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## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

—Come to the road congress.

—Rev. Dr. John R. Brooks, of Salisbury, is in the city.

—Miss Ethel Armfield, of Mt. Airy, is visiting in the city.

—Prof. D. M. Weatherly, of Ramseur, was here Monday.

—Miss Ruby Glascock has returned from a visit to Charlotte.

—Mr. A. B. Horney, of High Point, is in the city on business.

—Senator Pritchard was here Friday night on his way to Washington.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Smith left at noon today on a trip to Washington city.

—Mr. John R. Schenck, of Charlotte, is spending a few days here with his parents.

—Rev. Dr. E. W. Smith is at Chapel Hill this week assisting in a revival meeting.

—Mr. W. B. Stewart, of the post-office force, has been indisposed for a few days.

—Dr. Charles D. McIver will go to Concord Friday to speak at an educational rally.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Holton have returned from a pleasant outing at Virginia Beach.

—Capt. B. J. Fisher has gone to Washington city to spend some time with his family.

—Mr. R. H. Brooks, of the Odell Hardware Company, is recuperating at Mt. Vernon Springs.

—Mr. W. M. Jordan, proprietor of the Carrolton Hotel, Raleigh, came up Saturday morning on a short visit.

—Mrs. W. H. Branson and children returned the latter part of last week from a visit to relatives at Concord.

—A representative of a Cuban land and investment company has been in the city several days in the interest of his company.

—Dr. Charles D. McIver will deliver the address at the annual Masonic picnic, which will be held at Mocksville on Thursday, August 10th.

—With their accustomed urbanity, J. W. Scott & Co. invite you to make their store headquarters while attending the gala week exercises.

—Mr. J. B. Britt and daughter, Miss Minnie, of Miami, Fla., are visiting the family of Mr. B. N. Smith. Mr. Britt is a former resident of this county.

—Rev. E. L. Bain, of the Asheville Female College, arrived in the city this morning and went out to Holt's Chapel to attend the district conference.

—Howard Gardner will have a booth at the Banner Warehouse next week, and he invites you to call and get some of the things that will be given away there.

—Mr. W. S. Weatherspoon and family have gone to Sanford on a visit to relatives. They will spend a few days at Carolina Beach before returning home.

—The building on the corner of South Elm and Depot streets, formerly occupied by R. F. Gorrell's bar, is being remodeled. It will be occupied by a grocery firm.

—Mr. A. R. Perkins, of New York, who formerly held a position with the Cone Export and Commission Company at this place, is spending a few days in the city.

—Mr. John W. Crawford returned Monday night from a visit to his father, who resides near Graham. His father is quite aged and has been in feeble health for some time.

—The lawn party at Guilford College Friday night was attended by a large crowd and all present enjoyed the occasion. Quite a number of young people went out from this place.

—We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Elon College, to be found in this issue. This institution is doing a good work and richly deserves the support it receives.

—A cordial invitation to the festivities of gala week will be found in the advertising space of the Wakefield Hardware Co. You are invited to make their store headquarters while in the city.

—The contract has been given for a fine new pipe organ for the First Presbyterian church. The cost will be something over \$3,500 and it is hoped to have the instrument in place within ninety days.

—The Hook and Ladder Company gave a lawn party on the court house square last Thursday night. It was well attended and was a success financially, about \$30 being realized over and above expenses.

—When loading up your wallet to come to Greensboro next week drop in an extra dollar for the printer. Our office will be open every day, and we have sufficient subscription receipts to meet all demands.

—Lee Nelson and Cicero Coble, colored, are in jail charged with robbing Troxler Brothers' safe of something over \$40 in cash. The money was found in their possession, after which they admitted their guilt.

—Capt. J. D. McNeill, of Fayetteville, president of the North Carolina State Firemen's Association, was in the city Sunday afternoon and Monday morning. He is jubilant over the prospects of next week's tournament.

—Mr. N. C. Brandon, who is well known in this city, where he was employed in the drug business for several years, was married last Thursday evening to Miss Elizabeth Campbell, of Newton, at which place he now resides.

—G. S. Gaudin & Co., the harness people, invite you to call at their store while in the city next week. They will take pleasure in showing goods and quoting prices. Their stock of harness, saddles, etc., is large and complete.

—The Wholesale Grocers' Association of North Carolina will be in session here next Wednesday and Thursday. All the leading wholesale grocers of the state are members of the association and a full attendance is expected.

