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COUNTY FAIR WILL OPEN SEPT. 24TH

Continues For Four Days and Nights—Friday, 26th, School Day—Get In Exhibits.

The Randolph County Fair opens Wednesday morning, September 24th and will continue through Saturday, the 27th, four days and four nights. The management has perfected its plans for the fair and everything will be in readiness on the 24th for the opening of the biggest and best fair ever held in the county.

Especially the agricultural and live stock exhibits are expected to surpass all former efforts. Already the known entries will make these departments bigger and better than they have ever been in the history of the county fair.

The fair management especially calls attention to the changes in the fancy work department. Refer to the 1923 catalog for entries which will be added to those laid down in the 1924 catalog, or if the 1923 catalog has been mislaid and you are interested in entering an exhibit in this department write Mr. W. C. York, Asheboro, N. C., for full particulars.

Port and Ship Measure Is Economic Question

John G. Dawson, state chairman of the Democratic executive committee, has issued a statement in which he states that the state ship and water transportation is not a political question, but is an economic question. He says that the Democratic party as a political organization would act unwisely in taking sides on the proposition.

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ASHEBORO SCHOOL HAS GOOD OPENING

Largest Enrollment in History of School—Indications Point To Good Year's Work.

Monday morning, September 8th, the Asheboro city school opened with the largest attendance in the history of the school. The opening day, there were 819 pupils enrolled. The numbers of the students in the various grades were as follows: First, 121; second, 102; third, 115; fourth, 107; fifth, 76; sixth, 78; seventh, 57; eighth, 40; ninth, 51; tenth, 30; eleventh, 22.

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LAY CORNERSTONE TRINITY SATURDAY

Masonic Ritual To Be Used—Prof. M. C. S. Noble Will Deliver the Address.

It has been announced by R. K. Stewart, Master of Numa F. Reid Lodge No. 344, A. F. and A. M., of High Point, that this lodge has accepted the invitation of the County Board of Education of Randolph county to lay the cornerstones of the new school building at Trinity, N. C.

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FOUR COMMUNITY FAIRS NEXT WEEK

First at Seagrave Tuesday—On Succeeding Days at Flint Hill, Holly Springs, Farmer.

Four community fairs will be held in the county next week. The first of these fairs will be held at Seagrave next Tuesday, September 16th. This will be the first event of its kind held at Seagrave, the fair there having been organized this year.

Maine Goes Republican

Unofficial returns from the election held in the state of Maine Monday night show that the Republicans elected their candidate for governor by a majority of approximately 50,000 votes.

Married In Circuit Court

An unusual setting for a marriage was that of the wedding of Miss Lila Bowman, of Climax, to Mr. Alfred G. Jobe, of Greensboro, which took place Thursday night of last week in the Bob Morton circus tent in Greensboro.

Alamance Democrats Name Ticket

The Democrats of Alamance county have named the following ticket for the fall election: For Sheriff, C. D. Story; Register, Deeds, Ben M. Rogers; Surveyor, Lewis H. Holt; Coroner, Dr. R. M. Trowler; Legislature, W. S. Coulter; State Senate, Adrian M. Carroll; County Manager, W. O. Warren; County Commissioners, John T. Love, Dr. Chas. E. Kernode, J. Archie Long and R. B. Newlin.

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Farmer Community Fair

The Community Fair at Farmer will be held on the 19th. People from all the surrounding sections are urged to bring something for exhibit. This fair is not intended for Farmer alone but for the whole southwestern part of the county.

Asheboro To Have Cash and Carry Grocery

The D. Fender Grocery Company, of Norfolk, Va., has leased to Mr. E. L. Hedrick the building now occupied as the Bulk sales room, next door to Cox-Lewis Hardware Company on Depot street, for the purpose of opening up a cash and carry grocery. Work will be started immediately in the installation of the furniture and fixtures necessary to the display and arrangement of the stock to be carried.

MORRISON OPENS FIGHT FOR PORTS

Says State Is Dependent on Railroads—Confident Port Development Will Pay.

Governor Cameron Morrison launched the campaign for the development of ports and water commerce for North Carolina at Rockingham Monday night and devoted his speech of an hour and a half to show the people why water transportation is essential. He made an earnest appeal for public support of the program of the state port and ship commission's program.

Democracy Shows Political Strategy

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COMMISSION NAILS MEEKINS' CHARGES

Supervision of Banks Not Political Question—Percentage Compared.

Isaac M. Meekins, Republican candidate for Governor, made a charge in his speech at Asheboro that the supervision of the state banks has been careless, and went on to state the large number of bank failures in comparison with national bank failures. He has continued to make this charge wherever he has made a speech.

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YOUTHFUL SLAYERS GET LIFE-TERM SENTENCE

Nathan F. Leopold, Jr., and Richard A. Loeb, two sons of millionaires of Chicago, tried for the kidnaping and murder of a schoolboy neighbor, Robert Franks, were yesterday morning sentenced to life term in the penitentiary by Judge John E. Calvery.

MT. OLIVET ITEMS

The young people from his section who have left for school are: Misses Ola and May Wynn, to Elise High School; Misses Gertrude and Swannia Bray, to Egarwood High School; and Miss Maude Lee Tyson, to Greensboro College.