

NDAY TO BE FIREOM CAROLINA AND CITY

Fire Department and the School Children to Participate in Drills—Day Begins Cleanup Week in the Community

Monday will be Fire Prevention Day in the State. It is set apart by the Governor in a proclamation. Insurance Commissioner James R. Young in circulars, gives rules for the prevention of fires and calls upon the public to assist his department in the reduction of life and property losses. Mayor Fred I. Sutton Saturday announced that next week will be "Clean Up Week" in the city, during which all persons are requested to rid their premises of all litter in which fires might originate, and stated that Monday would be observed in the schools and by the Fire Department in proper ways. There will be fire drills and exercises in the schools, and the firemen will make a test run which promises to be spectacular and a good advertisement for the occasion.

FIDDLERS' FROLIC WAS A FEAST OF FUN

More than a score of fiddlers, banjoists, dancers, etc., from the county round about Kinston, some of them from quite a distance, participated in an old-time "fiddlers' convention" in the Courthouse Friday night. Never was anything more enjoyable pulled off here. Some of the contestants were old in years; but all were young in spirit. Laughter and rollicking backwoods music prevailed from 8 until 11 p. m. The expenses were quite heavy, but notwithstanding, the receipts were large enough to leave a handsome little profit, which was turned over by the management to the United Charities. Deputy Sheriff H. V. Allen was in supreme command; Register of Deeds Carl Pridgen was the announcer; Col. H. E. Shaw, Policeman J. W. Taylor and Mr. Wm. Hayes, superintendent of the Carolina R. R., were the judges. Not content with the fiddling and banjoing and dancing, the promoters had on hand a "scrub" band, which proved not to be a scrub band at all.

Some of the participants laughed steadily throughout their little skits. It was a sunshine occasion. Fiddlers' and dancers' smiles outshone the artificial illumination of mere punty little electric lamps. There was one drawback—two fiddlers proved to be violinists and rendered "educated" music. They were "promptly" eliminated—after they had delighted the large audience with a number of very good selections. Announcer Pridgen was an imposing figure on the rostrum; Colonel Shaw shed the stiff legal manner of the public prosecutor and added to the occasion with his evident pleasure at being present.

The fiddlers were quite particular. One wanted organ accompaniment. There were several teams competing. Two of the first prize—\$10. Comprising one were Messrs. Joel Howard, J. L. Davis, B. F. Williams, Ivey Fordham and Ivey Davis; those sharing with them were Messrs. W. D. Wiley, W. G. Howard, Robert Thornton and Lawrence Howard. Mr. Thornton won the first prize of \$5 in the banjo contest. "Arkansaw Traveller" was the selection of highest class admitted.

DEATH PENALTY FOR BANDITS IN MEXICO

(By the United Press)
Mexico City, Oct. 7.—Carranza is said to be preparing a decree establishing the death penalty for banditry throughout the republic.

AMERICAN KILLED IN AIR RAID; PROTEST

(By the United Press)
Petrograd, Oct. 7.—With one American killed in a German air raid over Bucharest, the Roumanian government has appealed to neutrals against the killing of non-combatants.

ITALIAN ARMY IN OCTOBER, THE 25TH THE NEAR EASTERN TO BE SCHOOL DAY ALLIED OFFENSIVE AT THE LOCAL FAIR

Joins With British, French and Serbs in Vardar Sector—Roumanians Have Lost 50,000 Men in Two Weeks

(By the United Press)
Paris, Oct. 7.—The Italians have taken the offensive in the Balkans in co-operation with the British, French, and Serbs attacking east of Vardar, it is said officially.
Tevny Roumanian Losses.
Berlin, Oct. 7.—The Roumanians have lost fifty thousand men in two weeks in Transylvania in defeats by Falkenhayn. Budapest dispatches say entire regiments have been annihilated.
Russian Victory.
Petrograd, Oct. 7.—The Russians have won a victory in Dobruja over Von Mackensen's German-Bulgarian army, occupying the villages of Karabaka and Besaul and the intermediate heights, it is officially said.

