

It's the Same Thing Every Summer



FORT MACON WILL BE STATE PARK HEREAFTER

Will Be Accepted by Governor as State Park on July 17.

Raleigh, N. C., July 11.—On Friday, July 17, Governor A. W. McLean will take part in two formal ceremonies in Carteret County, by one of which the State will come officially into possession of another park, it was announced here tonight. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon, the Governor, as commander-in-chief, will review the 139th Infantry, North Carolina National Guard. An hour later he will formally accept for the State the Fort Macon works and reservation from the Federal government.

Major William D. Harris, acting director of the Department of Conservation and Development, probably will speak on the future of Fort Macon as a State park.

The movement to secure Fort Macon for the State was begun in January, 1924, by Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, then director of the old North Carolina Geological and Economic Survey, later changed to the Department of Conservation and Development, at the instance of Governor McLean. Dr. Pratt sought to raise by popular subscription the funds necessary to buy the property at the price at which it was then appraised by the War Department. Later Representative Abernethy introduced a bill in Congress authorizing the gift to the State and with the co-operation of Senator Simmons the bill became law at the last session.

Fort Macon and approximately 400 acres on Bogue Island have been the property of the United States Government since it was captured early in the War Between the States. For a long time it was one of the best preserved examples of engineering practice in the art of defense prior to and during the war of the sixties. Its masonry, casements, magazines, redoubts, courts, etc., are still in a large measure intact and capable of being restored in a manner to make it an important museum piece of war history.

"Your husband, madam, is suffering from voluntary inertia," said a doctor. "Poor dear Robert! And I accused him all along of being lazy."

CHAUTAQUA DANCES NOV

Erstwhile Camp Meeting Announces Weekly Y. W. C. A. Parties.

Chautauqua, N. Y., July 10.—The Y. W. C. A. will introduce dancing to Chautauqua Saturday night. President Arthur E. Bestor of the Chautauqua Institution, which commenced as a Methodist camp meeting, has announced that tickets will be on sale for the dance to be held just outside the Chautauqua grounds in the golf club house. It is planned to make the dances weekly events.

This is the first time in history that dancing has received the official cognizance of the institution.

Special Care Necessary.

Special attention must be given to cleansing, nourishing and stimulating into activity all the tiny cells and pores of the skin which so easily become de-vitalized and clogged with dust and dirt, whether one is on the tennis court, playing golf, or climbing mountains. Little, if any, water is used in this process, unless the skin is inclined to be oily. In this case a bland soap or pore paste is used, followed by a favorite skin tonic, or ice as a substitute, and finishing with a reliable astringent.

Mandy Johnson: "Ah shuah do lak to clean house foh dat Mrs. Gadder."

Lisa Jackson: "How come you talk dirt-away, Mandy?"

Mandy: "Ah feels that it's really worth while 'cause Ah always find such a lot ob dirt."

"Sing-Song"



They pretty nearly burned a town over this girl. She is a Chinese "sing-song" girl, living in the Chinese town of Shanghai, in Hupsh province. Her admirers got in a fight, upset a lamp and burned 100 houses. Now Peking and Shanghai want her to come and dance for them.

In and About the City

NOTED PLAYERS IN STAR CAST

Marguerite de la Motte, Victor MacLagen and William Russell Head List. By the Press Agent.

NEGRO CHARGED WITH LARCENY HELD HERE

Also Is Charged With Stealing An Automobile From Winston-Salem—Carried to That City.

The theft of an innertube here furnished officers with a clue that led to the recovery of a stolen automobile, and Tansy Jones, Winston-Salem negro, is being held charged with the theft of both the tube and the car.

It is alleged that the negro was caught in the act of stealing the tube from the Ford car of Merle Litaker, who lives at the home of Mrs. Blume on South Union Street. When arrested the negro said nothing about needing the tube, but Sunday officers found an abandoned car near Five Points and it later developed that Jones had driven the car there and apparently had gone in search of a tube when he discovered a flat tire on the Ford.

Local officers made full investigation and learned that the Ford Jones was driving had been stolen from Winston-Salem. Officers there were advised of the facts and they came here today for Jones.

