

J. B. BACK HOME Mr. Duke Is In North Carolina.

MR. JAMES B. DUKE has been in North Carolina the past week looking over the various plants in which he is interested and making headquarters at Charlotte.

The Charlotte Observer of Monday last had this interesting character sketch and bit of history which makes pleasant reading and is a tribute well-deserved:

"The constructive desire may be said to be one of Mr. J. B. Duke's chief characteristics. And coupled with the desire is the determination and the ability to do, which makes his personality one of the most forceful in the world today.

"Everything is splendid but the plant is not ready," said he to his associates after he had gone over the entire development and the emphasis which he put upon the monosyllabic words 'not' and 'ready'.

"But the plant is not ready—this clause gives an insight into Mr. Duke's characteristic. He wants action and particularly that action which is of a constructive kind.

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Striking Personality.

"Mr. Duke is a very large man. He is ruddy of face and hair and his eyes are as clear as that of an eagle. The impression at once created is that of Gibraltar reserve force and power.

"Face Toward The South."

"Mr. Duke is one of the captains of the world's industry today. He has invested his millions in Piedmont Carolina and is giving to this section today more of his time and energy than to any other aggregation of enterprises in which he is interested.

"There are many interesting stories told of Mr. Duke. Thus for instance, he has converted one of the largest of his magnificent hot houses on his Somerville estate into a garden and is growing the old-fashioned 'greens' that he used to eat as a boy.

"In this connection a little story, rather personal, may give a keen insight into Mr. Duke's attitude and viewpoint. At Lookout Shoals working in old sweater and overalls, he was well-known to the old-timers, hardly more than 21 years of age who is telling along with the other hundreds of young fellows on the job.

WARNS DEMOCRATS. Party Must Be Alive To Needs of North Carolina Farmers.

In a recent interview in the Raleigh Times, Mr. John Sprunt Hill, of Durham, member of the National Rural Credits Commission, and the man who has taken up the fight for rural credits in this state, declared that the criticism he offered in his recent address before the North Carolina Farmers' Union against the Federal and State departments of agriculture, were not for political purposes.

Mr. Hill also declared that he had noticed that a great many farmers are becoming more and more lukewarm toward the Democratic party because of the apparent indifference of a great many of its leaders toward propositions in which the farmers are most interested.

"Apparently the department of agriculture of North Carolina does not intend to obey the command of the last legislature as laid down in the McRae rural credits bill, that is, to organize and conduct a bureau of information in regard to co-operative associations and credit unions, and to maintain an educational campaign in the state of North Carolina, looking to the promotion and organization of co-operative associations and credit unions.

"The State of North Carolina has \$90,915 to spend on demonstration work and only \$500 or thereabout to spend on rural credits. It looks therefore that it is time for private individuals to get busy and come to the rescue of an impoverished state.

TUBERCULOSIS SUNDAY.

Guilford County Medical Society Appeals To Ministers To Help.

The national Anti-Tuberculosis Society has undertaken a tremendous work. It is their object to have as many people examined, during the week of the 8th to the 12th of December as possible.

Every minister is interested, not only in every person in his church and congregation, but in the community, and we take it they will gladly help in this noble and altruistic work.

J. T. J. Battle, Chairman. F. C. Hyatt, W. M. Jones, V. T. Burrus, H. W. McCain, Committee.

Child Run Over.

Robert, the eleven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Watson, of Greensboro, was the victim of a very serious accident one day this week about 11 o'clock, when he was struck by an automobile driven by Mr. C. B. Hester and knocked down and dragged about 30 feet before the machine could be brought to a standstill.

The accident occurred in front of the Asheboro street graded school and apparently was unavoidable. The boy sustained painful bruises to his side, left shoulder and head, but it is thought if no internal injuries develop he will be out in a few days.

The lookout, came forward and addressed Mr. Duke as 'Daddy.' It was young Walter Inman, Mr. Duke's step-son. And then came the story. Several months ago, young Inman came of age and Mr. Duke called him into his room and told him that the time had come for him to decide what he was going to do with himself.

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Reminiscent.

In this Department the Old Man writes passing fancies—maybe recalling happenings of forty years ago—maybe something only a few months. All people live either in the past or the future. It is what you did yesterday or what you will do tomorrow. Never what you are doing now.

The Difference.

I went out of Greensboro on 37 on a bright Sunday morning. I had a round trip ticket—first class in every way, from Greensboro to San Francisco and return—good for nine months. I had a lower berth and looked like a railroad president.

The Old Days.

I have crossed the Continent 30 times—this will be my 31st trip, and I have had something to do with conductors.

But I wondered if General Passenger Agent Cary, or Traffic Manager Taylor or President Harrison had seen this servile Minion, what they would have said.

Just a swelled-headed Smart Aleck with cap and uniform of riding 37—the Premier train of the South. After I thought it over I wondered that he allowed me to ride in my lower 8.

A Thanksgiving Reunion.

