

ANNUAL CORN SHOW

Annual Event at Wilmington This Year is Expected to Surpass Former Corn Shows.

Correspondence of The Robesonian.

The big fair known as fifth annual corn show, live stock conference and poultry exhibit for the ten southeastern counties of the State to be held at Wilmington on November 6th to 9th, inclusive, promises to be most successful and thousands of visitors from the neighboring districts are expected.

The counties which will join in the show this year are New Hanover, Brunswick, Sampson, Wayne, Columbus, Bladen, Duplin, Onslow, Pender and Robeson. Prize lists aggregating several thousands of dollars in value have been issued and these cover competitions in various displays of agricultural and farm products, fancy work, domestic science, manufacturing and industrial displays, poultry and live stock.

Friday of fair week has been selected as educational day, upon which date, the school authorities of the different counties will be requested to declare a holiday so that the pupils may have an opportunity to visit the show.

The automobile prizes to stimulate travel by Ford or auto, are very attractive and already there is keen competition among the different counties. The county having the largest number of cars in the parade the first day of the fair will be awarded \$50, the next largest \$15, the third \$10. The same sums will be offered the county having the largest number of cars registered during the four days of the fair. \$25 will be awarded the county having the largest number of people registered who travel in ways other than on train or by automobile. To the county having the largest number of registered citizens during the fair a solid silver loving cup will be presented, to be held one year.

GENERAL NEWS ITEMS

Half a dozen graduates of Randolph-Macon woman's college at Lynchburg became telegraph messengers at Richmond, Va., Thursday and started the

ALL CHILDREN LOVE "SYRUP OF FIGS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS

Give it when feverish, cross, bilious, for bad breath or sour stomach.

Look at the tongue, Mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach ache, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs", and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again. You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative"; they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs", which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

experiment of substituting women and girls for boys in such service. For some time the Postal Telegraph & Cable company at Richmond has been unable to get an adequate supply of boys to deliver its messages.

Restriction of production of materials not essential to the war is under serious consideration by President Wilson and action may be taken soon, according to a Washington dispatch.

Bluejackets will man and naval officers will command army transports hereafter. Officials at Washington believe this will insure more efficient operation of the ships, particularly in the war zone, where the strain on the crew is greatest, and so lessen the risk of destruction by submarines.

NATIONAL AID SOCIETY

Report of Various Committees at Monthly Meeting—Those Who Have Contributed.

Reported for The Robesonian.

The October meeting of the National Aid society was held at the regular place Wednesday, Oct. 17th, Mrs. E. L. Holloway, general chairman, presiding. Devotional exercises were conducted by Dr. W. B. North of the Methodist church.

The treasurer reported the collection of \$65 through the personal efforts of Mrs. R. C. Lawrence, who canvassed the business part of town in the interest of the society. A list of the contributors is given below. The National Aid gratefully acknowledges these gifts, together with others listed in this report.

The reports of the chairmen of the respective units were most satisfactory and reflect the patriotic spirit of the women of the town. Our work progresses splendidly under the efficient management of Mrs. Holloway, who is untiring in her labor for the success of the organization.

Mrs. L. T. Townsend, vice chairman of the sewing unit, reported the following work accomplished, and donations made: Cut in past month, 2 dozen pillow cases, 1 dozen bed shirts; packed and shipped a box of pyjamas and fracture pillows; ready for shipment, 4 dozen triangular bandages, 3 dozen abdominal bandages, 2 dozen four-tail bandages. This shipment is to be made through the association of the surgical dressing committee of New York with the Red Cross society. Free transportation is given to all hospital supplies sent to France.

Donations—Material for pillow cases, Mrs. H. H. Anderson; 30 yards of material for bandages, Mrs. H. Dunie; 20 dozen safety pins, Mrs. J. A. Sharpe; \$1, F. P. Gray, Jr.; loan of 2 macs, Mrs. Dennis Biggs; loan of a work table each, Mesdames A. E. White, A. Nash, E. L. Holloway, C. B. Skipper.

