

DOINGS OF A DAY IN COLUMBUS

Deer Plentiful—Important Educational meeting—War Against Vagrants. Great Chadbourn Rally. Governor Kitchin.

(Special Star Correspondence.) Whiteville, N. C., Nov. 2.—Yesterday morning Russell Spivey, a young man of Whiteville, aged about 18, brought in two fine deer, a prong buck and a large doe, that he had killed at one shot, on the Lumberton road, about two miles from Whiteville. News was brought to town that fresh deer tracks were seen after the rain, and Spivey and other parties went out with a dog to see if they could be found.

Russell was sent to follow the dog, being given a one-barrel shotgun. The dog jumped the pair of deer within a short distance of the young man when he pulled down and killed both at a first and a single fire. There are a great many deer now in the woods and a number are being killed. One of the most important meetings ever held in Columbus county was that which resulted in organizing the trustees of the schools in the county. It was largely attended and much enthusiasm manifested. Mr. G. Harbert Smith, of Acme, was unanimously elected president, which was a most fitting compliment, as Mr. Smith has done a great work in the rebuilding of the schools. He gave a check for \$300 toward the handsome academy building between Newberlin and Acme.

Bolton township will vote on a new stock law district and it is believed the same will carry. It would save the building of a long string of fence for the section which adopted the stock law adjoining.

Whiteville is waging war against tramps and other vagrants, and Chief of Police Thompson is doing good work in rounding up these fellows. Monday he arrested ten Germans who were stealing a ride on the Coast Line train, and came from Fayetteville, via Wilmington. They were given 15 days each on the chain gang. Our town and county authorities are determined to break up the bands of vagrants and make them either serve terms on the chain gang or go to the cotton field. These Germans were terrorizing our colored people, invading their homes and violently taking all the cooked provisions they found on the premises. In some instances they ran negroes away from their homes and took possession of them. All but three of the number could speak English. A great many tramps are now traveling through the country, stealing rides on the bumpers of freight trains.

Governor W. W. Kitchin will address the voters of Columbus at Bolton on Saturday afternoon, November 11th, and a large crowd is expected. Governor Kitchin has many friends in the county and will receive a warm welcome. But there is no denying the fact that Senator Simmons is gaining strength, and the race here, from the present outlook, will be between Simmons and Aycock. Governor Aycock will not be surprised to see the general impression is the man who defeats him will represent our State in the United States Senate.

Great preparations are being made for the big Farmers' Rally at Chadbourn next Wednesday, November 8th, and a large crowd is expected from Wilmington, and especial arrangements are being made for their reception and entertainment. Editor Clawson, of the Star, has promised to come, and his name will be put in the dinner pot.

Preparations for the entertainment of the hundreds of visitors at Chadbourn are going rapidly forward and everything will be done that can be done to make it a most pleasant occasion. The railroad people have done themselves proud in providing the most excellent train service possible and everyone in the country who wishes to attend will be able to do so, and that without leaving home at such an early hour and will be able to return home early in the evening. In addition to the regular trains there will be an extra, which will leave Newberlin about 8 o'clock (the schedule) and will appear elsewhere) at Chadbourn shortly after 9 o'clock. Another will leave Tabor about the same time, which, in addition to the regular trains from Fair Bluff and Boardman will place everybody on the grounds in good time. Leaving, trains will leave Chadbourn, not only going to Fair Bluff and Boardman at the regular time, but extra trains at the same time for Tabor and Newberlin.

The programme for the day will be as follows: 9:45—Address of Welcome—O. Powers, Mayor. 10—Response—T. E. Brown, Agent Farm Demonstration Work. 11:15—Introduction—D. F. Strode, County President Farmers' Union. 11:30—Address—H. Q. Alexander, State President Farmers' Union. Lunch. 1:00—Parade. 2:00—Address to school children—Hon. J. A. Brown. 2:29—Introduction—F. T. Wooten, County Superintendent. 2:30—Educational Address—Prof. N. W. Walker, Chapel Hill, professor of Department of Education and Inspector of High Schools. 4:00—Announcement of prize winners. There will be no public dinner. Everyone will provide their own dinner unless they have friends who will provide for them. This holds for Columbus county. Those visiting from adjoining counties will be provided for.