—Judge W. P. Bynum, Jr., went to Raleigh Friday to appear before Judge Purnell in regard to the exceptions in the Brees-Dickerson bank cases, from Asheville. Judge Bynum represents the government as a special attorney.

—C. C. Townsend has a new ad. in this issue. He is on the market with a big stock of vehicles, wheat drills, chilled plows and other farm machinery. He also carries a nice line of harness and will be glad to receive a call from you.

—Gen. Wade Hampton, the noble "Old Roman" of South Carolina, spent several hours in the city Saturday afternoon and evening. He was on his way to Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs, Va., where he will spend some time.

—Mr. H. C. Berger is arranging for a bicycle parade in connection with the general parade next Wednesday morning. Thirty dollars will be given away in premiums and every bicycle rider who wishes to join the parade is requested to notify Mr. Berger.

—Our correspondents will confer a favor by sending in their communications a little earlier than usual next week. Our office force hopes to share in a portion of the gala week festivities and it will be necessary to issue the paper a little earlier than usual.

—The Greensboro District Conference convened at Holt's Chapel this morning at 9 o'clock. The conference was opened with a missionary institute, followed by a sermon at 11 o'clock by Rev. J. R. Scroggs. We hope to have a report of the conference in our next issue.

—In calling attention to the change in W. O. Stratford's advertisement this week we will say that he speaks in no uncertain terms concerning his drills. His proposition to take corn, wheat, oats, rye or peas will suit many farmers. He sells his drills to sow these grains and then takes them in payment.

—The First Regiment Band, which will furnish the music for our gala week, has re-enlisted in the service of the United States and will join the Twenty-ninth Infantry, now being recruited at Atlanta, Ga. The band will join its regiment soon after gala week and will probably be sent to the Philippines.

—Capt. Mack Jones, a well known conductor on the main line of the Southern, was struck by a stone thrown through the car window Monday morning. The train was running between Danville and Reidsville when the stone was thrown, striking the conductor with considerable force on the side of his neck.

—Clary & Stack have decided to go out of business, and with this end in view Mr. W. J. Ridge has been appointed receiver to wind up the firm's affairs. It is not an assignment, as the firm is able to meet all obligations. The stock is now being closed out by the receiver at and below cost. See his ad. in this issue.

—Scrap Iron Wanted. We want all the old scrap iron castings in Guilford county and will pay more for same now than ever before.

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—Rev. P. D. Risinger, of Lexington, who is pastor of the Lutheran congregation at this place, was married last Wednesday evening to Miss Ida May Brown, of Monroe. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Risinger went to Leesburg, S. C., on a visit to the groom's parents. They have our best wishes for a long and happy life.

—The beautiful Memorial Hall, at Guilford College, came near being destroyed by fire Friday night. The chemical laboratory is situated in this building and the fire was caused by the explosion of a jar of chemicals. Fortunately the blaze was discovered in time to be extinguished before any considerable damage had been done.

—Mr. L. W. Fournier, of Washington, D. C., has been in the city several days representing Spofford's New Cabinet Cyclopaedia, a most valuable reference work just from the press. It has the endorsement of the highest authorities and is sold at a reasonable price. Mr. Fournier has been successful in securing quite a number of orders here.

—The Harry-Belk Bros. Co. will put on some special bargains during gala week, and if you fail to visit their store you will miss a good chance to buy goods at astonishingly low prices. Their immense stock has been increased to meet the demands of this special occasion and you will be given a cordial welcome at their establishment.

—Miss Emma Fulford died Monday at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Bogart, with whom she had made her home for several years. She was a native of Newbern and had been an invalid since early in life. She was a sincere christian and a devout member of the Episcopal church. The remains were taken to Newbern yesterday for interment.

—Dr. George T. Winston, the newly elected president of the Agricultural and Mechanical College at Raleigh, spent Monday night in the city. He left yesterday morning for Raleigh to assume the duties of his new position. His five years residence in Texas has not lessened his love for the Old North state, and he returns filled with vigor and enthusiasm.

—Judge Spencer B. Adams, the newly elected secretary and treasurer of the North Carolina Railroad Company, formally assumed the duties of his office Saturday. While the office will remain in Burlington, Judge Adams will not remove his family from this city. He will keep a clerk at Burlington who will look after the routine work of the office.