YOUTH HAS LEG BROKEN WHEN AUTO GOES DOWN BANK; FOUR UNDER CAR

Lawrence Howard of Deep Run had his right leg broken and several ribs had no row escape when an automobile, driven by Walter Howard, went off the Dam road about a mile from the city shortly after 12 o'clock Saturday morning. The car went down the steep embankment, turning turtle over the occupants, who were the Howards, Dan Wiley and Henry Cunningham, all of the county. The car was little injured and two of the party, after it had been gotten back upon the road, proceeded home in it. Young Lawrence Howard was brought here for medical attention. Others of the party sustained trifling injuries.

CUBAN SHIP ASHORE OFF CAROLINA COAST

(By the United Press)
Norfolk, Oct. 7.—The Cuban steamer Paloma, from New York to Cuba, is about two miles north of Beaufort, North Carolina.

Like City's Paving.

Major John M. Burke, forty years with Buffalo Bill, and now a sort of advance man for the famous Cody, was a very interesting visit to Kinston Saturday. The major himself is famous. He has traveled in practically every country, has been interviewed by more newspapers than many a political party boss, and is apt to say a bad word or two in the presence of most anyone and then toss his hat in apology in a manner that simply delights. He has scars on his face from the War Between the States, declares he is a Southern gentleman and looks the part, and confides as a secret that he is entitled to be called "Major" because he hales from Maryland, and everyone there who is not a major is in jail. New York would blush with pride to have Kinston's streets, was a flattering compliment to the city. He never saw but one small place as well paved—a little Montana town that spent \$3,000,000 on streets at one time.
He Hold Highway Meeting.
It is planned to hold a meeting of Lenoir, Jones and Onslow county people sometime in November to discuss the proposed Kinston-Swainsboro highway, which has the backing of the local Chamber of Commerce. Trenton and Maysville business men are understood to be as heartily in favor of the proposition as those of Swainsboro and the city.

Rome, Oct. 7.—A Zurich dispatch today asserted that the Kaiser had personally appealed to President Wilson to end the war, but that the President had refused to intervene at this time.

Pupils From Wide Territory to Come for Occasion. To Hold Exercises—Procession Expected to Surpass Last Year's

Wednesday, October 25, will be "School Day" at the coming Ten-Country Fair. It is announced. A special program will be presented by the children. The little ones from the surrounding country will be the guests of the city and the Fair Association for the day. An interesting feature will be moving pictures loaned by the State, an exhibit very popular in North Carolina now, the Educational Department of the association announces.
The appearance of thousands of little ones in a parade here last year was a feature of the first fair that will not be forgotten for years to come. The tots and their teachers and parents marched in a monster procession that was viewed with more pride by Kinstonians than anything in the city's history.

BOTH TEAMS PREPARE FOR HISTORY-MAKING SERIES; ODDS CLOSE

(By HAMILTON, United Press Staff Correspondent)
Boston, Oct. 7.—As the Nation waited with expectant ears, the Brooklyn Dodgers and Boston Red Sox met here today in a collision whose result, the snarl will be heard from Maine to California. Under ideal weather conditions, with indications pointing to a crowd of 30,000 or more, the winners of the American and National League pennants met for the first game of the world's series on the "Jumbo" field at 2 o'clock this afternoon.
Never in baseball history have two championship teams met in a baseball game after such wild scrambling for pennants as they played. Both were determined to put up one goshawful fight.

Bill Marquard, cast off by the New York Giants, but the idol of the Brooklyn fans, was probably to catch the opener. Loaned was the regular mound chance for Boston, Babe Ruth and Carl Mays, the untried twister, also were possible. Marquard defeated the Red Sox in the 1912 series when with the Giants. His pitch, assert Marquard, is as good as ever.

