

FOR STATE FAIR VISITORS

Determined Effort to Provide Ample Accommodations

House to House Canvass Begins Today—Quarters for Bureau of Information—Free License to Be Granted for All Lunch Stands

A determined effort is being made to provide for ample entertainment of all the thousands of people who are to pour into the city this year for the great state fair to be in progress October 15 to 21. As is well known, the chamber of commerce, the board of aldermen, the merchants' association, the industrial club and other organizations have entered into concerted action for the purpose of providing homes for all and for other public conveniences.

In the matter of securing homes for visitors Mr. John A. Park has been engaged by the chamber of commerce to make a complete canvass of the city, beginning tomorrow on Hillsboro street. He will first cover the section lying south of Hillsboro and west of Fayetteville streets. He expects to call at every home which would probably be willing to assist in entertaining the visitors to the state fair, and it is hoped that at each house he will meet with a hearty welcome and a ready response in this matter.

The Capital club has tendered the chamber of commerce, free of charge, a front room in the building for the information bureau headquarters, and the retail merchants' association has also placed at the disposal of the bureau committee three adjoining and communicating rooms for this same purpose. The bureau force will be in charge of a competent manager and the work will be thoroughly organized and conducted intelligently and systematically.

In addition to the work of giving information about homes, boarding houses, etc., it will check parcels for visitors free of charge. This information bureau will also undertake to arrange for the accommodation of parties who may make application and state in advance the date of their expected arrival.

A Special Appeal
The citizens of Raleigh are earnestly urged to determine at once how many weeks they will entertain during fair week, to fill in the blanks in the coupon below and mail it to Mr. John A. Park, city.

One of the most difficult problems that confronts the committee is that of ample facilities for feeding the people, especially on Thursday of fair week. Of course there will be any number of eating houses and refreshment stands out at the fair grounds, on the midway and in the fair buildings, but there will be many hundreds of visitors who must have their meals in town and the regular eating restaurants and cafes can not begin to meet the demand. It is understood that the board of aldermen will be asked to grant free license to any persons who will run lunch stands, hand wagons, etc., especially on Thursday.

Reception by the City
Mayor Johnson announced yesterday that he desired all the reception committees of the city organizations, the Chamber of Commerce, the Industrial Club, the Merchants' Association and the North Carolina Agricultural Society, to meet with him this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock in his office on the second floor of Metropolitan Hall to make arrangements for the reception of President Roosevelt by the city.

FREE DISTRIBUTION
Inoculated Seed of Nitrogen Gathering Crops Sent to Farmers

Mr. Gerald McCarthy, state biologist, in a circular letter, says:
"The North Carolina Department of Agriculture will, during the month of October, distribute among the farmers of the state for experimental purposes small lots of seed of the following leguminous crops, the seed being in each case ready inoculated with the nitrogen-fixing germ and suitable for immediate planting without further treatment: The crops to be experimented with are as follows: Alfalfa, Burr Clover, Sand Vetch and Crimson Clover.

The samples sent out will suffice to sow a strip of land 4x8 feet, or one square rod. As a control test, a small quantity of the same seed uninoculated will be sent also.

Applications will be received for any one of the above named seeds or for all four kinds, but not more than one sample of one kind will be sent to one applicant. Applicants must enclose with application twenty cents in postage stamps for each kind of seed they desire.

Applicants for these seeds must also send to the undersigned a sample of about one-half pound of surface soil from the field upon which they propose to sow these seeds. This sample should be made up from mixed lots of soil taken from different parts of the field. The soil sample is required to

determine the acidity of soil and amount of nitrogen ready present. The soil samples must be sent postpaid.

Applicants must also furnish a description of the field and of the crops grown thereon during the last two years. Experimenters are advised to select dry, clean soil which has this year been in cotton, corn or some hoed crop.

Those who wish to take part in this experiment should make prompt application, as the supply of seed will be limited.

Address all correspondence regarding this seed distribution to Gerald McCarthy, Biologist, N. C. Department of Agriculture, Raleigh, N. C.

COLORED BAPTIST CONVENTION

Report of the Session Held at Halifax, N. C., Last Week (Communicated.)

The colored Baptists of North Carolina held their State Sunday School Convention at Halifax last week, and many of the prominent colored people of Raleigh attended.

Rev. S. N. Vass, southern secretary of the American Baptist Publication Society, reports a most successful session and much progress made during the past year.

Rev. N. F. Roberts, D. D., of this city was absent on account of the illness of his wife, but his address as president was read by Dr. R. L. Walden, vice-president, and Dr. Roberts was, under a suspension of the rules, unanimously re-elected president for another year and the secretary ordered to so wire him and express the sympathy of the convention.

