with an average attendance of 110. It required 23 teachers to take care of the school, and these teachers gave their time and talent enthusiastically. Of course, the school was the direct result of the Pastor, Rev. W. F. West and Mrs. West, but we do not believe we would be doing justice to any one to say that Miss Ora Candler was the hub to the wheel acting as principal. She gave her time without reward or hope of reward.

The exercises were greatly enjoyed, and consisted of Bible quotations, songs, recitations, etc. Just before closing Miss Julia Yancy stood to the front and in a few well chosen words presented to Miss Candler a little token of appreciation for her work, presented by the teachers of the school.

BOY RESCUED

Last Sunday evening several men were in swimming in a fish pond about 6 miles south east of Roxboro, when Frank Wilson, the 6 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wilson slipped off of a log, and but for the timely assistance of Mr. Ed Bycroft would have drowned. The little fellow is none the worse for the experience, but it was a close shave.

MISS DAVIES WILL SPEAK

Miss Daisy Davies will speak at Long Memorial Church, Roxboro, July 11th, at eleven o'clock. Everybody is invited to hear her.

Lunch will be served to members of Missionary Societies, Pastors and their wives.

Miss Davies will speak at Front Street, Burlington at eight p. m. July 11th.

MRS. MAMMIE MERRITT Sec. of Durham District.

Sudan grass planted by July 10 will furnish two heavy cuttings of hay before frost.

Miss Bessie Heath Daniel Writes Interestingly of the Problem. Says Bankers are the Farmers Best Friends.

NORTH CAROLINA HAS IDEAL CLIMATE

For nearly a year now a group of farmers of this county has been interested in the subject of marketing farm produce. They have hammered away at it in first one way and then another, and have endeavored to get our bankers and merchants to become interested in their program.

In May Mr. V. W. Lewis, Senior Marketing Specialist of the N. C. Dept. of Agriculture, was asked to come to Roxboro and explain what modern marketing methods are doing for the farmers in other counties of the State. Those who heard Mr. Lewis were thoroughly convinced that he was talking practical common sense.

Mr. J. A. Long asked: "But how is this marketing work carried on? There are a lot of details to be looked after in such work." Mr. Lewis answered, "In eighty counties of the state these details are attended to by the county agents."

Then Mr. E. G. Long wanted to know: "Well, why haven't we got a county agent? What will it cost to put a man on the job?"

This was explained, and then Mr. Long said, "We just must have an agent here to look after these matters for the farmers. The banks will go before the commission and offer to lend them the money, and if when the notes are due, the County can't pay, then we'll give them the money."

On the first Monday in June a committee went before the county commissioners and they agreed to put on the county agent work. However, our State and Federal funds for this work, under the direction of Mr. I. O. Schaub, have all been apportioned for this year, and we shall probably have to wait until January 1st before Mr. Schaub can carry his part of the expense.

However, our Person County farmers ought to know that their bankers are thoroughly and sincerely interested in farm problems, and have shown this by their action. Every farmer ought to know that the bankers are his friends and should go to them frequently for advice and encouragement. When you are in town, drop in and talk to Mr. E. G. Long and Mr. T. B. Woody, they would like to discuss prosperity with you as well as lend you a helping hand in time of trouble.

One other thing the bankers have done that every farmer ought to know about: They have put up a guarantee fund to make possible our cream-and-poultry product. The trouble has not made enough profit each week to justify the expense of the trip. We think this is due, in part, to the drought, and also to the unworkability of the idea. Our farmers ought to know that the banks consider this a good proposition. Before giving his approval, Mr. J. A. Long wrote to a friend in Hickory and asked his opinion of the cream business. He received this reply:

"It has put more money into the hands of the farmers of Catawba County than anything that ever happened."

Please remember that this project of dairying has three possibilities: The money you can get for cream, the value of skim milk when fed to chickens, calves and hogs, and the manure that increases the fertility of the soil. Don't consider your cream check the whole thing. The (Continued on Page Eight)

MASONIC NOTICE

Call Communication Person Lodge No. 113, Tuesday evening July 12th. Work in the first degree. All members and visiting M. cordially invited to attend.

CHAS. A. HARRIS, W. M. A. C. GENTRY, Sec.

Sow Sudan Grass Now And Cut Two Crops of Hay Before Frost. Try This On Your Stubble Land.