Little Red Schoolhouse Products.

Charlotte Observer. Billy Swink and Alex. Long were schoolmates in Concord. They were given "the rudiments" in the school managed by "Miss Helen and Miss Lily," and they were known as "good boys." They never fought and they avoided rough work; nor were they ever called upon to leave the palms of their hands warmed by the ruler. It was Paul Barringer and another whose name we will not put on record, who were popularly accepted as the shock absorbers for the school. But we were going to speak incidentally of Billy Swink and more particularly of Alex. Long.

Neither figured in the papers to any extent during their boyhood days, but the maturity stage found them located, Swink at China Grove, to the north of Charlotte, and Long at Rock Hill, to the south. Then newspaper readers began to hear of them as cotton mill men, not as stockholders, but as builders and equippers, managers and owners. Mr. Swink developed large interests at China Grove and at last accounts was figuring on a million-dollar mill further up the line in the direction of Salisbury. Coincidentally, Mr. Long was developing into a cotton mill man of large consequence at Rock Hill, but he is of the sort of men who do things quietly and who do not court newspaper publicity.

Last week, however, he got into the papers—a dozen or more of them. He had bought a piece of property in the city, at a price of \$20,000, and while the people were wondering what he proposed to do with it, he came forward with the information. This was advanced in the shape of a deed. He had deeded the property to Rock Hill to be used for city hospital purposes. This, in connection with other incidents in the life of Mr. Long in his South Carolina home, moved The Chester Reporter to bare some of his merits to the public. The Chester paper says of him, and that portion of the public that has familiarity with his characteristics will add its endorsement—

Mr. Long is a man who is blessed with unusual business acumen, and has been successful in a measure far beyond what the average man attains; but that does not blind him to the fact that he has duty to his fellowman, and his liberal gift for the purpose referred to is testimony of this fact. While Mr. Long has the means that would permit him to engage in a life of selfish ease, it is a tribute to the man that such things have no attraction for him, and what leisure he has, or much of it, is spent in the service of the Rock Hill Evangelistic Club, of which he was one of the organizers and most active members, the church and kindred societies. As a citizen and a Christian Mr. Long has exercised a profound and far-reaching influence in his home town, and his liberal gift last week to his fellow townsmen is further expression, and an expression along a different line, of the deep feeling of regard that Mr. Long has for his fellowman, which has found such abundant expression throughout his life in so many ways.

Fiction of Note. The Sunday World next Sunday will publish in the Magazine Section the story selected by Arthur Sullivan Hoffman, editor of Adventure, as the best story appearing in that magazine during the year. The story, "The Primitive Method," by F. R. Buckley, is an excellent example of the dramatic values of repression and suppression. This story will hold your interest to the last word. Many features of interest and exclusive articles appear every Sunday in The New York World.

The next important item on the fiction menu will be the fifteen-round contest between the saintsmight champion, Ernest Hemingway, and the champion, Donald J. MacDougall, Canadian war veteran who was blinded by a wound at Courcolette in September, 1918, has been awarded a special Rhodes scholarship from the University of Toronto and has sailed to enter in the studies at Oxford University.

Wins Honor



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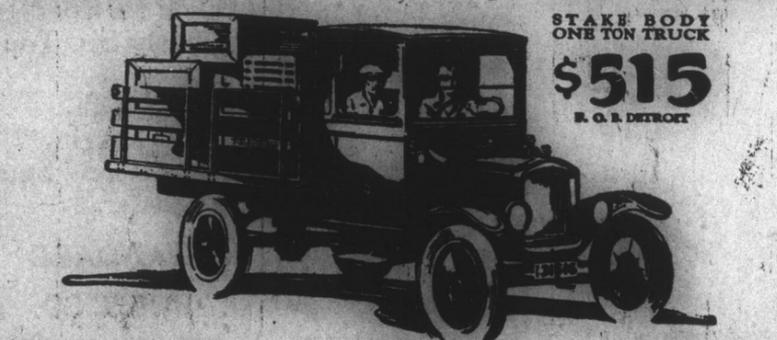
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