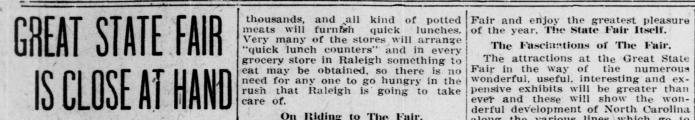
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Attractions.

Whip up the ox team, Billy,-

We're goin' to the Fair!

With ribbons in yer hair,

We're goin' to the Fair!

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At twelve o'clock noon,

the Society.

On Riding to The Fair.

All North Carolina Should Enjoy Splendid Event. ting, to the fair grounds, and especial arrangements are being made to handle the great crowds. The Ral-eigh Electric Company has extended in the Fair buildings, and the sights to be seen and the instructions to be offered the presure and satisfaction. From all parts of the State these are to come and the promise is for a provided many new cars and a quick schedule will be run to the grounds. tiveness, everything bright, brilliant

derful development of North Carolina along the various lines which go to

The Display Increases. The Display Increases. The A. and M. College and Blind that spells success. He has selected Institution will make large and attrac- a corps of assistants who represent tive exhibits of their various depart- the strongest of the younger men in

interested in practical education of the business and progressive life of the business and they will add greatly the business and they will add greatly to the pleasure of the Fair. Mr. Mebane has been too busy building the progress of education will be clear-ly shown. Floral Hall will be very attractive intervent in the management of Wake.

and excellence. The Pantry Depart-ment will be full of home cooking, as

great competition has developed in this department, and here it will be seen the North Carolina women are experts in this line.

The Art Department has more en-tries than ever before, and the exhibit will be very attractive. In the hall with these will be splendid exhibits of the handicraft of North Carolina women showing they have an eye for the beautiful and the useful.

There will be fine exhibits of shoe factories that will attract great attention, as they will be displayed on a grand scale. Shoes are always in use and the latest and best of these will be exhibited.

Manufacturers of various kinds of furniture and vehicles, made in the State, will make elaborate displays, showing what home talent can do in those enterprises. North Carolina leads in these lines, and the exhibit will be a most attractive one.

President Roosevelt will be on the grounds and deliver an address to the people of North Carolina at 11 a. m., October 19th, Our people will show him by the presence and by their various products, manufacturing and enterprises, that North Carolina is in the lead in this country, and he and his friends will see what grand inducements the State can offer to cap-ital and good settlers. There will be a great outpouring and great exhibits by the people of our great Common-

OFFICERS OF THE FAIR.

Much depends in any great enterprise upon the character and the ability of the men who are at its head. In fact no success comes without intelligent conception and efficient execution. The State Fair has become a solid institution financially. well as giving pleasure to thousands every year largely because it is in the hands of first-class business men who understand what is necessary and do the right thing in the right way

President Horne, arolina Agricultural Se ciety was fortunate when it secured the acceptance of Mr. Ashley Horne

as its president. He is the type of man who has made the South take a

higher stand in the agricultural, bus-iness and manufacturing world. He

has made money in everything he has undertaken, and he is one of the bus-

lest men in the State. He has

genius for making money and win-ning success. When elected Presi-

dent of the Fair, everybody knew that he would be no figure-head, but a

real President, accepting responsibili-

Society with the same good judgment

of every enterprise with which his name is associated. He made the State Fair of 1904 one of the best

ever held and during the past year has put the financial affairs of the

corporation upon a sound future, and this year under his wise presidency

will witness the greatest State Fair ever held in the State of North Caro-

lina. Long live Ashley Horne and may his spirit of enterprise touch and bless the youth of the State.

Secretary Pogue.

Too much praise cannot cannot be given to Mr. Joseph E. Pogue, Sec-

retary of the State Fair. He accept-

ed the position some years ago at the carnest solicitations of the manage-ment and the bondholders. The Fair

had not been earning enough money

to pay the interest on its bonds and it had no credit. Mr. Pogue resolved

to put it on a business basis and to that end has given a large share of

his time every month in the year to

the business of the Fair, going here and there to book desirable attrac-

State Fair management this year has

paid every dollar it owes, retired a portion of its bonds, built a large and magnificent Grand Stand, improved

the race track, and will do all this within the well calculated income from

the Fair. That has been a financial

achievement that entitles Mr. Pogue and those with whom he has

been associated in the management of the Fair under the new and better system that has put the Fair upon

a solid business basis to a volume

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tions, looking closely after rece and expenditures, and as a result

that characterize him in the conone

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thousands, and all kind of potted meats will furnish quick lunches. Very many of the stores will arrange "quick lunch counters" and in every grocery store in Raleigh something to the attractions at the Great State Pair. The attractions at the Great State Pair to the greatest of progress will be shown. The attractions at the Great State Pair to the greatest of progress will be shown. The attractions at the Great State Pair to the great state Pair to the greatest of progress will be shown. The attractions at the Great State Pair to the greatest of progress will be shown. The attractions at the Great State Pair to the great state Pair to the greatest of progress will be shown. The attractions at the Great State Pair to the great state Pair to

among these the furniture factories in the State have entered for grand dis-plays, that can not fail to attract. B2.-Cattle, Benehan Cameron and part, and he goes into no venture of a social or business character into which J. M. Crenshaw, of Wake. B3.—Sheep, C. W. Burkett, of Wake. B4.-Swine, Ben. M. Moore, o

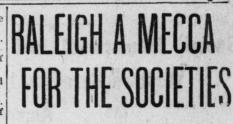
Wake. C.—Poultry and Pet Stock, Ivan M. Proctor, of Wake.

