

WARM PRAISE FOR EXHIBIT

President National Horticultural Congress Writes Messrs Kitchin and Graham

EXPECT TO SEE STATE

Tells Governor That He Wants to Investigate Section With View to Living Here—Is Big Advertisement for North Carolina—Compliments Messrs. Hutt and Shaw on Their Work for North Carolina—The Letter.

Warmly praising the magnificent exhibit of North Carolina fruits, nuts, vegetables, canned goods, etc., at the National Horticultural Congress and declaring that any state might have spent ten thousand dollars without getting one-tenth the results, Mr. Frederick Neudorff, president of the congress, has written to Governor Kitchin and Commissioner Graham to voice his sentiments in the character of the men in charge of the exhibit and the splendid exhibit itself. The letters came unsolicited. President Neudorff declared in his letter to Governor Kitchin that, after the expiration of his term as president of the congress, he was certainly coming to North Carolina "to see your state with a view to locating there."

It may be stated in this connection that the North Carolina exhibit cost the state only \$1,000, and the letter from the president of the congress reflects great credit on the gentlemen in charge of the horticultural division and the department of agriculture.

In commenting on the winning of the grand sweepstakes and other prizes, Commissioner Graham said today that it would result in bringing \$100,000 to the western part of the state in search for apple lands.

The letter to Governor Kitchin is as follows:

The Letter.

"I have felt that it was more than due to your state that I voice my sentiments in regard to the high character of the men, splendid exhibit and splendid piece of adver-

tising done by your state at this horticultural exposition. Prof. Hutt I regard as a prince among men as well as his able assistant, Prof. Shaw, and the enterprise shown by these gentlemen in advertising your state is the admiration of this entire vicinity.

"I do not believe any state could have spent \$10,000 and have gotten one-tenth of the benefits of the advertising that Prof. Hutt has given your state at this exposition.

"Nothing so forcibly as his enterprise has attracted our admiration, and I feel that when I get ready to move and retire I shall certainly come to North Carolina to see your state with a view of locating there.

"I write this letter entirely without solicitation.

"Yours very truly,
"FREDERICK NEUDORFF,
"President National Horticultural Congress."

SLIGHTLY INJURED IN RUNAWAY YESTERDAY.

Mr. L. H. Woodall, who was thrown from a buggy on Fayetteville street, was reported as getting along all right today. Mr. Woodall, who was driving with Mr. Andrew Bryan of Garner in the latter's buggy, was painfully bruised when the horse, after dashing down Fayetteville street, caused the buggy wheel to strike a hydrant. Both men were thrown to the ground and the buggy was almost demolished. Dr. W. C. Horton was called to render medical aid.

COTTON WEIGHERS ARE REAPPOINTED BY BOARD.

The Board of County Commissioners, at the first meeting of the new fiscal year, re-elected the former cotton weighers, Messrs. John Stephens, W. A. Pulley and W. J. Carlton. Mr. W. F. Jones was re-elected constable in charge of the grand jury. E. L. Shepherd was reappointed janitor of the court house. A. J. Stephens qualified as constable of Holly Springs township and C. J. Harward as constable of Leesville township.

NEAT SUM TURNED OVER BY REGISTER OF DEEDS.

Register of Deeds C. H. Anderson turned over to Sheriff J. H. Sears today a check for \$1,454 as state and county tax on 727 marriage licenses issued during the year just closed. This represents the largest amount ever turned over in a single year by the register for this purpose—an increase over last year of 25 licenses.

A pretty girl never envies the brains of a homely girl.

CAPITALISTS TO VISIT CITY

Forty Bankers and Others to Spend Day in This Section On Way South

Forty bankers and capitalists from Boston, Providence, New York, Philadelphia, Hartford and Baltimore, bound southward, will arrive in Raleigh early tomorrow and will spend the day in and near this city visiting the various points of interest. These gentlemen are already interested in the development of North Carolina and their main object is to inspect the hydro-electric plant at Buckhorn Falls. They will be joined in Raleigh by Col. Chas. F. Johnson, president of the Carolina Power and Light Company, who will accompany them on their journey southward.

The visitors are due to reach here at 4 a. m. tomorrow on a special train over the Seaboard from Washington. They will leave at 8 o'clock for Buckhorn and will return to the city in the afternoon, when they will be taken by automobile to various places of interest. Dinner will be had at the Yarrowborough House at 7 o'clock. Wednesday morning the party will continue southward.