There were some hundred or more delegates present from all parts of the state, and they all reported progress on their fields. The convention raised during the year more than a thousand dollars for mission work. There are two missionaries employed for the state, and these are assisted by the American Baptist Publication Society, which organized this convention years ago. This year there will be an additional missionary for the far west supported altogether by the convention.

The two missionaries for the past year are Revs. G. W. Moore and J. W. Paulk, and the additional man will be Rev. B. B. Hill. It was decided at the convention to place a woman on the field this year, and Miss Julia Amey was selected to fill this position as field primary worker.

A prominent feature of the program at Halifax was the institute work conducted by Rev. S. N. Vass at each session as an object lesson in methods of teaching, and this has greatly stimulated normal class work and the study of the Bible in the state.

The convention passed many important resolutions, one appointing a strong committee to call upon the governor in the interest of the educational work done by the state for the colored people. Another resolution called upon the colored Baptists to do their Sunday school work through their own denominational conventions, and this last was adopted by a rising vote and was carried unanimously.

The Baptist Young People's Union State convention also met at Halifax at the same time and place and held one of the best sessions in its history, and decided to place a state organizer on the field and Prof. W. H. Knuckles was elected to the position. E. J. Young of Charlotte is president.

Col. J. H. Young of Raleigh is treasurer of the State Sunday School Convention and took an active part in the deliberations, as did Prof. A. W. P. Pugh, Dr. J. A. Whitted, Dr. E. E. Smith, Rev. W. T. Coleman, A. J. Rogers, Dr. J. E. Shepard, Dr. R. I. Walden, Prof. W. H. Knuckles, and many others of the most prominent negroes in the state.

These conventions are auxiliary to the regular state convention, which meets in November, but they do a great work. The Sunday schools raise a considerable sum of money to help educate worthy colored girls at Shaw University, and it was decided to help twenty of them next year.

The Sunday school body also maintains a colored Sunday school literature supply store at Raleigh, conducted by Dr. Pugh, and they report progress also.

Effort was made as usual each year to change the time, but without success. The next session will convene at Franklin, September, 1906.

Colored Baptists are quite numerous in this state, and there are more than a hundred and fifty thousand of them, and their work and movements are of general interest. Shaw University and the American Baptist Publication Society, represented by Rev. S. N. Vass in all the southern states, have greatly helped this people, and they are among the best of their race in the state. This State Baptist Sunday School Convention others had entered the field, and has done such thorough work that it is difficult to find a locality where there is not a Sunday school organized, and this convention is in every way adequate to the needs of the colored Baptists; at least that was the usual sentiment at the Halifax convention.

Bankrupt at Benson
Voluntary proceedings in bankruptcy have been instituted in the United States District Court for R. F. Smith, of Benson. The liabilities are stated to be \$3,097.14 and the assets \$7,344.14. The case has been referred to the Referee in Bankruptcy Victor H. Boyden. The bankrupt is a general merchant in Benson.

Better Than a Plaster
A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on the affected parts, is better than a plaster for a lame back and for pains in the side or chest. Pain Balm has no superior as a liniment for the relief of deep seated, muscular and rheumatic pains. For sale by W. G. Thomas, Robert Simpson and Bobbitt-Winne Drug Co.

NO COURT YESTERDAY

Judge Justice Detained by Illness in His Family

Will Be Here This Morning—Nail Case Set for Thursday—Major H. A. London and Mr. R. H. Hayes Appear With Solicitor for State

Sheriff Page yesterday morning received a telegram from Judge M. H. Justice stating that on account of illness in his family he could not be here to hold court until this morning. Consequently the sheriff opened court and immediately announced adjournment until 9 o'clock this morning on account of the absence of the judge.

Counsel for the four State Hospital attendants charged with the killing of Thomas H. Nail, the patient who attempted to escape, held a conference with Solicitor Armistead Jones yesterday, and it was agreed to set Thursday of this week for the trial of the case.

The solicitor was notified that Maj. H. A. London and Mr. R. H. Hayes of Pittsboro had been retained by the family of Mr. Nail and would appear with the solicitor for the state.

Three of the attendants, J. C. King, Jack Peale and L. R. High, will be represented by Messrs. S. G. Ryan, Harris & Harris of this city and Aycock & Daniels of Goldsboro; while Messrs. Argo & Shaffer and Fou & Fuller are looking after the interests of Frank Durham.

FOUR NEW CHARTERS

Stock Companies for Sanford, High Point and Lenoir, Caldwell Co.
Four new corporations were chartered yesterday by the secretary of the state, two for Sanford, one for High Point and one for Lenoir, Caldwell county.