D.-Horticulture, etc., Z. W. White-head, of New Hanover.

It is shown. Floral Hall will be very attractive with all kinds of ladies' work. The exhibit there will be one of beauty chief arr, but he has attended nearly every year and shown that what-of Wake. G.—General Displays, John Nichols, every year and shown that what-of Wake. H.—Ladies Work, John S. Cuning-



MEBANE



Price Five Cents.

Fair Week the Time for Many Meetings.

EVENTS OF INTEREST

Confederate Veterans, Spanish-American War Veterans, Mexican Veterans, Cotton Growers, Convention State Historical and Literary Society and Others to Meet.

Raleigh is the Mecca towards which the faces of many thousands of people in the State are now turned, and the people will be here in great numbers next week during the Great State Fair.

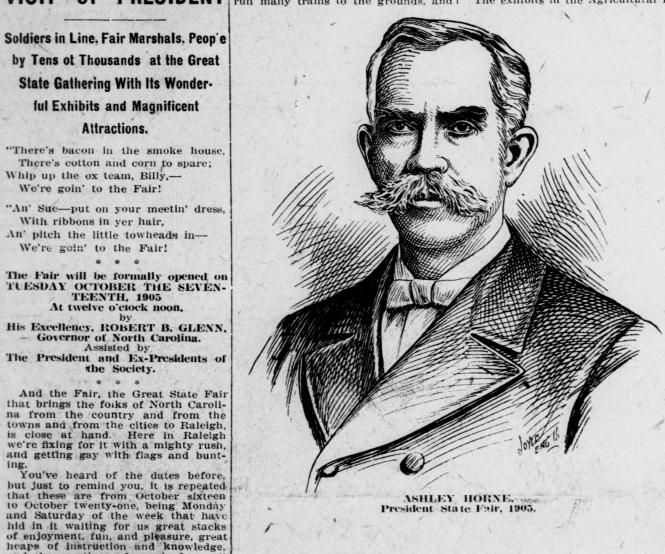
Among the thousands who will be here will be many members of various organizations which will hold their sessions in the Capital City during the week, thus combining the interests of these organizations with a visit to the Fair, the enjoyment of its pleasures, and the gathering of much information.

State Agricultural Society.

Connected with the Fair the meeting of chier interest will be that of the North Carolina Agricultural Society which will hold its annual meeting. This will be held on Thursday night, the 19th of October, in the Hall of the House of Representatives and will be called to order at 8 o'clock by Hon. Ashley Horne, the president of the ociety, which has charge of the State Fair. At this meeting the officers are Fair. to be elected for the ensuing year.

The Confederate Veterans.

An important meeting that will be held on Wednesday night, October 18, in the Hall of the House of Represen-tatives at 8 o'clock is that of the Con-federate Veterans' Association of North Carolina, the meeting having been called by General Julian S. Carr, in command of the North Carolina Division. The Veterans have been invited to hold the honor position in the parade which will escort President Roosevelt to the State Fair, and it is probable that some action on this will be taken at the meeting on Wednes lay night.



VISIT OF PRESIDENT The Seaboard Air Line Railway will and interesting. The seaboard Air Line Railway will and interesting. The exhibits in the Agricultural De-



parts of North Carolina whom we nave not seen since last year at the Fair

and the greetings of people from all

Raleigh has contracted a habit of having-great State Fairs, but this time the management say that it is going to be the greatest fair ever, and that the hundred thousand or more people who are coming to take in its joys are going to have a feast of good things spread out before them, such that never before in the history of the Fair has been presented, these in the splendid exhibits in the buildings and on the grounds, in the daring and dazzling free-for-ali performances, and in the live-wire at-tractions that will line up along the midway-pike, where the sawdust makes the roadway.

Bands of music are to make melody in the halls and on the grounds, wonderful things are to be exhibited on every side, many pianos will be making music and the merry-go-round will ring out its jumpety-jump notes. Military will be marching and the small boy will occupy every point of vantage, the beauteous maids of North Carolina will be seen in new and fetching gowns, while matrons and men will ramble around in the kaleidoscope picture made up of the throngs of those who are "doing the Fair.

For a Great Big Time.