—Capt. B. J. Fisher has brought suit against the Greensboro Water Company for an alleged failure to furnish sufficient water pressure when his hotel, the Benbow House, was recently destroyed by fire. The case is returnable at the December term of court. A pretty point of law is involved and the case will be hard fought. Capt. Fisher will sue to recover \$40,600.

—Work on the carpet factory is progressing nicely. It is stated by the general manager that the equipment will be greater than was at first anticipated. About one hundred looms will be installed, along with steam power, electric lighting and dyeing plants. As has been before stated, this enterprise will be operated by the Van Deventer Carpet Company, of New Jersey.

—C. M. Vanstery & Co. have inaugurated a special cash sale to clear their stock of a number of suits in order to make room for new goods. These suits are new goods and in the latest styles. The sizes run from 34 to 42, and if you can wear anything within these numbers it will pay you to examine these goods. While they last they will be sold at one-half price for cash. Read the advertisement in this issue.

—We had a pleasant call yesterday afternoon from Prof. M. H. Holt, of Oak Ridge Institute. He tells us that the outlook for the next session of the Institute is very bright. We have received one of the catalogues of this school, and as usual, it is filled with valuable information in regard to educational matters in general and Oak Ridge Institute in particular. The catalogue is one of the handsomest we have seen from any institution.

—The Blue Ridge Copper Company was organized here a few days ago with an authorized capital stock of \$1,000,000. The company is organized for the purpose of doing a general mining, milling and smelting business. Messrs. J. F. Jordan, D. J. Sinclair, F. A. Macdonald, Austin Moody and R. R. King are the incorporators. It is reported that these gentlemen will be aided in the operation of the concern by a number of outside capitalists.

—In addition to his display of nursery stock, Mr. John A. Young will have on exhibition during gala week representatives of his famous herds of Poland China and Mammoth Black hogs. They will be in the lot in the rear of the Banner Warehouse, and those interested in fine stock are invited to call and inspect them. Mr. Young will have a temporary office in the rear end of Will H. Matthews & Co.'s clothing store, where any one wishing to see him may call.

—Sheriff Gilmer yesterday received a pardon from Governor Russell for Martin Kelly, who has served out about one-half of a three year's sentence on the county roads for larceny. He was convicted of robbing E. G. West's saloon. This is the second time within the past few weeks that Governor Russell has exercised executive clemency with Guilford criminals, the former case being Sam Lucas, whose sentence of death was changed to a life term in the penitentiary.

—Mr. E. L. Gilmer, who was first lieutenant in the Greensboro company on the late Second North Carolina regiment, received a telegram from Senator Pritchard Saturday stating that he had been appointed captain of volunteers in one of the regiments now being formed for service in the Philippines. The appointment was confirmed by the War Department Monday.

—Capt. Gilmer does not yet know when he will enter the service, but he is expecting to be called to the front in a few days. He is not without military training and experience and will make a good officer.

—A meeting of those public spirited men who have voluntarily subscribed money toward building macadamized roads in Guilford County, was held in the office of Wharton & McAlister Monday night. The subject was discussed in its different phases, and it was decided to organize a Good Roads Society. The organization will be effected after the meeting in the court house next Tuesday afternoon, and it is hoped that every person in the county who is interested in the matter will join and assist in the good work. The money subscribed to this purpose now amounts to \$6,800.

—Mr. G. H. Royster tells us that it is imperative that his stock of goods be closed out within the next few days. With this end in view he is offering his entire stock of dry goods, clothing, shoes, hats, etc., at astonishingly low prices. It is his loss and your gain, and you should not fail to avail yourself of this opportunity to purchase goods at and below first cost. He is located in the McAdeco building, on the corner of East Market and South Davie streets, and will be glad to receive a call from you. He will have a new ad. next week telling of the many rare bargains to be found at his store.

**Court Adjourns.**

The special term of Guilford Superior court adjourned Saturday morning, leaving the civil docket in better shape than it has been for years. Judge Timberlake is a hard worker and knows how to dispatch business. In addition to this he has the knack of making things as agreeable as possible with lawyers, jurors and others in the court room. On motion of Col. John A. Barringer, just before adjournment, the members of the bar, by a rising vote, gave an expression of their appreciation of Judge Timberlake's courtesy, kindness and ability in transacting the business of the court.