The names of the bankers and capitalists could not be learned today.

BANQUET POSTPONED.

On account of the illness of Mr. E. B. Barbee, one of the men whom the business men of Raleigh intend honoring, the banquet and railroad celebration scheduled for Thursday night has been temporarily postponed, but by no means abandoned. Mr. Barbee's illness is not serious, but it is not assured that he would be able to attend the banquet Thursday night and for this reason the committee thought it best to postpone the celebration to a later date. Announcement will be made of the new date.

SETTLED IN COURT

Sunday Scrap had Final Inning Today in Justice Roberts' Court.

The final consummation of a life scrap took place today in Justice of the Peace Roberts' court when Charley Haynes and Howard Scott were adjudged guilty of an affray. A fine of \$5.00 and costs was imposed upon Scott and no judgment was rendered against Haynes because of the fact that he is under bond to appear in police court to answer the charge. Under these conditions Justice Roberts did not care to assume jurisdiction in the matter against Haynes.

INTERESTING ADDITIONS TO HALL OF HISTORY.

There have been two interesting additions to the collection of historic objects in the North Carolina Hall of History during the past few days. One of these is a rubbing giving a copy of the inscription on Sir Walter Raleigh's tomb, in St. Margaret's church, Westminster, London, very near where he was beheaded. The other object, a piece of glass of the light house at Cape Hatteras which was destroyed early in the war between the states by the Confederates.

WEEKS MISSION BEGINS AT ST. SAVIOUR'S CHAPEL.

Beginning with yesterday's services a week's mission began at St. Saviour's Chapel, Greenwood conducted by Rev. Bertram E. Brown, of Tarboro. It is understood that the missioner will not be able to arrive before Monday, but the services began yesterday. The public is cordially invited. Rev. Mr. Brown has earned a reputation for deep spirituality and intensity in his pulpit utterances and it is hoped that large congregations will attend the mission.

SHAW STUDENTS RAISE SUM FOR HOSPITAL.

At a mass meeting of Shaw University students and their friends held yesterday, in the interest of the Leonard hospital, now almost ready for occupancy, \$1,505 was contributed toward the hospital fund.

Greatest Meeting Ever.

"I have just returned from the greatest meeting I ever attended," writes County Superintendent Y. D. Moore to State Superintendent Joyner with regard to the Teachers' Assembly here last week.

Runaway Saturday Night.

Mr. Ed Haley and a colored man, en route to their home just beyond Glenwood Saturday night, were both thrown from the buggy when their horse ran away. The buggy was damaged and the contents scattered, but these were neither broken nor damaged.



Miss Mahel Robbe, of Cambridge, Mass., a pretty candy girl, who jilted young Jack Dahlgreen, the nineteen year old son of Mrs. Harry S. Lehr, who called on his "candy kid." Dahlgreen was removed from Harvard by his mother for the affection he was showing the pretty candy girl. She was married on Thanksgiving day to John Delavan, of Providence, Rhode Island. Her friends say that she jilted the rich Harvard student for Delavan, notwithstanding the fact that Dahlgreen denied that he was a sailor for his hand.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The County Board of Education held its regular monthly meeting today.

Governor Kitchin is in Shelby today. He delivers an address before the Farmers' Union.

In the village of Oberlin a new A. M. E. church is under construction, and the roof is on.

Arrangements have been made for placing a number of memorial windows in the Central Methodist church here, the total cost being over \$1,800.

Mr. B. C. Ashcroft, the first president of the A. & M. College, Y. M. C. A., delivered an address to the association last night. Mr. Ashcroft has been editor of the Monitor Enquirer for 18 years.

New Enterprises.

Southern Cotton Harvester Co., of Raleigh, to manufacture, sell and lease cotton harvesters and other farm machinery, with authorized capital \$750,000 divided into shares of \$10 each, with \$3,000 paid in by C. N. Goodwin, B. R. Jolly, A. W. Goodwin, E. H. Goodwin and M. Asby Lambert.

Carolina Cotton Mill Stock Co., of Chapel Hill, authorized capital, \$250,000, with \$200 paid in by W. S. Robinson, C. R. Philips and Henry Lloyd.

Safety Stopper Co., of Greensboro, manufacturing and dealing in a certain merchandise device known as new and useful improvement in bottle stoppers, etc., and to acquire patents, etc.; authorized capital, \$25,000, with \$2,000 paid in by J. T. J. Little, D. L. Starbuck and A. Wayland Cooke.

