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CENTRAL CAROLINA FAIR BEGINS TODAY

Gates Will Swing Open at 9:30 O'clock.

THE WEATHER IDEAL.

Will Be Biggest and Best Fair in History of Association—Ideal Weather Looked For, Also Thousands of Visitors—Many Exhibits—Free Attractions—Music by Union Textile Band—Today's Racing.

The Central Carolina Fair begins this morning and for the next four days this annual event will be the feature in Greensboro and Guilford county. The gates will be opened this morning at 9:30 to admit the thousands that will be waiting on the outside. The prospects are for the largest attendance in the history of the fair association.

The weather prospects are fine indeed, the present predictions being for fair weather throughout the entire week. The rain of Friday and Saturday of last week settled the dust and prepared for ideal conditions. While the rain somewhat retarded the preparations it is thought that everything will be in first class shape when the gates open and by the afternoon at any rate.

Yesterday afternoon the buzz of saws and the strokes of hundreds of hammers told plainer than words of the active preparations of the showmen as well as the exhibitors. But few of the exhibits had been completed, but a majority of them were finished last night. Every bit of space has been taken and the exhibits will be both larger and better than in previous years. In the main building will be found nearly every article from a hemstitched handkerchief to a miniature flying machine. On the midway there will be better and cleaner shows than ever before. The "home" shows, which usually do business on Mondays before the fair, were conspicuous yesterday by their absence. Secretary Daniel states that he refused to allow these shows this year.

The agricultural exhibits were coming in yesterday afternoon, but a majority of the farm products will be brought in this morning as it takes only a few minutes to get them in place. A majority of the live stock will be brought in this morning also. The poultry building is rapidly being filled and the management believe this department will be better than ever before. And a large portion of the exhibits will be by members of the Guilford County Poultry Association.

Then there will be better free attractions this year than ever before. Three balloons will race daily, provided the weather conditions permit. The preliminary arrangements have all been made and nothing remains for the aeronauts to do but swing the canvas bags into place and fill 'em with gas. Two balloons have raced before, but the patrons of the fair have never seen three of the big bags go up as one. Then there are the acrobatic stunts of the Cornells, six in number. And at night there will be fireworks. Heretofore the management has charged an admission to the fireworks, but this year they will be free to all.

The music will be made by the Union Textile Band, composed of sixty or seventy pieces. This is the first time the management has been able to secure a band.

Secretary Daniel was a busy person yesterday, giving his personal attention to the thousand and one details that are essential to the success of the fair. He was a showman who was a little late in securing a location while just behind him was some one desiring information regarding a particular exhibit. Then there were the entry books to be checked, passes issued to the employees and show people and other matters too numerous to mention. "The busier I am the brighter the prospects for a fine fair," said Mr. Daniel, "so I am not minding a little extra work. I have been working for months to give the citizens of Central Carolina the biggest fair yet and if I succeed then I will be content."

The Public Service Company employees were also quite busy. A large number of the larger shows will use electricity for illuminating their tents and considerable wire was stretched yesterday. Then several of the exhibitors

will use motors to operate their machinery.

A force was at work on the race track yesterday and the course is being gotten in fine condition. The recent rain enabled the management to put the track in much better shape than could have been done had the track been dusty. The outlook is for some of the finest racing ever seen in the state and it is confidently expected that some records will be broken. There will be racing each afternoon and there are numerous entries for each event. The following entries have been made for the three events this afternoon:

2:27 Trot, Purse \$300.

J. B. J. W. Burroughs, Durham, N. C. Edna E., J. W. Burroughs, Durham, N. C. No. 156 Carolina Belle, J. R. Green, Winston, N. C.

My Phair, H. D. Allen, Milledgeville, Ga. Bessie Direct, H. D. Allen, Milledgeville, Ga.

Prince Leo, Walton Farms, Falls Mill, Va.

Red Caliban, Walton Farm, Falls Mill, Va.

Country Boy, F. B. Grove, Jr., Washington, D. C.

Von March, F. B. Grove, Jr., Washington, D. C.