DELAWARE LEADS. All the Battleships at Battle Practice Held September. Washington, Nov. 2.—The American dreadnought Delaware, of the Atlantic fleet, leads the other battleships in efficiency at battle practice, held off the Chesapeake capes during last September, with a score of 52.551. The records of the other battleships in the order of their scores are: New Hampshire, 48.249; South Carolina, 45.191; Washington, 36.949; Vermont, 36.300; Louisiana, 30.939; Kansas, 29.664; Michigan, 30.736; Connecticut, 24.810; Mississippi, 24.725; Minnesota, 22.393; Virginia, 17.534; Missouri, 19.357; Nebraska, 17.134; North Carolina, 11.280; Maine, 11.091; Ohio, 8.790; and Idaho, 8.223.

ROSE HILL AFFAIRS.

Live Items of Duplin's Progress—Circus at Wallace. (Special Star Correspondence.) Rose Hill, N. C., Nov. 2.—This section turned out to the Jones Bros. Show at Wallace Monday and, of course, took in the whole thing. The streets of Wallace were lined with the people all day, with the colored folks largely in the majority.

Mr. E. McN. Carr, of this place, offers 400 acres of fine land for sale in and around Rose Hill. This land is fertile and will produce any kind of crops known to this section. On a county of soil the lands in this territory, known as the trucking belt, will continue to increase in value. The tobacco warehouse at Wallace, under the management of Messrs. John H. Carter and A. B. Bains, has done a large business this season. Their great prize sale took place on Tuesday when the farmers from all the surrounding country were there. Among those to receive prizes for fine grades of the week and for largest amounts sold that day were: Thigpen, Newkirk, Blackburn, Edwards, Jackson, Hunter, Benton and several others. There were between 30,000 and 40,000 pounds sold. The farmers went away rejoicing and singing the praises of the Wallace warehouse. On account of the low price of cotton many farmers in this section are going to cut it out next year while the season will reduce acreage. The terrible unrest now existing throughout the country and the failure of President Taft to offer any relief to the farmers in the last session of Congress, has brought on a situation that is deplorable even to the farmers and as seen now in regard to the right step to be taken and so far as a money crop is concerned, they will no doubt grow a greater variety of crops in the future. This is the lesson they have got to learn. Tobacco has paid well and in this county that crop has tided over a great many farmers in their hour of distress. They will venture back to the old methods and more hog and hominy and other home supplies so with or without cotton and abbreviated clothes, the farmers are going to live.

Good roads from Wallace and Rose Hill reaching east to the Chinquippin and Hallsville sections of Duplin will give those splendid farmers an easier way of transportation and these roads will be built soon. Traveling men tell us that the two extra passenger trains on this section of the Atlantic Coast Line are a great convenience. The public generally appreciate the splendid schedules and accommodations of the railroad company.

REV. F. WEISS DEAD.

Lumberton Pastor Passed Away Yesterday Evening—The Funeral. (Special Star Correspondence.) Lumberton, N. C., Nov. 2.—The Rev. F. Weiss, pastor of the Gospel Tabernacle Church of this place, died this evening at 6:10 o'clock after an illness of nearly three weeks. Mr. Weiss was about 50 years of age and one of the most devoted Christians that has ever lived in this section. He was loved by all who knew him, and his death will be deplored by all who knew him. He is survived by his wife and one daughter and one son. The funeral will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church of which he was pastor. It is not known tonight where the interment will be made, but it is expected that the remains will be carried to Philadelphia, his native home, where his aged mother resides. A brother and sister arrived from that city Tuesday and were with him when the end came.

HOOKWORM IN PENDER.