The Sanford Real Estate Loan and Insurance Company, of Sanford, will be a capital business with \$5,000 out of a capitalization of \$50,000. Messrs. E. P. Wharton, Greensboro; M. McL. McKeithan, Cameron; W. A. Monroe, W. S. Weatherspoon, C. C. Cook, J. Perry, S. P. Hatten, Lynn McIver, S. M. Jones, A. W. Huntley, J. W. Cunningham, E. D. Nail, C. C. Hatch, D. E. McIver, A. G. Carter, C. H. Smith, and A. L. McNeill, all residents of Sanford.

The McNeely Company, at High Point will engage in the wholesale produce and commission business. Those interested are Messrs. L. M. McNeely, J. L. Ragan, and J. J. Lamb, of High Point. The company is capitalized at \$10,000 and will commence business with \$500.

The Lenoir Academy, at Lenoir, there is no capital stock and the incorporators are Messrs. J. W. Tomas, M. G. Scaer, Joe Powell, J. V. McCall and G. H. Church. The affairs of the academy will be in the hands of twenty-one trustees, who are elected for terms of two, four and six years—seven for each period.

The Crabtree Drug Company, of Sanford, is chartered, with a capitalization of \$25,000, of which \$5,000 has been paid in. The incorporators are Messrs. W. A. Crabtree and W. W. Reid, of Sanford, and John Alton McIver, of Jonesboro.

UNION DEPOT FOR GOLDSBORO

Officials of A. C. L., Southern and A. & N. C. to Confer Soon
A movement is on foot to provide the town of Goldsboro with an up-to-date union depot, and the prospects seem to be bright for success. Some time ago citizens of the town filed with the corporation commission a petition asking that the commission order the railroad companies to erect a union station.

The commission addressed letters to the three railroads interested: the Atlantic Coast Line, the Atlantic and North Carolina and the Southern, and the officials of all three roads have replied that they have recognized the need for such a station and that they were moving in that direction. That there will very soon be a conference between representatives of each of the roads, with a view to reaching an agreement whereby such a station can be provided.

Members of the corporation commission, yesterday expressed the opinion that an agreement would be reached soon. In the event no agreement can be reached, the commission will again take the matter in hand and undertake to adjust the differences between the companies so that the station can be erected.

SUPREME COURT ARGUMENTS

Docket From the Fifth District—Notable Case—Counsel Here
Fifth district appeals will be taken up in the supreme court this morning and will continue through the afternoon until the docket is exhausted. There are only two state cases awaiting argument by the fifth. These are State against Lucas, from Sampson county, and State against Sutton, from Chatham county.

Some interest attaches to the case of State against Lucas. It is a case in which the defendant was indicted for assault and battery and inflicting serious injuries. He was arraigned before a justice of the peace in Sampson county and bound over to superior court. The next day the justice decided that he had jurisdiction in the case and imposed a fine, returning the bond to Lucas. When the superior court convened the case came up and Lucas entered a plea of former con-

viction. The trial judge overruled the plea and the defendant appealed.

The other state case was State against Sutton, merely involving the interpretation of a special act of the last legislature regulating fishing with wire nets or traps in Bear creek. The defendant was convicted of violation of the statute and his counsel contended that he has not violated the statute.

The docket for the week follows: State vs. Lucas. State vs. Sutton. Dixon vs. May. Lumber Company vs. Pollock. Chabourn vs. Durham. Weeks vs. Wilkins. Hawks vs. Hall. Early vs. Early. Stone vs. Steamship Company. Sikes vs. Power Company. Doland vs. Trust Company. Chemical Company vs. McNair. Hicks vs. Kenan.

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Some New Books

Some new books lately added to the Olivia Raney Library: Reed's At the Sign of the Jack O'Mitchell's Constance Trescott. Alden's Endless Chain. Tarkington's Beautiful Lady. McCall's Breath of the Gods. Tracy's Albert Gate Mystery. Hichen's Garden of Allah. Gordon's Gift of the Morning Star. Bago's Love's Proxy. Tuttle's House of Hidden Treasure. MacGrath's Man on the Box. Hiten's Pam. McCutcheon's Purple Parasol. Doyle's Return of Sherlock Holmes. Doyle's The Opal. Grant's The Orchid. Riley's Sandy. Burr's The Wine-press. Bradley's William Cullen Bryant. Chesnut's Diary from Dixie. Cotes' Social Departure. Tooley's Florence Nightingale. Tooley's Letters from a Chinese Official.

CAPT. A. S. PEACE DEAD

One of the Leading Citizens of Granville—The Funeral Today
A telegram was received yesterday announcing the death in Oxford of Capt. Alexander S. Peace at his home there. Captain Peace had been in ill health more than a year and had several months since suffered a stroke of apoplexy. The funeral will be held this morning at 10 o'clock.