In our last issue we gave a report of the cases disposed of up to the time of going to press. Only two cases were disposed of afterward—Balden vs. Southern Railway Company, and J. C. Short vs. John Gill, receiver of the C. F. & Y. V. Railway Company. In the first case a verdict was returned in favor of the defendant company. The plaintiff was suing for damages to the amount of \$2,000. Mr. Short sued for damages to the amount of \$10,000 for injuries received in August, 1896, while in the employment of the C. F. & Y. V. He was represented by Bynum, Bynum & Taylor, Mr. Taylor conducting the case in an able manner. George M. Rose, of Fayetteville, and Col. James T. Morehead appeared for the defendant. The jury returned a verdict Friday evening, allowing the plaintiff \$6,500. Notice of appeal to the Supreme court was given by the attorneys for the defendant.

Memorial exercises in honor of the late D. Schenck, Jr., were held in the court room Friday morning. Solicitor Brooks presented suitable resolutions of respect in a touching and eloquent speech, depicting in beautiful words the great worth and ability of the deceased. The resolutions and proceedings were ordered spread on the minutes of the court.

## GALA WEEK PROGRAM.

Everything in Readiness to Welcome the Throng That Will Visit the Gate City.

Everything is in readiness for the gala week and state firemen's tournament, to be held in this city next week, and the indications are that the occasion will be a success in every particular. The city will be filled with visitors during the entire four days and a pleasant time is assured for all. For the benefit of our readers we give below the program of each day's exercises:

**TUESDAY.**

—The North Carolina State Firemen's Association will meet in the K. of P. hall, on South Elm street, at 10 o'clock, a. m. The meeting will be opened with prayer by Rev. Charles E. Hodgkin, of Westminster Presbyterian church. Mayor Z. V. Taylor will deliver the address of welcome, after which the regular business of the association will be gone into.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon a good roads congress will be held in the court house, and it is hoped that every person in the county interested in the subject will be present. The principal address will be delivered by Prof. J. A. Holmes, state geologist.

President J. Van Lindley has called the State Horticultural Society to meet in the court house at 8 o'clock in the evening. All persons interested in the cultivation of fruit, plants, etc., are invited to attend and bring samples of fruit for exhibition. Dr. E. Dwight Sanderson, assistant entomologist of the United States Department of Agriculture, and others will deliver addresses.

**WEDNESDAY.**

The street parade will form on Summit Avenue at 9 o'clock in the morning and will move over the principal streets of the city. The line of march will be composed of two bands, the marshals (mounted on horseback), a ladies' cavalry company, the various fire companies that will take part in the tournament, numerous floats, carriages, etc.

The quick-steaming contest will come off at 1 o'clock p. m. Four prizes, aggregating \$115, will be contested for.

The horse races at 3 o'clock in the afternoon will be the remaining feature of the day's attractions. The following purses are offered: Trotting and pacing, 3:00 class, \$100; trotting and pacing, 2:30 class, \$150; "free-for-all" trotting and pacing, \$300.

**THURSDAY.**

9 o'clock a. m.—Hand reel race. Two prizes—\$125 and \$75.

11 a. m.—Grab reel race. Two prizes—\$100 and \$60.

2 p. m.—Horse hook and ladder race. Two prizes—\$125 and \$75.

3 p. m.—Junior hand reel race. Two prizes—\$25 and \$10.

4:30 p. m.—Hand hook and ladder race. Two prizes.

**FRIDAY.**

9 o'clock a. m.—Championship reel race. This will be the most exciting contest of the tournament. The prize is the championship belt.

11 a. m.—Individual foot race. Two prizes—a suit of clothes donated by Will H. Matthews & Co. for the first, and \$5 for the second.

2 p. m.—Horse hose wagon race. Two prizes—\$125 and \$75.

4 p. m.—Special races.

The industrial exhibits and trades display will be found at the Banner Warehouse each day. The warehouse has been beautifully decorated for the occasion, and the exhibits and displays will be very creditable. The First Regiment Band will give continuous concerts each day.

The Odd Fellows' hall, on West Market street, will be utilized for the fine art exhibit. A competent committee has the matter in charge and visitors may expect to see much of interest.

—It is specially requested that every farmer in Guilford county who is interested in the improvement of our public roads will attend the good roads meeting, which will be held in the court house next Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Helpful and interesting topics will be discussed by intelligent men who have had practical experience in road-building, and it is hoped that every tax-payer in the county will be present and take a part in the meeting. Those who were compelled to travel over the miserable highways last winter feel most forcibly the need of an improvement in the system of working and maintaining our public roads, and it is for the purpose of making a start in this direction that the meeting is to be held. Come!

