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## Large Crowd Sees Spring Gymkhana

Pepped up by the 50-piece band of the Tryon-Saluda-Inman schools the annual Tryon spring Gymkhana got off to a good start on Thursday afternoon at Harmon Field. The large crowd of people from nearly every state in the Union were all set for a good time despite the slow drizzling rain which added fun to the burlesque horse riding event.

Keg and can race, 1st, Johnny Hunter; second, Miss Rachel Jackson; third, Austin Brown.

Nursery race, first, Johnny Hunter; second, Miss Pat Ferneding; third, Peter Mahler; night shirt race, first heat, first, Mrs. Samuel Bingham, Jr.; second, Miss Pat Ferneding; third, Bob Jones; second heat, first, Miss Ann Bingham; second, Carter Wilkie Brown; third, Peter Mahler.

Water race, first, Miss Ann Bingham; second, Mrs. Samuel Bingham, Jr.; third, Austin Brown; Egg and Spoon race, first Carter Wilkie Brown; second, Miss Rachel Jackson; third, Miss Gay Lynch; Musical Chair Race, first Miss Carol Parker; second, Carter Wilkie Brown; third, Miss Tony Wick.

In the polo team match, the Blue Goose mule team won out over the Simpleton polo team, 3 to 1. The captain of the winning team was Mrs. Sam Abernathy; other members being Carter Brown, Miss Betty White and Miss Tony Wick. Captaining the losing Simpleton team was Miss Ann Bingham. The three other members

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## Noted Author Will Speak Here

Tryon is a fitting place for one who has given the title, "Delectable Mountain," to one of his best known books. Mr. Struthers Burt, who has travelled, and written and lectured his way to fame will speak on the subject of his latest travel, the island of Haiti, "The Black Republic." The time will be Thursday, April 4th, at 3:30 at the Lanier Library.

## CURB REPORTER

Anne Cannon, daughter of the late Joe Cannon, who often visited Tryon, has married her fourth husband. This time it is Albert C. Wharton, Jr., of Winston-Salem. . . . Maine Democrats have signed their ten delegates to Roosevelt first and Farley as alternate. . . . Tanner Banning, who has been taking aviation in the Civilian Aeronautics Corp at Harvard has been promoted to solo flying and will probably fly to Tryon for his spring vacation on Saturday. . . . Some of the French are beginning to think Russia is against them. Some people are slow to take a hint. . . . Jesse Jones, world's largest banker, praises the New Deal. . . . The Condicts have lost their dog; run over by an automobile. . . . Roy Shelley, says the reason he didn't bring his trick pony, Spot, to the Gymkhana was because he was allotted only 15 minutes on the program and that it would take longer than that. Spot is trained according to a special routine.