Captain Peace was one of the best known and most useful citizens of Granville county. He served with distinction throughout the civil war in the regiment commanded by the late Col. Hazewell Hargrove. Since the war he has engaged largely in farming, though he was a graduate of Trinity College, being valedictorian of his class, and was admitted to the bar. A close student of current events, well posted in politics, and a man of high Christian character, he wielded a strong influence in his section.

Captain Peace was frequently honored with public office in his county. He was at one time candidate for secretary of state on the Republican-Populist ticket and ran for congress in the fifth district.

The deceased is survived by a devoted wife and six children. His sons are Willis G. of the United States army; Leak, postmaster at Oxford; Samuel, cashier of the bank at Chapel Hill; Alex. S., of the bank in Henderson; and Merrill Peace of Oxford. His daughter, Miss Etta Peace, is teaching in the Cary High School, this county.

The Rivals Last Night

Te audience at the Academy of Music last evening was well pleased with the presentation of Sheridan's "The Rivals" by Joseph Jefferson and William Jefferson. To argument is well known to theatre-goers. It is a charming comedy, the fascination depending purely upon the delineation of character, rather than on a feat. Every member of the caste received last night round after round of well merited applause; each part was well sustained. Of course the central figures were Sir Anthony Absolute (John Jack) Capl. Absolute (Arthur Stanford), Bob Acres (W. W. Jefferson), Sir Lucius O'Grigger (Joseph Jefferson), Mrs. Malavert (Gosa Rand), and Lydia Languish (Elsa Buerger).

"Eternal City" Thursday
No one who sees "The Eternal City" will doubt its greatness for a moment. A play written by that fascinating author, Hall Caine, a play to which he has given up practically two years of his life, a production superlative in its magnitude, and upon which money, time and labor have been expended without a stint, a cast of characters which besides the ever popular and talented Jane Kennerk, embraces not only two or three, but a host of dozen of America's leading actors, men and women, all of whom have enjoyed great honors in the profession—such are the component parts of this great play. "The Eternal City" is a great and fascinating play and one which throbs with human interest, from the rise of the first to the fall of the final curtain.

Are You Engaged?

that, after marriage, many quarrels can be avoided, by keeping their digestions in good condition with Electric Bitters. S. A. Brown of Bennington, Vt., says: "For years, my wife suffered intensely from dyspepsia, complicated with a torpid liver, until she lost her strength and vigor, and became a mere wreck of her former self. Then she tried Electric Bitters, which helped her at once, and finally made her entirely well. She is now strong and healthy." All druggists sell and guarantee them at 50c a bottle.

"THE SIN OF PROFANITY"

"Destroys One's Regard for Sacred Things," Says Dr. Tyree
"The Sin of Profanity" was the subject of an able sermon by Rev. W. C. Tyree, D. D., in the First Baptist church Sunday night. In discussing this sin Dr. Tyree said in part: "Profanity means the speaking of things that are sacred in an irreverent way. It includes swearing, cursing, and blaspheming. Profanity is utterly useless, needless and foolish. It is indecent, vulgar and coarse. But worse than all, it is a great sin. It is the reckless expression of anger, wrath and malice. It is irreverent and does more than anything else to destroy one's reverence of regard for sacred things. Reverence is the crowning trait of rational beings, is the chief distinction between man and the brute creation, and is the soil out of which all moral excellence grows. Profanity is a sin because it is a violation of a positive commandment and law of God. Ten things have been designated by God as always sinful, namely, the taking of God's name in vain, one of the ten. It is put here and elsewhere in the Bible in the same category with stealing, adultery and murder. It is not only a violation of one of God's solemn laws, but a more aggravating violation, in one sense, than any other, for it deals more directly with God Himself than other sins. It is a contemptuous use of God's name, it defies and mocks say, belittles God. It is high treason against the King himself. This is a great sin in any, but an awful sin in a professing Christian or church member. If one says he swears from habit and thoughtlessly, this does not mitigate but aggravates the guilt, because if one swears without anger or wrath he commits the great sin with less provocation."

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Association Adjourns

The session of the annual association of the Primitive Baptist church at Willow Springs Sunday, was largely attended. Some intimate that about 2,500 people were present. Services were held throughout the day. During recess dinner was served in picnic style. Elder P. J. Gold of Wilson preached an able sermon before the body.

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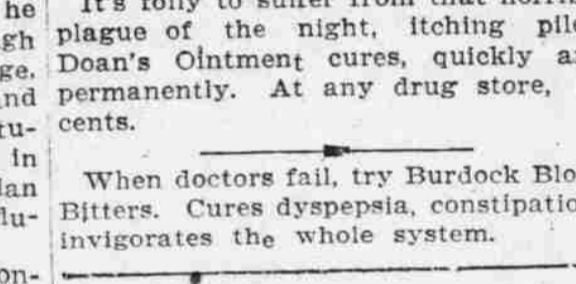
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