Carolina States Wagon Co., of Monrope, authorized capital, \$100,000, with \$10,000 paid in by The Piedmont Huggy Co., Inc., T. J. Payne, D. W. Bonfield and W. C. Heaton.

Sidewalk Paving.

Much granolithic sidewalk improvement is in progress on Glenwood avenue. Part of that avenue has been widened and where last year it was unsightly it is now being made a very attractive thoroughfare. It is certainly a most important one to a large number of Raleigh people, as well as to those at the Methodist triphaganne.

MARY WATKINS WOMBLE.

Wife of Mr. Walter Womble Passed Away Early Sunday Morning.

Early Saturday morning, about five o'clock, there passed away at her home on east Hargett street Mrs. Mary Watkins Womble, the wife of Mr. Walter Womble.

Stricken with an attack of appendicitis when in the bloom of health and life, the latter part of July, a complication of diseases resulted and for four months she had been a patient, uncomplaining sufferer. Until this week her recovery was hoped for, but death came as a relief from her suffering yesterday morning.

She was the daughter of the late Thomas W. Watkins, and Mrs. Susan Johnson Watkins, of Warren county, where she was born thirty three years ago.

November 2, 1902, she married Mr. Walter Womble, of this city and had made many friends here by her sunny, whole-souled disposition.

Hers was a beautiful Christian character, the evidence of which was seen in her patient suffering.

Her mother had been with her for some time. Here also was her sister, Miss Sue Watkins, of Henderson.

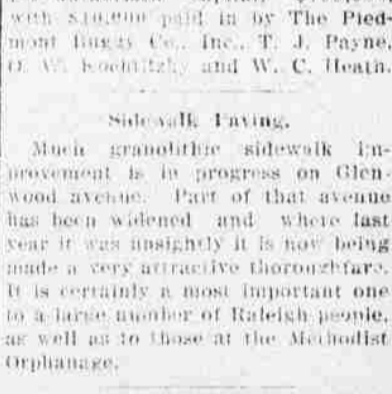
She is also survived by two sisters at Manson, Mrs. M. V. Fleming; and Mrs. Wellons, and two brothers, R. L. Watkins, of Baltimore; T. J. Watkins, of Norfolk; and F. R. Watkins, of Birmingham.

The funeral service was held from the Tabernacle church this afternoon at three o'clock, conducted by the new pastor, Dr. C. E. Maddry. The interment was in the city cemetery.

A man might not be able to recognize some of his lady acquaintances if he happened to meet them with their complexion off.

MISS MARGARET GAGE.

Miss Margaret Gage, who, with her mother, came to Washington eighteen months ago from Boston and have received the entire of the most exclusive of the capital's social set. Mrs. Gage has distributed among her friends an exquisite little volume entitled, "The Royal Descent and Colonial Ancestry of Mrs. Harley Galvin Gage," which was the work of Mrs. Gage and her beautiful daughter. The book gives in detail the lineal descendants of Mrs. Gage for more than fourteen hundred years.



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PROMOTIONS ON SOUTHERN

City Ticket Agent Schell Chief Clerk--Mr. Fix Comes to Raleigh

Announcement was made today by the Southern Railway of the following changes and promotions:

Mr. M. H. Schell, formerly city ticket agent, has been promoted to chief clerk in the above office in charge of both freight and passenger matters, while Mr. William J. Fix, formerly ticket agent at Burlington, N. C., has been made city ticket agent.

Mr. Schell has been city ticket agent in Raleigh for the past year and a half, while Mr. Fix has been in Burlington for the past three years. Their promotion is in line with the Southern's policy of recognizing merit in its young men, and the announcement of their advancement will be read with interest. Both are splendid young men.

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NOTICE OF SALE.

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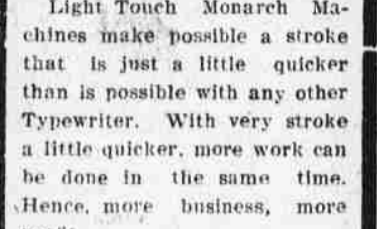
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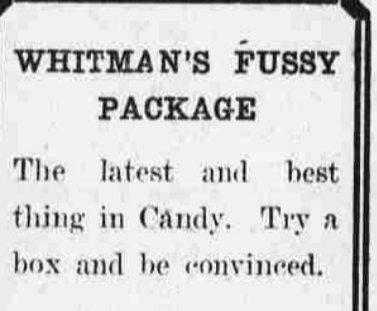


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