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Attendance Records Smashed On Opening Day Of Second **Annual Cabarrus County Fair**

More Exhibits Displayed in Exhibit Hall While Houses For Poultry and Livestock Were All Doubled.

FIREWORKS VIEWED BY LARGE CROWD

Displays Elaborate and Astounding in Variety—Every Feature Shows Result of Thought and Energy.

A multiude of happy folks swarmed through the turnstiles of the Cabarrus County Fair Teseday and igte at night returned to their homes convinced that the fair had lived up to its slogan: "Better Than Advectised."

It was announced by officials of the fair late Tuesday night, after a report of gate keepers had been submitted, that 17,308 persons visited the fair grounds, but though the output had been submitted, that 17,308 persons visited the fair fair had lived up to its slogan: "Better Than Advectised."

The opening day, the total being 2, 198 in excess of last year's opening day thout blick no e untoward incident. The official opening began when the big parade began to move through the streets of the business section at 10 o'clock and like all things connected with the fair, fielled the parade moved to the fair grounds and hundreds of persons who had watch ed ir moved through the streets of the type of the control of the fair word official opening day though the city along with it to the grounds.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22ND
Mecklenburg County Day
Union County Day
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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23RD
Cabarrus County Bay
Stanly County Bay
Merchant and Manufacturers Day
Annual Home Conting
First Annual Dog Show
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24TH
Rowan County Day
Civic Clubs Day
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25TH
Sales Day
Fraternal Orders Day

PLANS FOR HOTEL BEIN GCOMPLETED

Division Leaders Lining Up Men Who Are to Assist Them During the Campaign.

Dr. S. W. Rankin, manager of Division "B" of the Citizens' Organization of the new hotel campaign, was the first division managers. These three leaders are: C. W. Byrd, Parks M. Lafferty and A. R.

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gun. Fredericksburg, Va., Oct. 21.—A vic

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Fredericksburg, Va., Oct. 21.—A victim of mistaken identity, the little nine-year-old son of Philip Calvert, Prince William county, is dead, his head ilterally blown off by a shotgun in the hands of his own father who mistook him for a burglar.

The tragedy occurred Sannay mght. The ind had gone outside to get a drink of water from a nearby spring begore going to bed and when he returned found the house dark and everything quiet, His father, who is a prohibition agent, had retired early but was awakened by the footsteps of the boy upon the stairs. Fearing burglars he seized his gun, and at the head of the stairway, called to know who was there. When no one answered, he says, he fired. Then he turned on a light and was horrified to learn that he had killed his own child.

SHENANDOAH 15. BACK

FAST TIME MADE IN BOTH EVENTS

Races Was 2:13 1-4 for Mile—Several Big Races o Be Offered Each Day This Week.

Each Day T is Week.

Close and exciting races were offered at the fair ground Tuesday afternoon when the first race program of the present fain was offered entered in the 2:14 trot and four were entered in the 2:14 trot and four were entered in the 2:15 trot. In addition to the races races there was one running race.

Thousands of persons filled the grandstand and overflowed into the center of the track for the taces. The crowd present when the bases entered the field Tuesday was larger than was present for any of the races last year.

And the class of the racing was better. The 2:17 trot offers an example. The slowest time made in the three heats in this race was 2:13 1-2. The other heats were run in 2:13 1-4.

There was a peculiar feature in this race. The horses finished in the same order in each of the three heats. Seaworthy, owned and driven by E. F. Nottingham, of Eastville, Va., won each heat, Intermediate Dillon, owned by the Pittman stables, of Trenton, N. J., and driven by Pittman, was second in each heat, Grovetown, of the Tyson stables, Newark, Del., and driven by Tyson, was third three times and Nancy Craven, owned by Penny Bros. Greensboro, and driven by Kelty, was fourth four times. In the 2:14 trot the race was a spirited and close one. The first heat was won by Norman Dillon, of the Thomas Bros. Stables, Greensboro, but Gordon, of the George G. Stiles stables, Rome, Ga., won the race by taking the last two heats. Other entries in the race were Peter Mount, owned by Fred Sporthase; Ronde Ha, owned by Thomas Bros. The best time of this race was 2:18 1-2, mass by cornical as the last-heat. The half-mile running race was won by Thomas Bros. The half-mile running race was won by Thomas Bros. The half-mile running race was won by Thomas Bros. The half-mile running race was won by Thomas Bros. The half-mile running race was won by Thomas Bros. The half-mile running race was 2:18 1-2, mass by cornical as the fast-heat. The time in the first heat was 2:14 1-4, while the time for the second heat was 2:15

The half-mile running race was won by Theda Patch with Morrison up. Other entries were Johnnie Day and Sam J. The race was a very close one, Theda Patch winning by a nose. The time for the half-mile was 52 seconds. A pony race, conducted for youngsters of the city, was one of the features of the race program. The race was won by Joseph F. Cannon, Jr.

Practically all of the horses here this year have been on fast time. This fact, together with the perfect condition of the track, is expected to result in some of the best races conducted this year in North Carolina.

