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## EDITORS AT EXPOSITION

### NATIONAL ASSOCIATION IS WELL ATTENDED

Exposition Open to the Quill-Drivers—H. B. Varner for President of National Association—A Big Affair.

It might be of interest to the readers of the TIMES to know that representative newspaper men and editors of this great Nation are assembled this week at the Jamestown Exposition. The greater portion of them are quartered at the "Inside Inn," which is prepared to accommodate several thousand people. Quite a number of the editors are accompanied by their wives and some with their daughters.

The Exposition managers have thrown the whole thing "wide open" to the quill-drivers and the most of them are "taking it in." Last Monday was "Georgia Day" and President Roosevelt was here and made two speeches—one to the Georgians and their friends, and one to the editors. Of course he gave some "good advice."

Well, the exposition is a great big affair, but everything will not be completed until about July 20th, and judging from the "wintry" weather here today (Wednesday, June 11th) about the best time for our people to visit the Exposition will be some time in August. By that time, too, everything will be in good shape. And when you come be sure to drink Chase City or some other good mineral water, as the water here is very "up-setting." This is not written specially as an advertisement for the Chase City waters, (they are greatly in evidence, however), but as a precaution to the "down-homers" as the Virginians are pleased to call we folks from North Carolina.

At this writing the North Carolina editors are making strenuous efforts to elect H. B. Varner, of the Lexington Dispatch, as President of the National Association. They are hopeful, but not absolutely certain. The election takes place Friday.

J.-A. T.

P. S.—When you come to the Exposition bring as little baggage as possible, as we have heard more people complaining along this line than any other, and trunks, etc., are lost nearly every day.

### Marriages.

The following is a list of marriage licenses issued by our clever Register of Deeds during the month of May:

WHITE—J. E. Bartholomew and Jennie Medlin, Vernon F. Cone and Bebbie R. Moore, Walter Evans and Maggie Woodard, J. W. Harper and Guarica Poythress, Rufus Perry and Lucy Bet Solomon, J. H. Tucker, and Estelle Pinnell.

COLORED—Ed. W. Alston and Mary C. Jones, Junius Jones and Liza Horton, Champ Perry and Betsy Summerville, General Williams and Winnie Perry, William Williams and Alice Davis.

### Death of Mr. J. W. Williams.

Mr. J. Wesley Williams died at his residence on Main street, last Sunday evening at 8:45 o'clock of heart trouble. He had long been a sufferer from this disease and had been gradually failing for some time past. Death came suddenly as he had swallowed a dose of medicine, his head fell backward on the pillows and he was dead without a struggle. The deceased was 72 years old and was a consistent member of the Baptist church. Besides his widow there survive him, Mr. Chas. F. Williams, of Jacksonville, Fla., Miss Sallie T. Williams and Mrs. A. H. Fleming, of Louisburg, and Mrs. L. Minnie Williams, of Baltimore, Md. The funeral services took place from

the residence on last Tuesday morning.

The following were the pall bearers: Messrs. G. H. Cooper, S. T. Wilder, K. P. Hill, W. H. Waddell, P. A. Reavis, Ivey Allen.

### Winstead-Jones.

The editor of the TIMES acknowledge receipt of the following invitation:

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Jones request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Annie Connally to Mr. Marcus Cotman Winstead Wednesday morning, June twenty sixth nineteen hundred and seven at nine o'clock, First Baptist Church, Milton, North Carolina.

### Mrs. Cora Yarborough Dead.

Mrs. Cora Yarborough died in Raleigh yesterday about noon. The remains will reach here to-day (Friday) on the 4:15 p. m. train and the funeral services will be held from the Episcopal church at 4:30 this afternoon. Her health had been very bad for quite a long time past and death was not unexpected. She was the widow of John B. Yarborough, deceased brother of Col. W. H. Yarborough and a sister of Mrs. R. F. Yarborough. Her whole life was spent in Louisburg up to about one year ago when she was taken to Raleigh for treatment.

### Ball Games.

An interesting ball game between Franklin and Louisburg was pulled off last Saturday afternoon, in which the visitors "walloped" the home boys to the tune of 8 to 6. The expected just happened that all, as our boys lack practice. To old rooters, it is a source of painful regret to note the absence of that fervid enthusiasm for the greatest of games that once marked this town. Then the stores closed and all business suspended while the boys went forth to tick all comers, but under the new regime the very suggestion would brand the author a lunatic. The chase after dollars is more absorbing than the patriotic duty of fostering good ball.

### Jurors.

We give below a list of jurors drawn at the last meeting of the County Commissioners for the August term of Franklin Superior Court:

O. D. Burnette, W. E. Uzzell, H. P. Speed, P. W. Gupton, H. M. Green, J. H. Mitchell, E. J. Rudd, W. A. Person, R. C. Hunt, D. H. Dickey, Henry Beddingfield, A. H. Beddingfield, T. H. Moseley, Willis Gibbs, L. C. Mitchiner, W. H. Hudson, W. E. Gay, W. D. Edwards, A. C. Carter, G. D. West, Le Roy Jackson, G. R. Strickland, L. D. Faulkner, J. B. King, G. D. Aycock, W. D. Foster, E. A. Harper, J. S. Blackley, James Gay, B. J. Lancaster, J. W. Sutt, George Terrell (col), C. L. Thomson, S. T. Gupton, A. H. Sandling, J. V. Young.