If you've attended this great State event in Raleign then you know the rush and the stir of the big days at/ the Fair, but this year this is to be multiplied by starting ngures, for the visit of the President of the United States to Raleigh and the State Fair is going to add enormously to the at-tendance. He is going to be here Thursday, the 19th of October when at 11 o'clock he is to make an address at the Fair Grounds, and he states that this is to contain some important utterances, that will be heard with interest. The unique personality of the President, his varied experi-ences as a rancher in the West where he was comrade with cowboys, his record as Police Commissioner of New York, Civil Service Commission-er, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, Colonel of the Rough Riders, Governor of New York, Vice-President and President, with all that these mean,

and hear the man who brought peace to Russia and Japan, and there is ex-pected a congestion of people in the city and at the Fair Grounds on Thursday of Fair Week. That his wife, Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, will accompany him, will add much in-terest to his visit. Raleigh is preparing to take prop-er care of the great crowds that are expected, and in doing so has arrang-duarters being in the Capital Club building, first floor, where the visitor who wants a lodging place or a place

expected, and in doing so has arrang-ed a burgen of drug stores and stands in quarters being in the Capital Club building, first door, where the visitor who wants a lodging place or a place. All visitors are advised to get tickets who wants a lodging place or a place. All visitors are advised to get tickets with him to guide him to the spot. Cots by the thousands are being put vate residences, halls and vacents will be store, and a site Treasurer readered the fair, request thin, and best ever arranged for a State was of meals the hotels, boarding will be runs, will be runs, will be intervent will all run cars direct houses, cafes, restaurants and private thouses, cafes, restaurants and places fixed innumerable stands and places fixed innum homes will be ably supplemented by innumerable stands and places fixed specially for Fair Week in various parts of the business section, while on the Fair grounds itself and in the hails of the Fair Buildings there will be ether places where the hungry may find food and drink. The sand-wich will be here in all its glory and loaves of bread by the tens of



Secretary State Fair, 1905.

will cause thousands to want to see these will give transportation to partment will be unusually attractive. of merited praise. He believes and hear the man who brought peace thousands, who will find this an ex- for vegetables, fruits and flowers will "the people must be amused" and alwill cause thousands to want to see these will give transportation to partment will be unusually attractive,

Chief Marshal State Fair, 1905.



C. B. DENSON Treasurer State Fair, 1905.

Carolina is dear to his heart. The ham, of Person, and J. R. Young, of

L.-Educational, E. P. Moses, of

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Ho! For The Races!!

Spanish-American War Veterans.

A meeting of Spanish-American War Veterans will be held here on Thurs-day morning, this to be at 10 o'clock in the grand stand at the Fair Grounds. The call for the meeting has been issued by General Joseph F. Armfield, Colonel of the First North Carolina Volunteer Infantry during the Spanish-American War and by Col. W. H. S. Burgwyn, who was in command of the Second North Caro-lina Volunteer Infantry in that war. The call says that the meeting will be held that the men who took part in that war may see the President "our comrade in that war, and to make his acquaintance." The meeting will be in session at the time President Roosevelt reaches the Fair Grounds to deliver his address, which is to be-gin about eleven o'clock.

Mexican Veterans' Association.

There will also be a meeting here of the surviving veterans of the Mex-ican War. There are but few of these left yet the smallness of the numbers will be no bar to the enthusiasm of the meeting. It is expected that there will be a gathering of the veterans of the Mexican War at the City Hall about 9 o'clock on the morning of Thursday, October 19, and that the meeting will adjourn to the grand stand at the Fair Grounds shortly after ten o'clock, ~ as to meet the President of the United States, and take part in the ceremonies there. Plans are also being arranged to have a meeting of the veterans on Thursday afternoon at four o'clock in the City Hall.

Cotton Growers' Association.

The North Carolina Cotton Growers' ssociation is to meet here on Friday night, October 20, in the Hall of the House of Representatives at half rast seven o'clock with the State President, Col. John S. Cuningham, of Person, presiding. The meeting will be largely attended and it is apt to town of Spray is in reality the town that Frank Mebane built. It con-tains a population of over 4,000 and large and prosperous mills make merry music in old Rockingham town of Respired to his heart. The ham, of Person, and J. R. Young, of Wake. I.—Fine Arts, Painting, etc., W. S. Primorse, of Wake. K.—Agricultural Implements, Ma-chinery, F. O. Moring, of Wake, and N. W. Station of Wake. De largely attended and it is apt to prove an important one, with possi-ble action in regard to present condi-tions in the cotton market. An address will be delivered by Harvie Jordan, president of the Southern Cotton Growers' Association.

State Historical and Literary.

M.-Historical. Scientific Displays, Literary Society will meet on Tues-The North Carolina Historical and In each of these departments there Durham, who will have for his theme, "The Cultivation of State Pride." The ian who during the past year has pubthe country, all of which are set lan who during the past yeer has pub-forth in/the handsome catalogue issued by the society, to be had of Sec- also come up, and the award will be watched for with keen anticipation.

The Oratorical Contest.

The State Fair Association has ar-The racing at the State Fair will be exciting as some fast horses have ranged for a meeting of great interbeen entered and contests will be spir-ited. The track is a great one, and pants representative orators from the