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## Marshals In All Ready For the Fair

AT THE AGRICULTURAL FAIR, BIG COUNTRY DANCE AND A BIG FIDDLERS CONVENTION, JUST FEW OF THE ATTRACTIONS. COME TO THE FAIR.

One of the most interesting features of the Agricultural Fair will be Chief Marshal W. A. Worth and his assistants. Mr. Worth will have possibly a hundred and he has arranged a most interesting program for the occasion.

On the second day of the fair the Chief and his assistants will hold a riding tournament. This will be one of the most inspiring sights more than a hundred in regalia on prancing steeds in gay trappings. The sight will be worth a trip to the fair to see.

On the evening following there will be a big dance in the Elks' Hall, given by Chief Worth and his assistants. The most unique thing about the dance will be a regular old fashioned country dance. This will give the visitors to the fair an opportunity to trip the 'light fantastic toe' as in days of yore. This will be an interesting feature to the young people and older ones too.

But to cap the climax and give the people who visit the fair the most interesting entertainment of it all, Chief Worth is arranging for a Fiddlers Convention. Just think of that! A fiddlers' convention. Fiddlers from all over the district, from Killbuck to the North End of Gates, to come here and participate in a fiddling contest. Mind you, plain old fashion fiddling on fiddles, not on violins and not by violinists. Note what we say, Fiddlers. This convention will be largely patronized and some of the best music ever shook from the strings of a fiddle by the rosined bow will be produced. Come to the fair. Worth and his part in the program will be a whole show within itself. Do not miss, if you do, you will regret it.

### IMPROVING FROM INJURIES

The many friends of the family will be delighted to learn that the condition of Olive, the little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. T. Aydlett has greatly improved during the past several days and that the prospects for her complete recovery are exceedingly bright.

The little girl fell on the sharp pickets of an iron fence at her home on Main street last Friday night and severely injured herself. An operation was necessary and Drs. O. McMullan, Lumsden and C. B. Williams performed the operation. The operation was very successful.

#### ATTENDED EXERCISES.

Messrs. J. B. Flora, A. L. Aydlett, D. B. Bradford, W. H. Weatherly, M. Westcott, Frank Grice, C. W. Grice and W. C. Glover, spent Tuesday in Norfolk, where they attended the exercises instituting a Kediv Temple of the Mystic Shrieters.

Biggest display of Fall and Winter Goods on exhibition at Robert J. Mitchell's

Be sure to attend the Fall Opening at the Bee Hive next Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday.

### ELECTS NEW HEAD FOR SCHOOL BOARD

JUNIORS WILL RAISE FLAG OVER A. H. S. BUILDING. WILL HAVE STAR COURSE THIS WINTER. TEACHER RESIGNS.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Elizabeth City Graded Schools, Hon. E. F. Aydlett was elected president of the Board and Mr. D. B. Bradford was re-elected Secretary and Treasurer. In the election of Mr. Aydlett as president and Mr. Bradford as Secretary and Treasurer, the Board showed excellent judgement. Mr. Aydlett's ability as an executive officer will be felt in the management of the school's affairs, and his superior leadership will have much to do for greater accomplishments of the Graded School system. The position is one of responsibility as well, has honor, and it will be admirably filled by one of the city's most honored citizens.

Mr. Bradford has filed his position for a number of years and has made a most excellent officer. He will continue to fill the position with his accustomed business ability.

At this meeting the Board, upon motion, permissions were granted to the Worth Bagly Council of Jr. O. U. A. M., to place a flag over the Albemarle High School building and to present bibles to the school. The presentation will take place in the near future with appropriate exercise. Miss Mercer, one of the teachers in the Graded School resigned her position as teacher. The matter of electing another teacher to supply the vacancy was deferred until the meeting of the Board tonight.

Mr. R. W. Turner reported to the Board for his committee that a 'Star Course' has been secured for the Graded School; and that the first meeting will be given the first of November. Mr. Turner reported that 250 season tickets had been sold.

#### LEAGUE GIVES SOCIAL

The Epworth League of the City Road Methodist church will give a social at the home of Miss Camilla Jenkins, Burgess street tonight. An interesting program has been arranged. Refreshments will be served.

#### TO ALL CONCERNED.

Mr. F. L. Merritt, Land and Industrial Agent of this company, having resigned to accept a position with another company, the correspondence heretofore addressed to his office will hereafter be addressed to Col. H. C. Hudgins, General Freight and Passenger Agent, Industrial Department, Norfolk, Va.

E. T. LAMB, Genl. Manager.

When giving your order to a groceryman. Does he ever say? I haven't this or I haven't the other? If so phone 72. Scott and Twiddy. A trial order will convince you. Elizabeth City's Greatest Grocery.

Mrs. W. P. Hayman of Columbia is in the city the guest of her sister.

Cheese 1 1/4 pound Full cream, Imported for 50c. Greatest line of Imported can goods, ever carried in stock at any grocery store in Elizabeth City. Scott and Twiddy, Phone 72.