The report of the chairman of the First Aid class showed the work complete, examinations having been given by Dr. Martin, on Friday evening of last week. Out of a large class, many of the women were rendered ineligible for the examination through absence from town, in which time a number of lectures were missed, the absence from two lectures out of the course of ten debarring a pupil from the examination. The successful applicants were Mrs. Sandy McLeod, Misses Jennie and Marjorie Russell and Nellie Steele.

The National Aid society and the First Aid class are greatly indebted to Dr. N. A. Thompson for the splendid course of lectures, the preparation of the course by Dr. Thompson and his labors. While the class as a whole, failed to secure certificates, his patriotic service is in no wise lost. Dr. J. A. Martin has also the grateful acknowledgement of the society and class.

The chairman of the knitting unit reported 16 sets of knitted garments completed and shipped through authorities to the men on the battleship North Carolina. Mrs. Daugherty read an appreciative acknowledgement of the receipt of the goods in which the workmanship of the garments was warmly commended.

The plan originated by Mr. DuBois of the Lumberton bakery for the co-operation of the farmers with the National Aid society, was heartily endorsed and the ladies expressed themselves as earnestly hoping that the farmers will speedily come to their aid in the contribution of farm supplies for the sale which Mr. DuBois will arrange. All contributions may be left at the bakery, they will be acknowledged by the society.

Mesdames L. T. Townsend and R. E. Lewis forcefully presented the respective claims of the Womens Liberty loan committee and the food conservation campaign. The following committee was appointed to undertake the conservation campaign within the town limits: Mrs. J. D. McAllister, chairman; Mesdames Guion Lee, Ira Townsend, E. I. Poole, B. M. Davis, Vance Skipper, Misses Laura Norment, Jennie Russell, Mary G. McNeill.

The undersigned contributed the amount set opposite their respective names to the National Aid society, Lumberton branch, for the purchase of materials to make articles for the men now in the army, or at the front in France:

- Mrs. R. C. Lawrence \$5, McIntyre, Lawrence & Proctor \$5; T. L. Johnson \$5; E. J. Britt \$2; Q. T. Williams \$2; A. W. McLean \$2; Dickson McLean \$2.50; C. V. Brown \$2.50; R. D. Caldwell \$2.50; H. B. Jennings \$2; H. B. Jennings, Jr. \$5; F. P. Gray \$2; D. D. French \$1; Miss Amelia Lindeauer \$1; R. H. Crichton \$2; L. H. Caldwell \$2.50; D. W. Biggs \$1; W. P. McAllister \$1; J. D. McPhillan \$2.50; F. Caldwell \$1; Miss Josephine Brown \$1; E. Stacy \$1; W. L. Grantham \$1; White & Gough \$2; John F. French \$1; Oscar Thompson \$5; W. W. Parker \$2; H. M. McAllister \$2.

President Endorses Woman Suffrage as an Issue for States.

President Wilson Thursday gave full endorsement of woman suffrage as an immediate issue in every State. Addressing a delegation of 100 leaders of the New York State suffrage party who called at the White House to obtain an expression in support of the campaign in that State the President in emphatic terms declared that woman suffrage is one of the fundamental questions of democracy whose proper settlement is demanded by the issues of the war. He praised the spirit, capacity and vision of American women in the war.

"I believe," he said, "that just because we are quickened by the questions of this war we ought to be quickened to give this question of woman suffrage our immediate consideration."

Speaking "as one of the spokesmen of a great party," the President pledged his hearty support and added: "I want to speak for myself and say that it seems to me that this is the time for the States of this union to take this action."

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Having qualified as administrator of the estate of W. R. Oxendine, deceased, late of the county of Robeson and State of North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Pembroke on or before the 12th day of October, 1917, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

Dated this 10th day of October, 1917. Administrator W. R. Oxendine estate. 10 11 6th

ROBESONIAN IN ANSON

Work With County Home Demonstration Agent—Get the Good Out of the Fairs.

Correspondence of The Robesonian.