### St. John's Day Celebration at the Oxford Orphan Asylum.

In the great oak grove at the Oxford Orphan Asylum, on Saturday, June 22nd, 1907, the annual celebration of Saint John's Day will be held by the Masons of the State.

A special communication of the Grand Lodge of Masons of North Carolina will be called.

The Oxford Orphan Asylum Association, composed of former girls and boys of the institution, has planned to hold its second meeting.

Grand Master Francis D. Winston has appointed Past Grand Master, F. H. Busbee, of Raleigh, Orator for the occasion.

The children of the Oxford Orphan Asylum will assist in carrying out the interesting program of the day.

A hearty invitation is extended to the good people of the state to be

present.

A large attendance is expected. Many bring baskets and enjoy an old-fashioned picnic dinner in the grove.

Barbecue dinner, lunches and refreshments will be for sale on the grounds.

The Seaboard R'y will, in all probability, operate excursion trains from Raleigh, Durham and Winston to Oxford.

Other roads will likely give special rates.

### The Brick Yard.

Messrs Ford and Houck have opened up their brick yard for the summer. This is a big plant and these enterprising gentlemen are doing big things. The capacity of the plant is 40,000 brick per day and good brick too. It is said that Mr. Houck has invented a device in connection with making brick by machinery that will result in a great saving of labor and that an application for patent is now pending.

### Moved to Hickory.

Mr. B. H. Meadows and wife and Miss Nan High left on Wednesday morning for Hickory which they will make their future home. It is learned that Mrs. Meadows will open a boarding house for the patronage of summer visitors and others.

Mr. Meadows has not definitely decided in what business he will yet engage, but those who know him know that something will soon seal the effect of his energy and push in that thriving town. Mr. Meadows and wife and Miss High have numbers of friends here who wish them every success and all happiness in their new home.

### Tar Heels Get a Jar.

A mild sensation occurred at the meeting of the National Editorial Association Tuesday when Mrs. Martha Gielow of Mississippi President General of the Southern Educational Association addressed the editors. It is said that she attacked educational affairs in North Carolina and was so abusive in her remarks concerning the state that Governor Glenn arose and left the hall followed by many others. Her remarks related especially to Western North Carolina and the "bitterness of her slander" was such as to win the contempt of all Tar Heels present. Governor Glenn it is said will reply to the speech in his address.

### Family Reunion and Birthday Dinner.

On Sunday last the children and grand-children, of H. M. Richardson, met at his home, in Dunn's township to celebrate his fifty-ninth birthday.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bailey, of Kenly; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Richardson and Miss Cranes of Rocky Mount, Mr. B. H. Richardson, of Wakefield, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilder, of Louisburg, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Hales, of Wendell, with their families and Freddie Richardson, who holds a position with A. C. L. Railway. The family composed the remainder of the party.

The total number of Mr. Richardson's children and grand children was fifty-one.

About 1 p. m. a bounteous dinner was spread in the grove, of which all present participated. After dinner was over all were arranged neatly by Mr. W. F. Washington, photographer for a photograph of the entire family.

Mr. and Mrs. Richardson appeared very grateful to see all their children faces, and to have all their little bright faced grand-children, play nice games in the grove. Mr. Richardson says it will be June 9th 1917 before his next Reunion and if the family continues its past ratio there will be nearly one hundred at that time.

## THE MOVING PEOPLE.

### THEIR MOVEMENTS IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

#### And Those Who Come and Go, Some for Pleasure, Some for Business and a Large Number Because They Like It.

Prof. and Mrs. W. R. Mills are on a visit to Virginia.

Mrs. Walter Boyd, of Warrenton is a visitor to Louisburg.

Miss Sallie V. Harris, of Youngsville, is visiting at S. P. Boddy's.

Mrs. Jennie Harper, of Castalia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. S. Green.

N. B. Allabrook returned Saturday from a visit to his people at Scotland Neck.

Mrs. M. C. Pleasant is on a visit to her husband's relatives in Savannah, Ga.

Miss Emma Webb, of Stovall, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. Yarborough.

Mrs. R. G. Burroughs, of Henderson, is visiting her sister Mrs. J. L. Palmer.

Dr. Eugene S. Green and bride returned to their home at Monroe this week.

Mr. Joe Mason, of Emporia, father of Mrs. J. J. Person is on a visit to Louisburg.

B. G. Cooper left Tuesday for a visit to Norfolk and the Jamestown Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Seamans, of Cleveland, Ohio, are visiting Mr. Wm. Bailey's.

Messrs. W. H. Waddell and K. P. Hill left yesterday for the Jamestown Exposition.

Miss Mamie London is on a protracted visit to friends in Maryland and Pennsylvania.