### FREE EXCURSION BRINGS CROWD

MORE THAN 200 PEOPLE FROM CURRITUCK CAME HERE ON STEAMER VIRGINIA LAST TUESDAY.

The steamer Virginia brought to this city last Tuesday about 200 passengers from points in Currituck Co., on the free excursion run under the auspices of the Retail Merchants Association of this city. These passengers spent the day here shopping and visiting the various places of interest and returned home well paid for the exertions of the day's trip.

The Merchants Association has adopted the free excursion plan to attract people to Elizabeth that they may learn of the opportunities to buy goods here. These excursions will be kept up during the fall and winter and they will be the means of many people visiting the city, who would not otherwise come here.

#### FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE EPISCOPAL CEMETERY

An interesting entertainment will be given under the supervision of Mrs. D. A. Morgan and Mrs. G. R. Little on the evening of October 15th in the auditorium of the Graded school for the benefit of the Episcopal Cemetery.

An interesting program has been arranged for the occasion and a delightful evening is assured to all who attend.

#### CIRCUS FOR ONE CENT.

Lavenstein's Department Store has a big ad in this issue offering the public an opportunity to secure a opportunity to secure a free ticket to the circus.

If you buy five dollars worth of merchandise at this popular store you get a ticket to the Circus for one cent. Read the ad.

#### Returns With Lovely Bride.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Sawyer arrived home from Maxton last Tuesday evening and will make their home in this city.

Mr. William C. Sawyer and Miss Maude Tyer of Maxton were united in marriage last Monday, October 5th. The Tar Heel joins the host of friends in extending to Mrs. Sawyer a hearty welcome to this city.

#### OPENING AT MITCHELLS

Robert J. Mitchell's announce their Fall Openings in this issue of the Tar Heel. The opening at this popular store are always big events in the lives of the shop going public and the opening this year will be on the same as scale as of former years. Our readers will do well to attend this opening and see the big display of fall and winter merchandise. Interesting program of music for this occasion.

AT THE ALBEMARLE PARK ON OCTOBER 26, 27, AND 28TH. COME TO THE FAIR. YOU WILL ENJOY IT.

As the days go by and as the time draws nearer the prospects of the Fair grow bigger and bigger. Nobody doubts that we are going to have a fair, and nobody doubts that it will be a big one too.

All things are being made ready for the fair. All things are being put in tune for the coming of the great crowd of country people who will attend the fair. Everything is just about ready too.

Now let the people of the district complete their plans and arrangements to come to the fair.

The time is getting close. Many interesting attractions will await the coming of the people on October 26, 27 and 28th and the great crowd is going to be delighted too. Come to the fair. Come. Everybody says come and let everybody come.

Opening next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday October 12, 13, and 14, at Robert J. Mitchell's.

#### PRESENTS BIBLES

Rev. E. F. Sawyer returned Tuesday from Powell's Point where he went to officiate in the ceremonies attending the presentation of bibles to the Popular Branch High School by Jr. O. U. A. M.

Mr. Sawyer reported an excellent trip.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Swain and children passed through the city Wednesday enroute to their home in Portsmouth from a visit to relatives and friends in Tyrrell County.

### FAIR GROUNDS READY FOR FAIR

Everything in Shape For October 26, 27th and 28th, When the Biggest Fair Ever Held in This District Will Gather.

The fair grounds are now in perfect order. The chain gang was secured by the management of the fair yesterday, and it did not take them long to put the finishing touches on the Park.

As far as the Park Grounds are concerned, all things are ready for the fair, and now it is up to the people of this district to gather here on October 26, 27, and 28th and participate in it. The accommodations are ample and convenient.

FOR SALE—A dwelling house large and comfortably arranged in perfect repair, near the race tracks on Park Street. Will make a nice residence with all the comforts of country life with city conveniences. Will be sold at a bargain. The reason for selling is that the owner has moved to North Dakota and has no use for it. For information, Apply to J. A. Langley, Albemarle Park. Oct 8—4t

### NEW STEAMER MARSHALS FOR COINJOCK FOR FAIR

TO RUN DAILY TRIPS. CITY OF MILFORD TO RUN TO COLUMBIA TWICE A WEEK.

Captain B. F. McHarney is expected to arrive in the city within the next two or three days with the new steamer recently purchased by the Farmers and Merchants North Carolina Line. This steamer will ply daily between this city and Coinjock in Currituck County. This company in the near future will establish a schedule of two trips a week for the steamer City of Milford from this city to Columbia, N. C.

### HIS ADDRESS A MASTER PIECE

WILL BE PUBLISHED IN THE DOCKET FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE LEGAL FRATERNITY.

Mr. E. F. Aydlett's address before a recent meeting of the North Carolina Bar Association is attracting a great deal of interest among the legal journals and the address is the recipient of much favorable comment and many flattering compliments all of which is a recognition of the superior legal talent, and learned ability of its able author.