Anson Sanatorium, Wadesboro, Oct. 20—Reading The Robesonian keeps me reminded of how glad I shall be to mingle with Robesonians next summer. Though it's great to be in the State of Robeson and cross over into Cumberland occasionally, it is also fine to be in Anson, where the hickory nuts turn to scaleybarks and the peas are too plentiful to count.

For two weeks, beginning Oct. 1st, I was in the home of Mrs. J. C. Redfern, county demonstration agent, nursing her through a severe illness. She had collected her exhibit for the State fair and seemed worried over the fact that she was unable to pack and ship it. As she improved more rapidly than we expected, one of her club members went out to her home, two miles from town, and with Mr. Redfern's help we polished, labelled, classified, packed and shipped her exhibit.

Miss Gainey of Fayetteville asked Mrs. Redfern to let this exhibit go to the Cape Fear fair, so Mrs. Redfern wrote her to have the canned part of her exhibit shipped to Fayetteville from Raleigh. I would be glad if the girls of Cumberland and Robeson, especially, would go to the fair and look up this exhibit and see something of what the girls of this county (Anson) are doing. Of course this is only one feature of the work done by the demonstrators.

It did me good when I read in The Robesonian that Robeson had employed Miss Cassidy for her full time in this work. Please let me ask every woman and girl, and the boys as well, to go right into this work with Miss Cassidy and see if you will not be benefited in more ways than you thought. I would be glad to know that each boy and girl could go to the fairs and see what your county, as well as others, produces. You will be surprised and benefited, too, if you go for the good and not the frivolous and evil things too often connected with fairs.

Having a number of lectures and books to study, time says: "You can't write more now."

With October greetings, I am, An Old Robesonian, ANNIE LEE McARTHUR.

ST. PAUL NEWS PACKAGE

Remodeling Residence—Buy a Liberty Bond—Red Cross Ladies Doing Good Work—2 Schools—Personal and Other Items.

Correspondence of The Robesonian. St. Paul, Oct. 27—Mrs. J. F. Nash is home after a few days in Raleigh, where she spent a while with friends, also taking in the fair. Mrs. Joseph Evans is having her home remodelled, and nice coat of paint adds much to the attractiveness.

Mrs. Jas. Callahan, and small daughter, Sarah, returned from Greenwood, where they spent a while. St. Paul seems to be well represented at the Cumberland county fair today. Rev. Mr. Murray has been at Rockfish hotel a meeting. The Oxford orphans' entertainment Tuesday night, Oct. 16th, was very good, and well attended.

Dr. L. J. Moore, dentist, is located in town now.

A bunch of the young folks of the Christian Endeavor society went over to Clarkton Sunday week to the Christian Endeavor convention. The Wilmington society being there that evening made it real interesting.

Miss Katie Groves Northrop spent the week-end at home. Miss Bess Nash who is Miss Northrop's roommate came with her. They returned to Flora McDonald Monday night. Miss Alice Shaw is spending a while at Lumber Bridge with Mrs. Lizzie Shaw. Mrs. A. Maggie McEachern is also visiting near Lumber Bridge at Mr. Monroe's, her aunt being ill. We were indeed sorry to hear of the misfortune of Mr. Leak McDuffie, which occurred last week, but glad he's improving.

A cousin of Mrs. J. C. Lindsay, Miss Virginia Sellers, from Hickory, left yesterday for her home after a very pleasant visit in town. Several from here attended the State fair at Raleigh last week. Messrs. Jno. McArthur and Stewart McGoogan with Misses Boone and Melvin motored over one evening, besides several others who attended.

A fine speech Monday evening on Liberty bonds was real interesting. Mr. A. W. McLean of Lumberton being the speaker. Why not buy a liberty bond anyway, and help bind old Kaiser.

Mrs. G. S. Harrell spent Saturday at Mr. Will McLean's. Miss Kate McFadden visited home folks recently. Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Shaw and little child, Alyce, spent Friday p. m. in St. Paul. The Red Cross ladies seem to be doing their best. A Red Cross auxiliary was organized here some time ago. Come one, come all, and join in the great work.