M. K. Pleasant Jr. returned this week from Warrenton, where he has been attending school.

Mrs. J. H. Beddingfield and little daughter, Ruby, of Rocky Mount are visiting Mrs. Ida Hale.

Miss Nan Malone returned Tuesday from Durham where she was the guest of Mrs. J. Crawford Biggs.

Mr. W. J. Peeler, a prominent attorney of Raleigh was in Louisburg Wednesday on professional business.

Miss Grace Thomas, who has been visiting friends and relatives here the past two weeks, returned to her home in Raleigh Monday.

Mr. C. K. Cooke is in Elizabeth City where he represents the local Lodge Knights of Pythias at the Grand Lodge session in that city.

Messrs. Dwight La and Zollie Culpepper and Mr. Julius Sykes and brother were here Tuesday on business with the Clerk Superior Court.

Mrs. W. J. Nicholson, of Plymouth, and Mrs. Priester Massey, of Wake Forest, are visiting their parents here, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Person.

Master Daniel Pon Smithwick is on a visit to relatives at Biltmore near Asheville, and Misses Lucy and Helen Smithwick are visiting their aunt in Virginia.

Mrs. Minnie L. Williams, of Baltimore, Md., Miss Besse Taylor, of Warrenton, N. C., Mr. Charles F. Williams, of Jacksonville, Fla., and Mr. David H. Bland, of Oxford, N. C., attended the funeral of Mr. J. W. Williams this week.

Mr. Hugh Crichton, of Mobile, Ala., after attending the Reunion at Richmond, came over this week to pay his old home a visit. Mr. Crichton has not visited here before in 25 years and he has a number of friends who were glad to again shake his hand. He was the guest of the editor while here.

For further information apply to C. H. GATES, T. P. A., Raleigh, N. C.

### Invest at Home.

If any of our citizens have any surplus of funds to invest in enterprise would it not be an act of wisdom on their part to put it in some home enterprise? Think about it you people who contemplate investing in "outside" enterprises.

### The Week in the Mayor's Court.

Rufin Foster was up before Mayor Fariborugh on Monday for offensive conduct in W. P. Neal & Co's store Saturday night. Foster was at the bottom of it. Fine \$2.00 and costs.

The dullest week the new Mayor has yet had.

### Knights of Pythias.

This excellent fraternal order was reorganized on Friday night last.

The local lodge has had a nominal existence for several years past, but now a reorganization of live enthusiastic Pythians has been effected.

Applications of new members are being received and a visit of the Grand Chancellor is expected in a short time.

Brand new regalia has been received and meetings will be held regularly using temporarily the Masonic Lodge as a Castle Hall.

A meeting was held last Friday night and officers for the ensuing six months were elected.

### A Card of Thanks.

To those who have so warmly manifested their love and sympathy for us in our recent bereavement, we would offer our sincere thanks, and assurance of deepest appreciation.

Mrs. J. Wesley Williams.

### Sad Death.

Our community was saddened on Wednesday afternoon, June 6, about 2 o'clock, when the spirit of Miss Erysse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Aycock, winged its flight to the spirit world. She was confined to her room less than two weeks of that dreaded disease—typhoid fever.

At the age of seventeen she made profession of faith in Christ and attended with Liberty Christian church.

After the funeral services, which were conducted at Liberty church by Rev. Dr. Hudson, a former pastor assisted by Rev. C. E. Newman. In snow white casket beneath flowers of love and amid hearts that were but souls that hoped, they laid to rest the last that was earthly of Erysse Aycock.

She leaves to mourn her departure a father, mother, one sister, eight brothers and a host of friends. May God's comforting spirit solace the hearts of the bereaved and smoothen this affliction to their eternal good.

We cannot understand, now, why this happy life of 21 years should be taken, but we shall know someday.

The pall bearers were young ladies all dressed in pure white. These were Miss Cassie Eaves, Carrie Wynn, Lula Pierce, Katie Duke, Beulah Eaves and Lillie Gordon.

KARL Epsom, N. C.

### Excursions To Oxford St John's Day June 22nd.

The Seaboard will operate special train Raleigh, Durham and intermediate points to Oxford Saturday June 22nd. Rate from Raleigh \$1.00, Durham \$1.00, Louisburg \$1.00, train to leave Raleigh at 8:15 a. m., Durham 8:00 a. m., and Louisburg 8:45 a. m. Returning train to leave Oxford at 5:00 p. m.

This is an annual excursion operated over the Seaboard to Oxford account St John's Day and Masonic Celebration.

For further information apply to C. H. GATES, T. P. A., Raleigh, N. C.

The Bodie-Perry Drug Company Jamestown Contest closes Saturday night June 14th.

### Entertained.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Green, of Monroe, have been spending part of their honeymoon at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Green. Mrs. Green (nee Gadson) is by her beauty tact and culture grace of refinement, already ingratiated herself into the affections of many of our people who have been so fortunate as to make her acquaintance.

Dr. Green was warmly congratulated not only upon winning such a charming bride but upon his return to his new home. He deserves them both as he is