The publishers of the Docket, a legal journal devoted to matter pertaining to the law and the solution of knotty legal questions, with a big circulation among the legal fraternity of the United States will publish largely from this address, especially that part of the address which relates to 'Capital Punishment.'

The editors of the Docket consider this contribution to legal literature, a master piece worthy of preservation and besides the editors of the Docket think that the great legal fraternity abroad ought to be given an opportunity to avail itself of the learned contribution to legal literature.

Mr. Aydlett's host of friends will be delighted to learn of the just recognition of his legal ability by members of the fraternity far from home.

#### EXCURSION FROM COLUMBIA

The extensive repairs on the steamer Guide are nearing completion. The management of the LeRoy Steamboat Company expects to send her to Columbia on the 12th inst to run an excursion from that place to this city for the circus.

She will be one of the handsomest steamers to ply in these waters when she is turned out a finished job.

The rebuilding is being done at Thomas Hayman's Boat Works.

Attractive prices at Robert J. Mitchell's during the Fall Opening, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 12, 13, and 14.

#### Very Low Excursion Rates

The Norfolk and Southern Railway will sell very low round trip excursion tickets from principal points on its line to Pittsburg, Pa., and return, account Centennial Celebration. International Christian Society. Churches of Christ in America, on October 9th, 10th, 14th, and 15th, limited to return leaving Pittsburg up to and including but not later than mid night of October 25th 1909.

For further particulars apply to Norfolk and Southern Ticket Agents, or address, H. C. Hudgins, G P A., Norfolk, Va.

BIG TOURNAMENT FOLLOWED BY THE MARSHAL'S BALL IN THE ELKS HALL. AN INTERESTING EVENT.

Chief Marshal W. A. Worth of the Agricultural Fair has appointed his assistants and we herewith publish the list.

Asst. Chiefs: J. K. Wilson, A. H. Worth Jr. Aids: Dr. S. W. Gregory, Clarence Crowson, W. T. Old, John Harney, J. C. B. Ehringhaus, Selby Harney, Walter Wood, M. B. Sawyer, G. R. Little, H. D. Walker, Gilbert James, Jerome Flora, Jr., W. P. Duff, A. C. Stokes, Chas Reid, Will Gaither, Harry Sheep, H. G. Kramer, Dr. Hathaway, Edson Carr, Sr., O. F. Gilbert, E. E. Etheridge, M. F. Green, W. H. Green, F. V. Scott, Carlton Evans, M. P. Gallop, D. W. Harris, G. J. Spence, C. E. Thompson, J. B. Ferebee, T. J. Markham, R. W. Turner, Walter Cannon, H. T. Greenleaf, Jr., Joe Greenleaf F. Jacobs, C. B. Williams, Dr. Z. Fearing, Ray Winder, W. C. Sawyer, Dr. E. S. Willey, C. P. Wales, James Hollowell, J. V. Whitenurst, Norman Whitehurst, C. H. Robinson Jr., Edwin Aydlett Jr. Weeksville: Jessie Morris, Woodville: John M. Wilson.

Perquimans County, Hertford, N. C. Will Hudson, Will Underwood, P. W. McMullen.

Currituck County, N. C. Earl Flora, Will Flora, Burwell Flora R. E. Flora, M. R. Gregory. Shawboro: Hal Shaw, Joe Bell, Joe Morgan.

Camden County. J. W. Walston, Fred Upton, C. G. Etheridge, Will Morris, J. T. Bartlett Wm. R. Pritchard.

Gates County. A. P. Godwin, Gatesville. Chowan County, Edenton. Graham White, R. C. Ray, John Wood Jr, Chas. H. Wood, J. H. McMullen Jr.

Cresswell, N. C. Harry Walker, J. L. Phelps. Plymouth, N. C.

Hampton, A. W. Disosway, Clarence Latham, Lt Walker. Bertie County, Windsor. Dr. J. L. Pritchard, Chas Lyoa, P. R. Gilliam.

Dare County, Manteo. D. M. Stringfield. Hyde County, Fairfield. Malvern Tillitt

The tournament, which will be held Wednesday afternoon October 27th. will be an event of great interest. It will be run over a course of probably two hundred yards and each rider will be supposed to down two heads and take one ring with his saber. There will be a time limit for the course. There will be two prizes. All Marshals will take part.

Don't fail to attend the Opening at the Bee Hive, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

THREE TOWNS BUILT IN 16 YEARS BY ONE MAN.

Sixteen years ago, Mr. M. N. Sawyer came to Elizabeth City, and began to build a town for the colored population, known as Lincoln Park, that now has about 800 inhabitants. In a few years after this, he began to build a white settlement, known as 'Sawyer Town' which has now some 600 or 700 inhabitants, and now he is laying out and building what he calls 'Broadway' in the northern part of the town. This promises to be the finest residential section in the town.

This property now pays more tax annually than the property sold for 16 year ago.

When Mr. M. N. Sawyer is no more there will still remain three large sections in our town, monuments to his energy and business ability.