

ALL ENTHUSIASTIC AT BIPLANE FLIGHTS AT THE PARK YESTERDAY

Aviator Heth Promises Additional Flights For Today. Manager Berger Appreciative Of The Patronage and Courtesy Shown Him and Assistants In Wash- ington.

Thousands of the citizens of this city and the surrounding country had the biggest treat of their lives yesterday. The occasion was the aeroplane flights by the Berger Aviation Company and the affair was conducted so successfully that the crowd which packed Washington Park, where the flights were held, never enjoyed so many thrills before.

There were two flights made during the afternoon by Aviator Heth, one of the most skilled and daring pilots who ever raced through the clouds. Each flight was wonderful. Most of the spectators had never seen an aeroplane fly before and the performance was a revelation to them. They were fairly agitated at the daring of Aviator Heth and at the same time were full of appreciation and admiration over the ease with which he arose in the big Wright Biplane and landed thousands of feet over their heads.

Today the main topic of interest on the streets is the marvelous flights of yesterday. Everybody is talking about the wonderful machine, how quickly and perfectly it responded to the touch of Aviator Heth and the thrills they experienced watching the flights.

To say that yesterday's performance was thrilling is putting it mildly. The day was ideal for flights and there was no stunt ever performed even by the most daring aviator, which was not duplicated. The "death dip," the "circle dip," up and down spirals and many other difficult feats were easily and gracefully accomplished.

The dash and daring which characterized everything about the performance won instant favor with the crowd. And such a crowd. It was one of the largest ever seen in Washington Park and by far the most enthusiastic. Early yesterday the park was the scene for an expectant stream of humanity that poured in by all roads. Every incoming train also brought its full quota of passengers bound for the flights. Many of those who attended were so well pleased with what they saw that they intend to see the flights again this afternoon.

Today Aviator Heth promises to unveil a new succession of thrills for those who attend. He has some new stunts of his own invention that are performed by no other aviator and it is his intention to show just how far the limit of daring in the air has been reached.

Manager Berger when seen by a News representative this morning was enthusiastic over the wonderful flights of yesterday. He states that the kind reception he has received at the hands of the citizens here has won them a warm spot in his heart. Therefore he is going to have Aviator Heth make a special effort to please all this afternoon.

River And Harbor Bill Is A Comprehensive Measure

Washington, D. C., June 10.

"The river and harbor appropriation bill, which will be reported to the Senate in a few days, is, in my judgment, the most comprehensive measure formulated for the development of the waterways of the United States that has been reported out of the Senate Committee on Commerce for many years," said Senator F. M. Simmons of North Carolina, acting chairman of that committee and chairman of the Finance Committee, who, with Oscar W. Underwood, of the House Committee on Ways and Means, is co-author of the Underwood-Simmons tariff bill.

"While the present river and harbor bill may show an increase over last year's bill to the extent of probably three millions of dollars, the Senate bill has brought up to date the recommendations of the engineer of the army which were not available when the House Committee on Rivers and Harbors had the bill under consideration. This necessarily follows, for the House originates all bills appropriating revenues for the conduct of the government."

"The House bill," continued Senator Simmons, "came to the Commerce Committee of the Senate carrying a total in cash of \$39,498,000. The Senate added in cash appropriations \$3,922,000, making a total of \$43,320,000. Under contract authorization, the House provided four millions in round numbers and the Senate has added to that \$6,352,000, making a total in contract authorization in the present bill of \$10,352,000. While the Senate bill is upwards of \$53,000,000 as against the House bill of \$43,000,000, making the Senate appear as having raised the House upwards of ten millions of dollars, the fact remains that there are two continuing contracts provided in the Senate bill aggregating about \$6,000,000, which should not be counted against the bill itself because the amounts necessary for these continuing contracts will be taken care of from year to year in the sundry civil bill."

