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ALL READY FOR THE FAIR.

Fifth Annual County Fair Opens Tomorrow—Reduced Railroad Rates—Splendid Exhibits and Plenty of Amusement Expected. Everything is in readiness for the fifth annual Robeson county fair and jubilee, which will open in Lumberton tomorrow (Tuesday) at 10 a. m. with an address by Mayor James D. Proctor.

NEGROES RAISED GAIN ON PUBLIC ROAD

Shot Pistols, Cursed and Did Other Stunts in "Meadows"—2 Draw Road Sentences—G. Badger McLeod Fined \$25 for Assault on J. M. Kornegay. A number of negroes, apparently under the influence of intoxicants, proceeded to raise a general disturbance in the "Meadows," about 3 miles north-east of town, yesterday afternoon.

NEGRO KILLED IN BACK SWAMP TOWNSHIP

Nathan Townsend Shot and Killed by Charley Peppers. Also Colored, Saturday—Peppers is in Jail—He Claims Self-Defense. Nathan Townsend, colored, was shot and killed on the public road in Back Swamp township Saturday night. Charley Peppers, also colored, is in jail charged with the shooting.

HON. JAS. H. POU WILL ADDRESS MEETING THURSDAY

Farmers and Others Interested in Fair Price for Cotton Urged to Attend Important Meeting of Cotton Association in Lumberton September 16th. Hon. Jas. H. Pou will address the Cotton Association rally to be held in the court house here at 11:30 a. m. Thursday of this week, according to information received by Chairman Frank Gough.

MAYNARD GETS FIRST HONORS IN AIRPLANE FIGHT

Wake Forest Student Beats All the Airmen in Cross-Country Flight. Crossing the continent, 2,701 miles, in 24 hours and 58 minutes and 55 1-2 seconds, actual flying time, Lieutenant Belvin W. Maynard, of Wake Forest, N. C., Saturday took first honors by a few hours in the first lap of the double trans-continental airplane reliability race, landing at San Francisco at 1:27:07 p. m., Pacific time, Oct. 11, while Lieutenant E. C. Kiel, completed the eastbound trip at 6:35:10 p. m. Eastern time, followed twenty seconds later by Major Carl Spatz, who reached New York first, but made an erroneous landing.

DAUGHTERS ENDORSE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

\$1,200 Raised to Provide Nurse for Women's Home—Every Chapter Will Be Asked to Help in Preserving Data of World War. The Daughters of the Confederacy, at their meeting in High Point last week, passed resolutions endorsing the league of nations. At Thursday's session \$1,200 was raised on the floor to provide a nurse for sick inmates at the Confederate women's home at Fayetteville.

PRESIDENT MUST REMAIN IN BED FOR SOME TIME

Hope that President Wilson soon might regain his normal health and resume the duties of his office was swept away Saturday by his physicians, who announced it would be impossible for him to leave his bed "for an extended period." Yesterday it was announced that while the President is believed by his physicians to be on the road to recovery, the process will be slow and tedious. It was reiterated yesterday at the White House that the President must resign himself to strict observance of the physicians' orders to put aside all thought of his office while convalescing and remain in bed until danger of a relapse has passed.

DAUGHTERS WILL MEET NEXT IN NEW BERN.

The Daughters of the Confederacy who held their annual convention in High Point last week, adjourned Friday after selecting New Bern as their meeting place for next year and voting to invite the general body to come to North Carolina with Asheville as hostess city in 1920. A strong delegation will be sent to Tampa, Fla., next month to bring this big gathering to North Carolina.

CENTENARY COMMUNITY FAIR GREAT EVENT

Splendid Exhibits—Poultry and Livestock Show Especially Fine—Address by Hon. R. N. Page—In Heart of "Cotton Valley", a Section of Large Plantations and Fine Residences—Officers Elected For Fair Next Year. Friday was a red-letter day for the people of the Centenary community, the occasion being the second annual community fair. While all the exhibits were creditable, the poultry show and livestock exhibits were the outstanding features of the fair. The attendance at the fair was large and the people had a great time. Plans are already being perfected for the fair next year, officers having been elected Friday for the 1920 fair.

SUGAR SHORTAGE IN EAST.

Overindulgence in Sweets Must Be Curtailed in East for Next 3 Months. Heavily increased use of sugar in candy, soft drinks, ice cream and other luxuries in the United States during the first nine months of 1919, it was announced in New York Friday by the U. S. sugar equalization board, means that such over-indulgence in sweets "must now be curtailed in some sections of the east for the next three months." George A. Zabriskie, president of the board, in a statement to the press declared that although the talk of shortage persists it was a fact that from last January to September, inclusive, 500,000 tons, or 18 per cent more sugar had been delivered to American consumers than for the same period of 1918.

THE RECORD OF DEATHS

Mary Thompson, colored, died yesterday at her home in Back Swamp township. Deceased was 52 years old and had been ill for some time. Mrs. Narva Clark was called Saturday to Ramsauer on account of the death of her brother. When she reached Ramsauer Mrs. Clark learned that her grandfather had died the same day. Mrs. Clark was accompanied to Ramsauer by Miss Ruth Stanley and Mr. G. E. Rancke, Jr., making the trip in Mr. Rancke's auto.

MARKET REPORT.

Below are quoted prices being paid on the local market for several items of country produce. The Robesonian hopes to make this report of service to its farmer readers and will add to the list of articles quoted as it is able to do so. Eggs—55c. Ham—40c. Sides—35c. Shoulders—32c.

LOCAL COTTON MARKET.

Today— Middling 32 cents to 32 1-2; good middling 32 3-4. The same prices prevailed on the local market Saturday as today. The market Friday ranged from 32 to 32 5-8 cents.

BRIEF ITEMS LOCAL NEWS

Special meeting of St. Alban's lodge No. 114, A. F. & A. M., tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. Work in third degree. License has been issued for the marriage of Chas. A. Powers and Willie D. Scarborough; H. P. Monroe and Bonnie Graham. It is against the law to work children under 14 years of age without special permit. If you employ children, see Mr. W. P. McAllister, county welfare officer.

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