Campaign Being Waged With Dispensaries at Currie, N. C. (Special Star Correspondence.) Currie, N. C., Nov. 2.—The hookworm dispensary in charge of Dr. C. L. Pridden and wife which is located at this place for the week has been crowded with applicants for examination and treatment. Over 300 were examined during the first two days, and 60 per cent. of this number were found to be infected. Our local physician, Dr. G. F. Lucas, one of the pioneers of this work in Pender county, has treated a number of cases of hookworm disease and some of his patients have responded so wonderfully that people from all sections as well as other counties are coming here for treatment. Over 1,800 people have come to the Pender county dispensary for treatment during the past 12 days.

Harrisonburg, Va., Nov. 2.—This section experienced its first taste of Winter today. The air was crisp and sharp and the sun shone with Winter brightness upon fields of mountains covered with snow.

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ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

Contracts Signed, Sealed and Delivered Yesterday—New Charters Issued—Steel Engraving of Earl of Wilmington.

(Special Star Correspondence.) Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 2.—Contracts were all signed and sealed today for the erection of the new fireproof State building, bids for which were opened last night by the State Building Commission, Hon. Ashley Horne, chairman, and Wm. E. Springer, Wilmington, secretary.

Chairman Horne remained in the city today to close up the contracts which are with the John T. Wilson Co., Richmond. The bid put in by the Wilson Co., was \$179,000, and the commission made a number of additions to the specifications that brought it up to \$188,000. This includes a completed building to be delivered to the commission January 1st, 1913. This is just nine days before the next Legislature convenes. The building will be four stories with Indiana limestone exterior and brick reinforced. Also the floors will be of reinforced concrete with tile finish, except the Supreme Court room and offices which will have a hard wood finish to keep the feet of officials and clerks off the cold concrete work. The doors and door facings and window facings will be of sheet steel treated to fine wood finish, thus making the building just as fire-proof as it is possible to make one. The site—the square fronting Morgan street and Capitol Square, between Fayetteville and Salisbury streets—is under forfeit contract to be cleared off by November 15th and Mr. Wilson says he will be ready to get right to work on the excavations and construction work. The building will have a complete basement finished throughout.

There is much gratification here at the announcement that the Southern Railway will put on a new train between Asheville and Salisbury at 12:25 A. M., and returning, leave Salisbury at 4 A. M., and reach Asheville at 10 A. M. Connections will be made with trains Nos. 30 and 31. A. B. Andrews, Jr., has just secured some rare old steel engravings of historic value, notably one each of Sir Walter Raleigh and Lady Raleigh, the latter showing Lady Raleigh at the age of 35. Another is of Spencer Compton, Earl of Wilmington, for whom the city of Wilmington was named by the Colonial Government. Compton was speaker of the House of Commons nearly 200 years ago.

The Hickory Manufacturing Co., of Hickory, received a charter today with \$150,000 capital authorized and \$27,800 subscribed by Josephine Bailey, New York; J. D. Elliott, Hickory, and others for making furniture of all kinds. Also vehicles. There is another charter for the W. C. Lindsay Co., Durham, capital \$50,000 by W. C. Lindsay and others for insurance and real estate business. The Hitchcock-Trotter Co., Winston-Salem, amends its charter by changing the par value of stock shares to \$25 from \$100 and providing for the issuance of new stock, but retaining \$75,000 as maximum.

Counsel for Dr. J. J. L. McCullers have reinstated their suit against the Wake county commissioners to test the power of the State Board of Health to intervene and appoint a county physician when, through disagreement, the county commissioners and county board of health fail to fill the office. McCullers was appointed by Secretary Rankin of the State board over the protest of the county commissioners who refuse to recognize him or allow any pay, although the State Board of Health, in appointing McCullers, specified fees he was to receive for service. The original case was thrown out of court yesterday because of defect in institution, the commissioners being sued individually instead of as a board. A test case to the Supreme Court is desired to settle the question as it applies to any county in the State.

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