"To the lay mind, the amount of money appropriated for the development of the waterways and harbors of the United States may seem large and yet, it is small when the needs of the country, for better facilities in transportation, are taken into consideration. It must not be forgotten in this connection that the requirements are greater than they ever were before; there are more people in the nation asking cheaper freight

than there were a decade ago, and the instrumentalities for reducing rates and moving freights are being demanded to a larger extent than ever before.

"The Commerce Committee has added nothing to the House bill except on the recommendation of the Board of Engineers of the United States army charged with river and harbor work, and every dollar expended under it will result in cheaper freights to the people of the Union."

"The Senate bill creates three continuing contracts, two on the Pacific coast—Los Angeles, to cost \$425,000, the mouth of the Columbia in Oregon, \$4,100,000, and one on the Atlantic coast, Cape Lookout harbor of Refuge in North Carolina \$1,325,000. These continuing contracts were made upon the recommendations of the Board of Engineers of the army, upon the theory that there would be a very great saving to the government—fully \$300,000 on Cape Lookout and \$350,000 to \$500,000 on the Columbia—if legislation was enacted to take these two projects out of the annual appropriation class and make direct contracts with responsible persons for their completion within a specified time."

OLD MEMBER OF THE CRAFT IS A VISITOR

Mr. Harry Leonard, press representative of the J. S. Berger Aviation Company, arrived here last night and is a guest at the Louise. Mr. Leonard is a newspaper man of wide experience having been at one time city editor of such well known journals as the New York Herald and New York World. This is his first visit to Eastern Carolina and he is very favorably impressed both with the people and the country. Mr. Leonard left this afternoon via the Atlantic Coast Line for Pittsburg, Pa.

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DAVID W. BELL MARRIED TO MISS CAMPBELL

Wedding Took Place at St. Peter's at 7:30 This Morning. Leave of Tour Of Western Carolina

Beautiful in its simplicity the marriage of Miss Pearl Russell Campbell to Mr. David Walter Bell at St. Peter's Episcopal Church this morning at 7:30 o'clock was witnessed by a large number of well-wishers and friends of the popular couple. Ever since the announcement of the wedding, society has been all expectancy and in consequence the historic edifice never contained a company who extended to the happy bride and gallant groom a greater shower of congratulations. If one should judge what their married life will be by those present one can prophesy for them only "one grand sweet song" till death do them part.

Prior to the announcement of the bridal party Mrs. R. A. G. Barnes at the organ assisted by Mr. R. A. G. Barnes, violinist, gave the waiting and eager spectators a delightful musical program.

St. Peter's was tastefully decorated for the happy event, the chancel being a perfect bower of the choicest of flowers which backed up by the soft waxen tapers made an inviting scene as the bride-elect plighted her troth for better or worse, for sickness or health.

Promptly at the appointed hour the organ under the deft touch of Mrs. Barnes glided into the familiar strains of Lehengrine and the bridal party entered the church as follows:

The first to enter were the ushers, Messrs. William B. Harding, John D. Callais, F. S. Worby, of this city and N. Collin Hughes, Jr., of Weldon. Following the ushers was the maid of honor and sister of the bride Miss Lillian Campbell, dressed in a frock of green crepe de chine, with picture hat, carrying a lavish bouquet of pink bridal roses. Leaning on the arm of her father, Mr. Charles A. Campbell, who gave her away, the bride next entered the chancel aisle and the cynosure of all, as she slowly wended her way to the chancel where she was met by the groom and his best man, Mr. John G. Bragaw, Jr.

Facing the venerable rector, Rev. Nathaniel Harding, and as the soft notes of "O Promise Me" issued from the organ, they were pronounced man and wife according to the beautiful ceremony of the Episcopal Church.

The bride was comely attired in a handsome going away suit of blue Copenhagen and carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses. Soon Mendelssohn's wedding march spoke and to the merry chime of the marriage bells Mr. and Mrs. Bell left the church and autoed to the Atlantic Coast Line depot where they boarded the 7:50 train for Western Carolina.