It was Mr. Albert Nutting who was home on furlough instead of Gilbert Northrop, as stated in paper last week. Mrs. Joe Johnson spent a few days in Fayetteville recently.

Misses Josephine Evans and Dinah Belle Nash are teaching up on Factory hill, near Elizabeth chapel, so you see St. Paul has 2 schools almost in reach, counting the high

Used successfully a whole year all over the South. BUCKEYE Lintless Hulls have been fed by farmers, dairymen and stockmen throughout the South for the past year. Reports from these feeders indicate that these lintless hulls when properly fed, are a great improvement over the old style hulls. By actual use, these feeders have found the following advantages of using BUCKEYE COTTONSEED HULLS LINTLESS. Every pound of the Buckeye Hulls contains much more food value because the lint on the old style hulls has no food value. The price per pound of real roughage in the form of Buckeye Hulls is very much less than in the form of the old style hulls. Buckeye Hulls do not clog or flux the digestive tract. Other foods mixed with them are readily assimilated. They are free of trash and dust. They are sacked and easy to handle. They take half as much space in the barn. If you have not tried Buckeye Hulls, please remember that thousands of feeders are using them and will use no other roughage. If you have not given Buckeye Hulls a fair trial, let the experience of these successful feeders guide you in using them as they should be used. Mr. Olwey Yarber, Booneville, Ark., has fed a carload of Buckeye Hulls to cows and calves to get them ready for the range. He had been feeding hay and he finds that they did much better on Buckeye Hulls as roughage. He has another car of Buckeye Hulls bought. To secure the best results and to develop the ensilage odor, wet the hulls thoroughly twelve hours before feeding. It is easy to do this by wetting them down night and morning for the next feeding. If at any time this cannot be done, wet down at least thirty minutes. If you prefer to feed the hulls dry, use only half as much by bulk as of old style hulls. Book of Mixed Feeds Free. Gives the right formula for every combination of feeds used in the South. Tells how much to feed for maintenance, for milk, for fattening, for work. Describes Buckeye Hulls and gives directions for using them properly. Send for your copy to the nearest mill. Dept. E, The Buckeye Cotton Oil Co. Dept. K. Atlanta Augusta Birmingham Charlotte Greenwood Jackson Little Rock Macon Memphis Selma

Ugh! Calomel Sickens; Salivates! Please Try Dodson's Liver Tone. I am sincere! My medicine does not upset liver and bowels so you lose a day's work. Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into sour bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system. When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for a few cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not salivate. Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right up and you feel great. Give it to the children as well.

WHO'S YOUR TAILOR? To men who are extremely careful as to the skill of the tailors who make their clothes, we recommend Ed. V. Price & Co. knowing that from no other source can they obtain such true clothes value. Let us prove it today. JOHN THOMAS BIGGS, Lumberton, N. C.

DORT The Quality Goes Clear Through Official Report of Dort Ten-Day Economy Run. Under Supervision of the American Automobile Association The official results of the Ten-day Economy Run of the DORT stock touring car, made on a continuous run between Los Angeles and San Francisco, under the supervision and observance of the American Automobile Association are as follows: Mileage 4658.4 Gas used 195.37 gallons—average 23.93 miles per gallon. Oil used 21 pints—average 1774.64 miles per gallon. Water used 31 quarts—average 601.08 miles per gallon. No cost for repairs. No mechanical repairs. These figures have been carefully compiled and are authentic. (Signed) G. F. Stephenson Technical Representative Contest Board, A. A. A. J. Woodill Driver W. J. Stipe Observer, A.A.A. W. Fitzgerald Driver J. S. Whyte Observer, A.A.A. W. B. Felix Driver L. H. Harms Observer, A.A.A. (All Signed) Los Angeles, September 16th, 1917. Sedan—\$1095 Sedanet—\$845 Touring—\$725 Roadster—\$725 The purchase of a Dort accords with the present National spirit—it is the purchase of motor car efficiency without waste. Come in today and look over this car of fine lines and built-in service factors. J. H. Felts, Jr., Agent, Lumberton, N. C.

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