Conditions of Play.

National and American League pennant winners have met in world series once in every year since 1903 with the exception of 1904.

The series is for four out of seven games. The national commission has full charge of the games, it collects all money from the gate and divides it amongst players, clubs and the National Commission. The Commission appoints the official scorers for the games and decides the prices of admission. The schedule of games is arranged under its supervision.

Money from the first four games is divided three ways:
Sixty per cent. to the players, 10 per cent. to the Commission and 30 per cent. to the club owners, to be split evenly between the clubs. The 60 per cent. which goes to the players is cut—60 per cent. to the winning team and 40 per cent. to the losing team. After the first four games all of the money received with the exception of the Commission's ten per cent. goes to the club owners for a fifty-fifty split. The players share in only the first four games.

Pieces for this year's games are \$5 for box seats, \$3 in the grandstand, \$2 pavilion and \$1 general admission.
When the New York Giants won a world's championship in 1905 from the Philadelphia Athletics the Philadelphia fans were shut out in all four games they lost. The single game they won from the Giants was also a shutout. Mathewson pitched three of the New York victories.

FRANCE WON'T HEAR OF PEACE; GETTING SWEET REVENGE NOW

Violently Angry When Holland Sounded Out Beliegers Recently

ALL OTHERS GAVE EAR

The Dutch Convinced That Peace Is a Long Way Off. Germany Has Faith in Arms—Neutrals Consider Deutschland Doomed

(By CARL W. ACKERMAN, United Press Staff Correspondent)
The Hague, Oct. 7.—The Dutch government in only two months ago sounded the European belligerents on the prospects for peace. The United Press informed. Every belligerent except France expressed willingness to enter into informal discussions. France's reply was such a fiery refusal that it was described as "almost an ultimatum."
Holland has resumed the negotiations, announced that peace is in sight.
A wide chain of opinion is apparent among the belligerents and the neutrals of the others. Copenhagen, Amsterdam and Stockholm, the neutrals, are about to fall in line. It is believed that Germany's offensive have not with a few weeks, as do. The Hague's position is faith in the arm. Everybody here moves and follows in the wake of the Germans. The words of the Belgians and other neutrals in the army are crowded with address all the time, outside the statement that Germany has exhausted her reserves. Germany believes Britain is broken in soldiers. "The British are home 5,000 a day," the neutrals German points out.
United States Not Hopeful.
Washington, Oct. 7.—The President of the United States has not a prominent feature in bringing about peace in Europe is doubtful daily. In the general belief in official circles. However, some of the neutrals, advised by the President to the United States, the Dutch, despite Von Bismarck's denial.

PRESIDENT BACK AT THE SUMMER CAPITAL

Washington, Oct. 7.—President Wilson is back at the White House this afternoon.

THINGS THAT NEVER HAPPEN



MAY START WORK ON PASSENGER STATION AT AN EARLY TIME

Railroads Have Not Been Able to Get Together on Proposed Changes in the Plans—Public to Have a Say in the Matter

There is a chance that work on the union passenger station in the southwestern part of the city will be commenced in a short time now, it is learned from a most authoritative source.

A blue-print was submitted by the Atlantic Coast Line to the Norfolk Southern on June 15. The latter company asked for some changes, it is known, and the two have not been able to get together upon the proposed alterations. "It will not be long before the plans are ready to be submitted to the people through the Corporation Commission in the usual way," it is said.
The Norfolk Southern is to clear the property purchased of buildings preparatory to construction.

Masons to Meet.

There will be a regular communication of St. John's Lodge No. 4, A. F. and A. M., Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Ward for Assault, Etc.

That Tyndall, convicted of an assault with a revolver upon Josh Simons, colored, and carrying a weapon, was fined \$50 and \$25 in the respective cases, the costs imposed, and a peace bond of \$200 exacted, in Recorder's Court Friday afternoon. Charlie Hatch, colored baggage man at the Norfolk Southern station, was discharged in a case in which he was charged with being the owner of 27 quarts of whisky seized by the police near the station.