Miss Campbell is the oldest daughter of Mr. Charles A. Campbell and has been a resident of this city for the past seven years, where she enjoys the esteem of a wide circle of friends. Sweet in disposition and attractive in manner she enjoys an enviable niche and no young lady enters the married relation bearing with her more wishes for all that life can bestow.

The groom for the past eighteen years has been manager of the Carolina Telephone Exchange, he is also a member of the Cherry Furniture Company. He is a rising young business man and has a bright and auspicious future. He is also a member of the vestry of St. Peter's Church.

The bride and groom were the recipients of a large number of gifts attesting the high esteem in which they are held.

The Daily News joins in best wishes.

GUESTS OF MRS. STILLEY.
Mrs. H. E. Griffin and Misses Zulah Spencer and Ella Credle of Swan Quarter, N. C., are the guests of Mrs. Herbert Stilley at her home on East Second street.

PRAYER MEETING.
There will be prayermeeting services in all the different churches of the city this evening at the usual hour, eight o'clock, to which the general public has a cordial invitation to be present.

TICKETS CAN BE SECURED FOR SEASON

Season Tickets For The Chautauqua Can Be Purchased For \$2.00 All Given An Opportunity to Secure Them

Season tickets for Chautauqua—\$2.00 for grown-ups, \$1.00 for children under 15 years of age—will be put on sale Friday, June 12.

I WANT A SEASON TICKET FOR THE CHAUTAUQUA WEEK.



A committee of young ladies will call at your home to give you an opportunity to buy.

Remember no season ticket will be on sale after Chautauqua opens.

It's Restful in Washington Park.

NEW MANAGER OF W.T.U. CO. IN THE CITY

The management of the Western Union Telegraph office here has changed hands. The change went into effect today. Mr. J. F. Price formerly manager of the office at Rocky Mount, arrived here last night and took charge of the office this morning, relieving Mr. J. H. Carpenter, who returns to his home at Rutherfordton, N. C., where he expects to rest for the next several weeks before again entering the employ of the company. Mr. Carpenter has been in charge of the office here for the past two years and has made numerous friends who regret his departure. Mr. Price will receive a warm and generous welcome from the patrons of the office.

Let's build in Washington Park.

FROM CHOCOWINY.
Dry cool weather still prevails over this section and crops have suffered quite a good deal as a result.

Miss Gladys Banks of Grantboro, Pamlico county, has been visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity for several weeks.

The people at this place are filling in their spare moments by giving fishing and picking buckie berries. The quantity of each seem to be great.

Miss Hattie Hill of this place, has one of the cutest little pet squirrels out. She has to return her thanks to a cat for this splendid gift as it is supposed that a cat caught it in the woods and brought it to the home, and in some way it fled from the cat unhurt and found its way into her room. In fixing up the room Miss Hattie found the little animal. She placed it in a nice little cage and now it is almost a full grown squirrel, jame as any one could wish.

Only a few more days and we shall have to give up spring time and flowers and enter summer heat.

QUEST OF MRS. JACKSON.
Mrs. Dolph Smith of Belhaven, N. C., is visiting Mrs. Eugene Jackson on North Marekt street.

GONE TO RALEIGH.
Mr. A. M. Dumay, cashier of the First National Bank, left this morning for Raleigh on business. He expects to return this evening.

MARRIAGE AT ST. PETERS OF POP. COUPLE

Nuptials Attended By A Large Number. Leave For Old Point and Other Points Of Interest. Both Are Popular

The marriage of Miss Kathryn Ann Fagan to Mr. Ernest Ellwood Brooks at St. Peter's Episcopal Church this morning at 10:15 o'clock was witnessed by a goodly number of friends and acquaintances of the contracting parties.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Nathaniel Harding, the time honored rector, in a most solemn and impressive manner. Clusters of lillies and daisies with lighted tapers, formed an effective decoration for the occasion.