Virginia Boy, G. M. Harden, Raleigh, N. C.

Nominy, G. M. Harden, Raleigh, N. C. Essie M., Jon. B. Jones, Augusta, Ga.

Omar, C. B. Tansy, Agent, Chattanooga, Tenn.

Crescens, Jr., M. E. Doyle, Lynchburg, Va.

Lady Halifax, M. E. Doyle, Lynchburg, Va.

Helen J., Geo. G. Stiles, Rome, Ga. Greyhound, George G. Stiles, Rome, Ga.

Drifsonia, I. G. Stelle, Newark, N. J. Jape Todd, I. G. Stelle, Newark, N. J.

Ruby Wilton, S. S. McDonald, Columbus, Ohio.

Esper Ann, Geo. W. Riley, Xenia, O. Moquette, Jr., Geo. W. Riley, Xenia, O.

Dolly Dillard, Exum & Drake, Bennettsville, S. C.

Miss Austen, F. A. Barnes, Roanoke, Va.

Paul West View Farm, Winston-Salem, N. C.

Patters, Ollie Hayes, Nashville, Tenn. Edith Hengate, M. E. Doyle, Lynchburg, Va.

Roan Hal, M. E. Doyle, Lynchburg, Va.

Tornia Wilkes, Herman Tyson, Newark, Del.

Frank S., S. C. Bull, Olney, Va. Elio, H. H. Hughes, Lynchburg, Va.

Little Joe, Joseph Hanner, Roanoke, Va.

Bessie Gentry, H. Cannon, Florence, S. C.

Silver Dick, Tickle & Mitchell, Jefferson, Mo.

2:22 Trot, Purse \$300.

Bertie Gallant, C. B. Tansy, Chattanooga, Tenn.

Aurelia, Edge Hill Farm, Shawsville, Va.

Lit. H. Boswell, Portsmouth, Va.

Fred Patchen, West View Farm, Winston-Salem, N. C.

Black Streak, E. C. Leach, Norfolk, Va.

William L., E. C. Leach, Norfolk, Va.

J. B. Bellewood Farm, Durham, N. C. McBow, Geo. G. Stiles, Rome, Ga.

Lady Halifax, M. E. Doyle, Lynchburg, Va.

Crescens, Jr., M. E. Doyle, Lynchburg, Va.

School Boy, M. E. Doyle, Lynchburg, Va.

Elk, Giles & Company, Danville, Va.

Paul G., G. M. Harden, Raleigh, N. C.

Mr. Cone's Condition.

The condition of Mr. Sol N. Cone, who was found in his room with a bullet hole in his head Saturday morning, was reported as resting well at a late hour last night. His physicians state that his recovery is practically assured. While Mr. Cone is able to talk no mention of the shooting has been made by him and it has been deemed best to say nothing to him about it until he is completely out of danger.

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THE UNIVERSITY ALUMNI BANQUET

Annual Event of Guilford Association.

It Will Take Place Tomorrow Evening In Dining Hall of State Normal and Industrial College—Addresses by Hannis Taylor, Josephus Daniels, Z. V. Walsler and Others—Mr. A. M. Scales To Act As Toastmaster.

The Guilford County Alumna Association of the State University will give the annual banquet on Wednesday evening at 9 o'clock in the dining hall of the State Normal and Industrial College, this being "University Day." Addresses will be made by several distinguished speakers, Dr. J. E. Brooks, president of the association, will preside and Mr. A. M. Scales will act as toastmaster. The invocation will be by Rev. Walter Curtis.

There are about seventy-five members of the Guilford Association and it is expected that practically every member will attend the banquet.

The banquet will follow the presentation of the portrait of Mrs. Cornelia Phillips Spencer to the State Normal College, the gift of members of the University Alumni. Following the banquet the following program will be observed:

Twenty Minute Addresses.

Hon. Hannis Taylor—The University, The Guide of My Footsteps.

Hon. Josephus Daniels—The State and Education.

Dr. Hubert A. Royster—Education and Its Counterparts.

Hon. Zebulon V. Walsler—Michigan and Carolina.