WHY SUFFER SO?

Why suffer from a bad back, from sharp, shooting twinges, headaches, dizziness and distressing urinary ills? Kinston people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Could you ask for stronger proof of merit?
G. A. Wilkins, Caswell Hotel, Kinston, says: "I had terrible pains in my back and hips and suffered from rheumatic twinges in my shoulders. I had headaches and dizzy spells and the kidney secretions were scanty and contained sediment. I used Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Doan's Standard Drug Store, and they cured me of all signs of kidney trouble."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that cured Mr. Wilkins, Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. S. adv.

COTTON

Between 100 and 150 bales of cotton were sold here Saturday. Prices ranged from 16.15 to 16.60.

| New York futures quotations were: | Open | Close |
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| January | 16.95 | 17.22 |
| March | 17.12 | 17.40 |
| May | 17.29 | 17.52 |
| July | 17.34 | 17.55 |
| October | 16.90 | 16.99 |
| December | 17.10 | 17.27 |

BAMBRICK DIES FOR POLICEMAN'S MURDER

New York, Oct. 27.—Despite an eleventh-hour plea to reprieve from fifty prominent businessmen, Thomas Bambrick was today electrocuted at Sing Sing for the murder of a policeman.

KINSTON HIGHS HAD SOFT SNAP WASHINGTON

The local High School football eleven had a walkover at Washington Friday afternoon, defeating the Washington Highs by the score of 13 to 0. It was the first game of the season for both teams. The Washingtons play here later in the month.

NO KICK FROM THIS COUNTRY OVER THE COLONIZATION PLAN

If Russia Wants to Deport Poles to South America, United States Won't Protest—No Harm From Such Business

(By the United Press)
Washington, Oct. 7.—Russia's gigantic colonization scheme in South America is unlikely to be opposed by the United States as an infraction of the Monroe doctrine, if land grants are not made to the Russian Government, say State Department officials. The wholesale removal of Poles from their native land of Poland is not to be expected before the end of the war. Much of Poland is now occupied by Germans. Russia does not want to deport potential soldiers at present, it is believed.

In regard to the Monroe Doctrine, it is pointed out by officials that several hundred thousand Germans now in South America and the United States were never questioned as to the propriety of their residence. Many speak only German, and German schools are permitted.



Miss Mary Pickford, Famous Players-Paramount Star.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Train No. 21—Leaves Goldsboro 6:45 a. m., for Raleigh, Durham, Greensboro. Handles free chair car from Raleigh to Atlanta, making connection for New Orleans, Texas, California and all western points; also connects at Greensboro with through trains for all northern and eastern points.

Train No. 139—Leaves Goldsboro 2:00 p. m. for Raleigh, Durham and Makes connections at Greensboro for all points north and east, and at Asheville with Carolina Special for Cincinnati, Chicago and all western points.

Train No. 111—Leaves Goldsboro 10:35 p. m. for Raleigh, Durham and Greensboro—Handles Pullman sleep through train for Atlanta and New Orleans, also makes connection for Asheville, Chattanooga, St. Louis, Memphis, Birmingham and all western points.

Greensboro, making connection for Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York and points South and West. J. O. JONES, Traveling Passenger Agent, Raleigh, N. C.

WHEN EVERY MOVE HURTS.

Lame every morning, achy and stiff all day, worse when it's damp or chilly? Suspect your kidneys and try the remedy your neighbors use.

Emmet Haskins, carpenter, 403 East street, Kinston, says: "My kidneys were out of order and I had dull pains across my back and loins. In the morning I was sore and lame and could hardly bend to pick up my tools. The kidney secretions were scanty, highly colored and contained sediment. I got Doan's Pills from the J. E. Hood & Co. Drug Store, and they soon relieved me of the backache and all other symptoms of kidney trouble."

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