As the notes of Mendelssohn's wedding march sounded softly from the organ played by Mrs. W. P. Baughman an especial friend of the family, the bride leaning on the arm of her brother-in-law, Mr. Henry P. Bridgman, came slowly down the aisle. She was charming in a going away gown of blue crepe with corsage bouquet of lillies of the valley. Preceding her to the altar was her sister Mrs. Henry P. Bridgman in white chiffon taffeta and wearing pink and sweet peas.

The groom attended by his best man, Mr. D. M. Carter, Jr., met her at the chancel steps where as the notes of the "Sweetest Story Ever Told" was heard, they were made man and wife while the bells pealed forth their joyous sound.

Miss Fagan is the daughter of Mrs. J. S. Fagan of Denver, Col., and the late General James S. Fagan of Little Rock, Ark. During her stay in this city she has endeared herself to a large circle of friends.

Mr. Brooks is a popular business man of Washington and since his residence here during the past few years has made many warm friends.

The happy couple amid showers of rice and congratulations left on the north bound Norfolk Southern train for Old Point, Va., and a tour of northern cities.

COLLEGE STUDENTS "HIKE."

Five thousand students of the colleges and institutions of higher learning in Maryland are to make a pilgrimage over the route of the British army when it marched from North Point to Baltimore in 1814. The "hike" will be under the auspices of the College Star-Spangled Banner League.

This association is composed of all the colleges of the state and was recently formed as an auxiliary to the national Star Spangled Banner Centennial Commission, for the purpose of disseminating information concerning the historical significance of the centennial celebration to be held in Baltimore from September 6th to 13th.

The cadets of St. John's College, Annapolis, where Francis Scott Key studied, and those of the Maryland Agricultural College, will head the line of march. The students in their striking uniforms will give a decided military touch to the affair.

All the students will assemble at Fort Howard, which marks the spot where the British landed September 12, 1814. There a lecture will be given by Professor Charles J. Kolb, Assistant Superintendent of Department of Education, Baltimore.

Professor Koch will accompany the marchers and at each point of interest will relate the history of the place. The house where General Ross and other officers of the British army ate their breakfast; the spot where Ross fell mortally wounded, the place where he died, the North Point battlefield, the old Methodist meeting house, used as a hospital and others that figured in attack on Baltimore will be pointed out.

It is also planned that each of these spots shall be marked with a bronze tablet during the celebration. The students will place temporary markers of wood as they march.

PROFESSIONAL TRIP.
Dr. S. A. Nathan, the veterinarian, was called to Bath, N. C., this morning on professional business.

VISITORS TODAY.
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Buys of Belhaven, arrived in the city this morning via the Norfolk Southern. They are guests at Hotel Louise.

JUNIOR CHAUTAUQUA PLANS AS ANNOUNCED VARIED AND UNUSUAL

Will Be In Charge of Miss Anna Oppenlander, Who Was Director Last Summer. Story Hours Will Be One Of The Features. Games Each Day Of The Week.

An Open Letter

Mr. E. R. Nixon,
City.

Dear Sir:—Sometime ago I was approached by Mr. E. W. Ayers who asked me to support him for County Treasurer, upon the ground that you would not be a candidate. I stated to Mr. Ayers that if you were not considered for the office, that I saw no reason why I should not support. Now Primary Day is drawing near, and it is my impression that a number of the people throughout the county do not clearly understand your position in reference to the office of County Treasurer. As a taxpayer and voter who is interested in county affairs, I think you owe it to the people to make yourself plain about this matter, to the end that we may know just where you stand. It is due the people, and especially those of us who may decide to support you in the primary on June 26, to let us know exactly what your attitude is, and whether or not you really intend to accept the nomination and fill the office, provided it is tendered to you in a way that will do no violation to your conscience, or the stand you took four years ago.

I am sending a copy of this letter to the daily paper, and I will thank you to give your reply the same publicity.

Yours truly,
S. F. FREEMAN.

Upon receipt of the above letter we took it to Mr. Nixon and asked for a statement from him. He told us that he did not have time to make a reply today but would do so later.—Editor.