Dr. Francis P. Venable—The University.

Mr. Wiley H. Swift—Progress in Education.

Short Talks.

Hon. John A. Barringer.

Dr. D. H. Hill.

Hon. J. Allen Holt.

Dr. J. Y. Joyner.

Mr. A. W. McAlister.

Dr. J. I. Foust—The Value of the Guilford Alumni Association.

BEFORE JUDGE EURE.

Several Cases Disposed of In Municipal Court Yesterday Morning.

When Judge Eure convened Municipal Court yesterday morning he found several cases awaiting disposal. There were only two cases of importance, however. Frank Green, the negro arrested Saturday afternoon on the charge of larceny, was given a hearing. Judge Eure sentenced him to one year on the roads. Green had previously been tried before Justice of the Peace Collins on the charge of the larceny of \$10 from Zil Freeman and bound over to Municipal court by the justice. In this case Judge Eure added another year on the roads, making a total of two years. The authorities first thought the latter case would be highway robbery, but an investigation showed that the crime was larceny.

Dr. C. E. Moore was charged with assaulting Mr. E. W. Lyon, but the defendant was found not guilty.

Neal Holmes was found guilty of an assault, being fined \$5 and costs. W. H. Pool was fined \$5 and costs for an assault.

Gaston Rackley was arraigned on the charge of selling cigars on Sunday, the case being continued until this morning. R. M. C. Jones, a traveling man, was arraigned on the same charge. He was found guilty, judgment being suspended for the present. It seems that after the officer had cited Rackley to appear in court for the offense the traveling man stepped behind the show case and sold cigars. He was promptly cited to appear before Judge Eure.

Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Household Economics of the Woman's Club, which was to have been held Thursday, Oct. 13, has been postponed until Thursday, Oct. 20, on account of a large number of the members wishing to attend the fair.

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RESOURCES OF BANKS IN STATE

Large Increase During The Past Year.

Gain of Over Seven Million Dollars According to Report of Corporation Commission—Assets of Banking Institutions in State Over \$58,352,000—New Directors of Soldiers' Home—Plans For S. A. L. Passenger Station.

Raleigh, Oct. 10.—The resources of the state, private and savings banks in North Carolina have increased during the past year \$7,730,964, the aggregate at the close of business September 1, being, according to a summary of reports just issued by the Corporation Commission, \$58,352,000. The capital stock has increased during the year \$1,008,187. The capital stock is \$48,767,990 and the surplus fund \$1,940,761, a gain of \$350,892 and the undivided profits, \$1,886,893, a gain of \$173,191. The savings deposits have reached the creditable sum total of \$8,470,586, an increase of \$1,799,576 within the year. The deposits subject to check round up \$22,828,437, this being a gain of \$1,477,173. The total assets of the banks is \$58,352,185.

Dr. D. E. Everitt and Col. W. P. Wood are commissioned by Governor Kitchin as directors of the Soldier's Home. Dr. Everitt is appointed in the stead of the late Col. A. B. Strohnach and Col. Wood in the stead of the late Dr. B. F. Dixon, state auditor. Dr. Everitt is a prominent dentist here and Col. Wood, of Randolph county, is the Democratic nominee for the state auditorship to fill out the two years remaining of the term of Dr. Dixon as state auditor.

Governor Kitchin issued a commission today to Dr. N. B. McCallan, of Salisbury, as a director of the North Carolina railroad. He is to fill out the unexpired term of the late L. E. Heilig.

There was submitted to the Corporation Commission today for its approval the plans for a new passenger station by the Seaboard Air Line at Shelby to take the place of the old combination freight and passenger station against which citizens have been complaining to the commission. The proposed new station is a commodious one costing something like \$10,000. The commission will pass on the plans later.

The receivership of the Grand Theatre here was made permanent today by order of Judge C. M. Cooke and Francis Cox continued for the permanent receivership. Its affairs are to be wound up without interfering with the lease of Lesse Finch so that the play house will continue right along and swing out according to program October 15, as the theatre for the Klaws & Erlanger (theatrical trust) plays coming this way.