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THE COTTON MARKET

Dened Firm at Advance of 20 to 31
Points—Fluctuations Later Irregular.

(By the Associated Press.)
New York, Oct. 22.—The cotton market opened firm at an advance of 20 to 31 points today in response to higher Liverpool cables, reports of lower temperatures in the southeast, covering and trade buying. After selling up to 23,15 for December, fluctuatious became irregular, but business was fairly active, and prices field generally steady, active months ruling 17 to 22 points net higher. Cotton futures opened firm: October 24,05; December 23.10; January 23,45, March 23,44; May 23,86.

FOUR MORE DEATHS AS
RESULT OF EXPLOSION

Two Trot Festures Offered On Opening Day as Thousands Crows ed in and Near Grandstand for Events.

Those Who Left School On Strike Will Not Be Permitted to Go With Football Team to Columbia.

TRUSTEES GIVING MATTER ATTENTION

Have Not Yet Determined What Final Action Is to Be Taken / Against the Students Who Joined Strike.

ress."

In the meantime there is a spirit of anxiety among he students who went away in haste and returned to repent at leisure. Their fate rests with the board of trustees and the main question with them "Is to be or not to be."

TROPICAL STORM HITS ON COAST OF FLORIDA

WOMAN CONFESSES TO
PART IN BLACKMAIL

Helea Pelrose, the Police Say, Admitted She Helped Get Money For Lawyers.

(By the Associated Press.)
New York, Oct. 22.—Helen Pelrose, 24 years old, who was arrested in the Jersey City, N. J., laundry where she was employed as a worker, has confessed that she was the lure by which a Boston blackmail ring of lawyers extorted \$60,000 from Albert Victor Searles, millionaire artist, according to detectives who questioned feer during the night. She also confessed that she was the bait in other plots that netted blackmailers more than \$600,000, the police declared.
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Democratic Presidential Candidate Winds Up Campaign In That State With Program of Several Addresses.

STATE LEADERS ASKED FOR HIM

Believe He Has Even Chance So He Went Back to Explain More Fully His Ideas on Most Important Things.

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(Fy the Associated Press.)

Vincennes, Ind., Oct. 22.—Making a final one-day appearance in Judiana which state he declared will be "won for democracy." John W. Davis, Democratic candidate for President, brought his campaign here today for an afternoon discussion, and prepared to carry it tonight to Evansville.

The candidate entered Indiana for the second time during the present tour of the middle weet, it was said, at the expressed request of State Democratic leaders, that he amplify his attitude and record on the question of labor, before returning to New York for the closing events of the campaign.

Mr. Davis arrived here from Louisville, Ky., where he spoke last night, voicting for the first time his opinion of methods he said had been employed for the collection of campaign funds. It was not expected by those in close touch with the candidate, however, that he would extend his remarks on that matter, while in Indiana. Rather, it was said, he would keep himself fully advised concerning progress of the investigation being made in Washington by the Senate committee, and reserve further comment until more light had been shed on the contributions to campaign funds, the manner of their collection, and the methods employed by the collectors.

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Chief Executive Sends Greetings to United Lutheran Church of America Now In Session at Chicago.

SAYS LUTHERANS HELPED COUNTRY

When It Was Being Settled and That They Have Continued Work Among New Citizens of Present Nation

ment of the original colonies of this country, and to the struggle for American independence. He congratulated the United Lutheran Church in America, which is in biennial convention, and its related bodies, because they are nurturing among mewcomers from Europe, the American ideals of the early Lutheran colonies. His letter in part follows:

"I extend my greetings to the fourth biennial convention of the United Lutheran Church in America.

"Made up in such large degree of the descendants of that sturdy Lutheran stock which played such an important part in the development of the colonies, in the success of he Revolutionary War, the United Lutheran Church has a proud heiftage.

"Muhlenberg and his men from Pennsylvania, and the Lutheran soldiers from western Maryland, the Shenandonh Willey of Viriginia, Western North Carolilina, and South Carolina, made glorious history for the patriot cause during the Revolutionary War. Their descendants, spreading out over the Mississippi Valley, had a leading role in the development of that great granary of the world.

"During the civil war such organizations as the Iron Brigade were on every battlefield upholding the unity of the States."

Dr. Knubel Elected President

THIRD PARTY BALLOTS ARE SENT OUT IN STATE

general election on November 4th in this state have been malled out to the various counties, it was announced today at the office of the state board of elections here this morning. Official ballots for the two major parties have been in the hands of the county boards for some time, but the mailing of ballots for the LaFollette. Wheeler ticket was not completed until late last night when the last of the 300,000 ballots was sent out.

The delay in sending out the third party ballots after the chairman of the state board of elections had ruled that the names of the third party candidates should be placed on the official ballot, according to board officials, was due to the failure of the third party leaders in North Carolina to inform the board of elections the allotments that were desired in each county.

New arrivals in cane living room suites at H. B. Wilkinson's,
Buck's Starlight Hot Blast will heat