CITY COURT TRIES ONLY ONE CASE

Notwithstanding that yesterday was a record day for visitors to Washington, and there were thousands here, the police reported only one case to Mayor Kugler for trial this morning at the City Hall. William Leary, colored, was charged with a failure to show his light on his automobile. He was found guilty but the court suspended judgment upon the payment of cost.

WILMAR FRAMS.

Quite a number of people from this place attended services at Haw Branch Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Eula and Bessie Lawrence who were here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lawrence, returned by the Norfolk Southern to their home in New Bern Sunday afternoon.

Rev. J. H. Jarvis, who for some time past, has been manager of Buttry's store here is now at his home in Washington. His poor health imperatively demanded that he suspend the rather strenuous store duties, and take a little time to recuperate. His son E. F. Jarvis will be found in charge now.

Miss Katie Barr of Washington, is here spending a few days at Mr. C. R. Cox's.

We are glad to learn that Mr. W. T. Beavers who has been ailing for a long time, of some dreaded disease, is getting on nicely at Mercy Hospital, Durham, N. C.

Fire got loose from the train Saturday morning and has devastated our huckle pond. As a consequence so many berries were burned that the smoke looked blue.

The Wilgramizer spent Sunday with friends in the Crow Branch and Haw Branch sections.

IN THE CITY.
Among the welcome visitors to Washington today is Mr. C. B. Paul of Ransonville, N. C.

While plans for the Grown-ups' Chautauqua Week are so excitedly buzzing, it is not amiss to call attention to the arrangements which are being made for the Junior Chautauqua which will be conducted at the same time as the other, June 23 to 28. It will be exclusively for the youngsters who will have the time of their lives.

Junior Chautauqua will again be in charge of Miss Anna Oppenlander who was director last summer, and made it such a marked success. The plans she has outlined are so attractive that they make the writer almost wish that he were to be one of the Junior Chautauqua Youngsters.

The programs are to be varied and unusual. There will be story hours when every story will be the kind that made you hold your breath for fear that you will miss a single word. The story hours will be varied with Information Hours when such subjects as "Birds" and "Good Citizenship" will be gravely discussed for the benefit of all concerned.

Time will be found during the busy week to teach every youngster at least one folk dance, and some of the Junior Chautauquans will learn every folk dance of the nation. A Victrola with special records has been provided to furnish the music for these dances.

Of course there will be games every day, new ones and old ones. They will be graded for the small children and the larger ones, ball, relay games, folk singing games will be played under the careful supervision of the two college-girl leaders. Each day will be found for a few calisthenic exercises arranged to the music of the Victrola.

One day during the week it is planned to have a picnic hike for the older girls and boys. The occasion is sure to be a joyous one. Another day will be set aside for a small Field Meet, when all sorts of events will be arranged. There will be races for girls and races for boys, potato races and sack races and all the other varieties of races which have caused the joy of life to run high. There will be baseball throws and basket ball throws, and a long list of new games which it would be necessary to see in order to know them, as some have been invented just for Junior Chautauqua.

On the last day, a simple play will be given by the Junior Chautauqua for the benefit of the Senior Chautauqua. It is called "Mother Nature's Garden Party" and such characters as Mother Nature, Rain, Jack Frost, and Sunshine will appear at their best. During this play all the folk dances learned during the week and most of the other joyous games will be repeated, not only for the fun of doing it, but for the joy of the older Chautauquans.

Each day during the Series lecture in the afternoon, a special session for all Junior Chautauquans will be conducted elsewhere in the town, when many of the best stories will be told and the best games played, while the grown-ups will not be disturbed by the noise of the youngsters.

EXHIBITION TEXAS TOMMIE DANCE TONIGHT

There was another good crowd at the New Theater to witness the second musical comedy of the week last night. The comedy was good, and the singing was all that could be expected. Tonight they will present "My Country Cousin" a comedy that is full of good laughs and singing. An extra added feature tonight will be a genuine exhibition of the Texas Tommie Dance, one of the latest dances out. Tomorrow night will be amateur night. Every one that intends to take part will please notify the management.