There was another chapter today in the habeas corpus case involving Mrs. C. L. Petty and her six-year-old daughter. Two weeks ago Chief Justice Clark, of the Supreme court, directed that the child be restored to the mother by Mrs. D. M. Smith, of Bladen county, who claimed that the child had been given to her to rear. The mother claimed that she had only allowed the child to go to Mrs. Smith for a visit. The mother two weeks ago proved a good character and won the child. Since then, however, the opposition has gathered evidence claimed to impeach the moral fitness of Mrs. Petty to have the training of her daughter, hence the rehearing. Judge Clark heard the evidence against Mrs. Petty today and gave her lawyers until next Monday to gather evidence in rebuttal. Just as the case was called this morning in the Supreme court room C. E. Musser informed his wife from whom he is separated, that he intended to take steps right away to procure a divorce from her. This caused Mrs. Musser to topple over in a faint that stirred no end of excitement for a time. It was by Mrs. Musser, who boarded at the same place as Mrs. Petty, that the latter proved her good character in the former hearing thereby gaining the verdict of the court. It is since that trial that the Mussers have separated and Mr. Musser, a well known

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linotyper here, is a chief witness against Mrs. Petty.

His many friends here are giving Mr. Edward L. Conn a hearty welcome back to Raleigh. He comes for a two weeks visit, being now on the staff of the Baltimore Sun as telegraph editor. He was for a long while on the News and Observer here both in the capacity of local man and editor of special editions, being especially well known all over the State. His friends are delighted at the exceptionally good record for efficiency that he is making in his enlarged field of endeavor.

A class of orphans from the North Carolina Masonic Orphanage at Oxford gave a concert tonight under the auspices of the three Raleigh lodges and were accorded exceptionally fine patronage. Their concert, too, was one of special merit. They are on a trip over the state in the interest of the orphanage.

CORPSE TRAVELS FREE ON PASS HELD IN LIFE

Widow of Lumberman Insists Husband Travel on Frank in Death as He Had Alive.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 10.—Claiming that her deceased husband was just as much entitled to travel on a free pass as when he was alive, Mrs. John Chadwick, of Black Bay, on the Hood Canal, staggered L. K. Purcell, of the steamship State of Washington, by refusing to pay freight on his corpse, which she had brought to the vessel for shipment to Seattle.

"My husband had a free pass on the State of Washington when he was alive," she said to Purser Purcell, "and no one is going to prevent him traveling on it when he is dead, poor fellow."

Mrs. Chadwick had placed her husband's body in its coffin on the steamship, and Purcell, who is one of the most considerate officers in the service of the Puget Sound Navigation Company, hesitated to order it put ashore when she refused to pay charges.

He reasoned with the widow, telling her that she really ought to pay the regular charge, and much as he personally would like to oblige her by allowing the corpse to travel on free he was only a purser and had no choice in the matter.

A crisis was rapidly approaching when Purcell deciding to let the higher officials of the company settle the matter, wired to L. A. Miller, freight and passenger agent for the Puget Sound Navigation Company.

An examination of the records satisfied Miller that Chadwick, who had a lumber tract at Black Bay, held a life pass.

When Purcell read the freight agent's reply telegram: "Let the corpse travel free and collect pass," the widow heaved a sigh of satisfaction and said she knew she would win out.

MR. JUSTICE TONIGHT.

Will Make Political Speech in Court House At Seven-Thirty O'clock.

Tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the county court house Mr. E. J. Justice will make a political speech. A large crowd is expected to be present as Mr. Justice will reply to the letter written by District Attorney Holton in reply to Chairman Sherrill's challenge for a joint debate between Mr. Justice and Mr. Holton.

It will be remembered that Mr. Holton in his reply suggested that Mr. Justice and Gov. Kitchin first discuss their differences as he, Mr. Holton, fully agreed with Mr. Justice in his views regarding the trusts and possibly the tariff.

Chairman Sherrill, stated last night that he had not decided who would preside over the meeting. He will try to arrange for special music by a brass band.