Out at the home of Mr. John Davis in Deep River township, a Thanksgiving reunion was held that was a Thanksgiving right. Mr. John Phipps, of Greensboro, Indiana, who, after a long absence, has been with his wife on a visit to the family of Mr. M. D. Stafford, five miles from Greensboro, was guest of honor.

JUDGE ROUNDTREE'S SUCCESSOR

Stacy Appointed Superior Court Judge By Governor Craig.

The heartache is ended, so far at least, as the successor of Judge Roundtree is concerned. Governor Craig having named W. P. Stacy to that coveted position of honor and trust. Not in years, according to reports, had so much interest centered around any political appointment, there being in the county, at New Haven several well known attorneys upon whose shoulders the mantle of Judge Roundtree might fall gracefully and not undeservedly.

Henderson County Man Pardoned.

M. C. Lydia, convicted in Henderson county in 1907 of manslaughter, has been pardoned by Governor Locke Craig, the prisoner having served half of his term. The pardon was granted upon recommendation of Judge Long, and was the first recommendation for pardon made by Judge Long.

The Tobacco Farmer.

The live men who are running the Center Brick Warehouse report good sales and satisfactory prices. Farmers selling on the Greensboro market are pleased with the treatment they get from this firm, and when they go once they go again. Have you tried the Center Brick, Mr. Farmer?

JUST HOW YOU FEEL. If You Like Turkey All Right, Otherwise Raw Dog.

We were reading a Los Angeles paper the day after Thanksgiving, and the following local item caught our eye, and we know it will be read with interest by every woman who wonders over the eternal question of what to get to eat, and the men folk will see that dogs really have commercial value. The story read:

"What was probably the strangest Thanksgiving Day dinner served in the United States was the one around which the members of the Igorote village in Venke gathered yesterday.

"At 6 o'clock it was served, and as dog is to the Igorote what turkey is to the American, their menu was striking. Here it is: Dog Brain, Manila Way, Cocomat Oil, Salad Dressing, Pickled Dog Foot Jelly, Sweetbread, King Charles Spaniel, Roast English Bulldog, With Rice, American Potatoes, Stewed Grapes, Fried Liver, Pomeranian Pig, Baked Rice, Native Corn, Cake, Ice Cream, Pie, Manila Segars, Cow Milk, Wines.

"For three days the Igorotes had been preparing the meal. It was placed on a mat, which was placed on the ground, and around it the tribe gathered on their haunches."

THAT TRAINING CAMP.

We Were Sure That Greensboro Ought To Have It.

When the question of a military training camp for North Carolina was first discussed, this paper at once attempted to show why Greensboro had many points in its favor in the matter of location. We are glad to see that our always alert congressman and Greensboro booster is not letting any grass grow under his feet.

"Major Charles M. Stedman today urged Assistant Secretary of War Breckinridge to establish the proposed citizens' training camp which is to be located in North Carolina at Greensboro. Mr. Breckinridge told the Fifth district congressman that his request would be given serious consideration.

"Upon his return to his office, Major Stedman found a letter from Paul Schenk, of the Guilford Battalion Association, offering to let the government have the use of this historical battlefield if the camp is located at Greensboro."

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Premier Carrier Of The South—Schedule Figures Published Only As Information, Not Guaranteed. Trains leave Greensboro As Follows:

- 12.55 a. m. No. 112, daily. Local for Raleigh, Selma and Goldsboro. Pullman sleeping car Winston-Salem to Raleigh. Open berth 9.30 p. m. to 7 a. m. occupied in Raleigh until 7 a. m.
1.47 a. m. No. 30, daily. Birmingham Special. Pullman drawing room sleeping cars Birmingham to New York via Washington and observation sleeping car Atlanta to Richmond. Tourist car for Washington from San Francisco. Dining car service. Day coaches.
1.50 a. m. No. 29, daily. Birmingham Special. Pullman drawing room sleeping cars New York and Washington to Birmingham and observation sleeping car Richmond to Atlanta. Tourist car Washington to San Francisco via Sunset Route. Dining car service. Day coaches.
3.45 a. m. No. 31, daily. Augusta Special. Pullman drawing room sleeping cars New York to Augusta and Asheville and Washington to Charlotte and Asheville. Dining car service. Day coaches.
6.45 a. m. No. 11, daily. Local for Atlanta and points north. Pullman sleeping cars Richmond and Norfolk to Charlotte. Dining car service. Day coaches.
7.15 a. m. No. 37, daily. New York, Atlanta and New Orleans Limited. Solid Pullman with drawing room and open section sleeping cars New York and Washington to New Orleans and New York to New Orleans via Sunset Route. Dining car service. Day coaches.
7.30 a. m. No. 108, daily. Local for Raleigh.
7.30 a. m. No. 151, daily except Sunday. For Rameaux.
8.10 a. m. No. 44, daily. For Washington and points north.
8.15 a. m. No. 237, daily. For Winston-Salem and Washington. Handles Raleigh-Winston-Salem sleeping car.
8.20 a. m. No. 133, daily. For Mount Airy.
9.20 a. m. No. 144, daily. For Raleigh, Roundtree and connecting. Pullman chair car Charlotte to Raleigh.
12.30 p. m. No. 21, daily. For Salisbury, Statesville, Asheville and Waynesville. Open berth 9.30 p. m. to 7 a. m. Pullman chair car Goldsboro to Asheville.
12.45 p. m. No. 150, daily. For Sanford, Fayetteville and Wilmington.
12.50 p. m. No. 45, daily. Local for Charlotte, connecting for Columbia and Seneca.
1.30 p. m. No. 36, daily. U. S. Post Mail. For Washington and New York. Pullman drawing room and observation sleeping car New York. Dining car service. Day coaches.
1.40 p. m. No. 207, daily. For Winston-Salem, connecting daily except Sunday for North Wilkesboro.
2.30 p. m. No. 151, daily except Sunday. For Madison.
3.30 p. m. No. 230, daily except Sunday. For Rameaux.
4.15 p. m. No. 22, daily. For Raleigh, Selma and Goldsboro. Chair car Asheville to Goldsboro. Coaches.
5.05 p. m. No. 131, daily. For Mount Airy.
6.25 p. m. No. 235, daily. For Winston-Salem.
6.43 p. m. No. 43, daily. Local for Charlotte.
7.15 p. m. No. 132, daily. For Sanford.
7.20 p. m. No. 35, daily. U. S. Post Mail. For Atlanta, New Orleans and Birmingham. Pullman sleeping car New York to New Orleans and Birmingham. Dining car service. Day coaches.
7.30 p. m. No. 46, daily. Local for Danville.
10.20 p. m. No. 12, daily. Local for Richmond. Pullman sleeping cars Charlotte to Richmond and Norfolk.
10.35 p. m. No. 32, daily. Augusta Special. Pullman drawing room sleeping cars Augusta and Asheville to New York and Charlotte and Asheville to Washington. Dining car service. Day coaches.
10.35 p. m. No. 233, daily. For Winston-Salem.
11.15 p. m. No. 38, daily. New York, Atlanta and New Orleans Limited. Pullman drawing room and observation sleeping cars New Orleans and Macon to Washington and New York. Dining car service. No coaches.
R. H. DEBUTTS, Division Passenger Agent, Charlotte, N. C.
C. G. PICKARD, Passenger and Ticket Agent, Greensboro, N. C.
THE SOUTHERN SERVES THE SOUTH.

WHO'S WHO In Dogdom.

Mr. A. M. Paulson, of Saint Paul, Minnesota, has a dog that should be on the tariff commission. He has an eye to business and could give several Greensboro spendthrift pointers. The story, authenticated comes as follows:

The latest achievement of the animal was brought about when Mrs. Paulson was re-covering the pantry shelves with newspapers.

The dog watched while papers were cut and fitted to the shelves. Suddenly it made a dash out of the kitchen door and over the fence.

In about five minutes it returned with a newspaper in its mouth.

Feast Of Dedication.

Hanukkah, the Jewish Feast of Dedication, began Thursday evening, lasting eight days.

The account of its origin is set forth in the Books of the Maccabees. The Syrian King.

The distinctive ceremonial feature of this festival today is the kindling of lights in the home and in the synagogue; one on the first evening, the number being increased by one on each consecutive evening until eight lights are lit on the last evening of the festival. Special prayers inspired by the historic event commemorating the triumph of monotheism over heathenism, of the forces of light over the forces of darkness are recited. Special Scriptural portions are read in the synagogue. The festival does not call for cessation from labor and is, therefore, regarded as one of the two minor feasts in the Jewish calendar. In modern times children's festivals, in which the story and significance of the feast are recounted, have become a marked feature of the celebration of the Feast of Dedication.

Ten Years In The Pen.

At the Rowan county court, in session this week, Judge J. T. J. Shaw, of Greensboro, presiding, S. P. Starnes, the young man who attempted to rob the passenger station at Salisbury some weeks ago was found guilty and given a sentence of ten years in the penitentiary.

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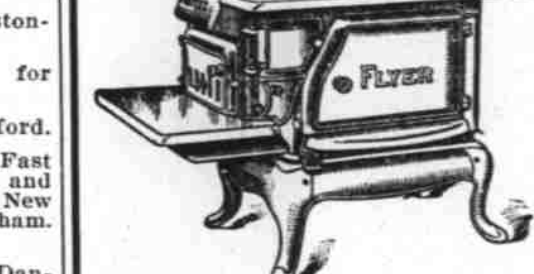
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E. P. Huffines, 766 lbs., for \$156.62; average \$20.45. Tom Ballard, 584 lbs., for \$121.54; average \$17.36. J. L. Cobb, 744 lbs., for \$122.12; average \$16.41. D. C. Long, 458 lbs., for \$86.56; average \$14.53. W. L. Lindsey, 578 lbs., for \$101.07; average \$17.49. Shield & Whiteheart, 1624 lbs., for \$193.75; average \$11.90. A. C. Lambeth 514 lbs., for \$63.72; average, \$12.38.

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