Mrs. C. S. Kirby Dead.

Mrs. Hattie Josephine Kirby, wife of Mr. C. S. Kirby, of 757 Percy street, died yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at St. Leo's hospital. The body was taken to the undertaking rooms of Huntley-Stockton-Hill Company and prepared for burial. It will be sent to Danville on No. 36 today for interment. Danville having been the former home of Mrs. Kirby. She was 23 years old and leaves her husband and four small children, one of them an infant.

To Take Action on Pastor.

A special conference of the congregation of the First Baptist church will be held at the church next Sunday week for the purpose of taking action on the recommendations of the special committee having in charge the calling of a pastor for the church.

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JUNIOR LEAGUE PRIZE WINNERS

Successful Participants Awarded Prizes.

Little Civic Workers Rewarded For Their Efforts During Spring and Summer Months—The Winners of the Several Prizes—Other Contestants Awarded Tickets To Fair—Talks by Messrs. R. C. Hood and W. H. Swift.

It was quite an interesting occasion yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Carnegie Library when the prizes in the Junior Civic League contest were awarded by Mayor Stafford in the presence of the ladies' committee and others. The winners were as follows:

Hood prize, \$5.00—Alice Saleeby, Mebane street.

Hood prize, \$2.00—Linda Kerry, Mebane street.

Hood prize, \$2.00—Cleo and Annie Denny, McIver street.

Hood prize, \$2.00—Rudolph Bernau, N. Edgeworth street.

Hood prize, \$1.00—Allie King, Bellemade avenue.

Hood prize, \$1.00—Kate and Susie Hogthead, Keogh street.

Hood prize, \$1.00—Clara Stafford, W. Washington street.

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Hunter prize, \$5.00—Tyree Dodson, Summit avenue.

Newell prize—Bicycle lamp—Wills Hunter, Pearson street.

Wharton prize, \$5.00—Nellie Rickman, West Gaston street.

Ireland prize, pair of roller skates—Lola Pike, Green street.

Bernau prize, Eastman Kodak—Catherine Klingman, Washington street.

Oettinger prize, \$2.00—Mary Belle and Alma Council, North Davie street.

Beall Hardware Co., prize—Julian McClamroch, East Washington street.

Howard Gardner prize—Blanche Sternberger, Summit avenue.

Howard Gardner prize—Mabel Alderman, West Market street.

Meyer's Department Store prize—Frances White, North Cedar street.

Meyer's Department Store prize—Mary Belle Glenn, North Elm street.

Meyer's Department Store prize—Isabel Bouldin, Edgeworth street.

Through the courtesy of the Central Carolina Fair Association and the Jos. J. Stone Printing Company contestants who failed to win prizes were each presented with a complimentary ticket to the fair, in recognition of their efforts.

Following the awarding of prizes, former Superintendent of Schools W. H. Swift and Mr. Robert C. Hood made short talks of good cheer and encouragement to the workers for civic improvement.

The following committee from the Civic Department of the Woman's Club had charge of the exercises: Mrs. Al Fairbrother, chairman; Mrs. A. B. Kimball, Mrs. E. Sternberger, Mrs. B. MacKenzie, Miss Meta Beall. This committee has supervision of the work of the Junior Civic League and the contest for the prizes was under its direction. They have labored arduously to make the contest for the prizes a success, which it certainly was.

Mrs. Spiers' Art Exhibit.

Mrs. J. A. Spiers, of Selma, a graduate of Greensboro Female College and who has many friends here among the former students and alumnae of that institution, is one of the exhibitors in the art department at the Central Carolina Fair. Mrs. Spiers took her first lessons in art under Miss Elizabeth Porter, of G. F. College. She has on exhibit at the Fair a beautiful line of hand decorated porcelain. At the last State Fair she took a majority of the prizes given over ten contestants.

Manufacturing Concern Doing Well.

A new manufacturing concern here which is doing well is the Durham Can Manufacturing Co. Mr. Whitaker, the manager, states that the company is behind with its orders and has a fine outlook for continued good business.

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