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KANNAPOLIS NEWS BRIEFS

School Kids Have One Big Time in This World. See Mammoth Circus For Nickle.—Johnson J. Hayes in This Section Again.—Volleyball Season Open Season in Raleigh Before Start of the Sport.—Other News.

Kannapolis, Oct. 9.—(P)—The initial pep meet of the Kannapolis high school athletic association was held on Friday afternoon in the auditorium of Central high. New yell were introduced and rehearsed.

About one hundred students are members of the association, which is headed by "Mutt" Wiedenhouse, member of the senior class.

SCHOOL KIDS EAT UP CIRCUS PICTURE.

Kannapolis, Oct. 9.—Henry Ford can take a penny piece of paper. Write his name upon it and make it worth a hundred million dollars. John D. Rockefeller can sign his name to a check and make it worth seventy-five million. But it's seldom a hundred thousand dollar circus can be seen for five cents, just one poor, meager, buffalo nickel.

Well, that's exactly what came to pass here yesterday afternoon. Rope walking seals, college bred horses, rubber skinned elephants, side saddle equestrians and equestriennes, clown contingents, and big top celebrities in one big performance—of the circus.

E. J. Sharpe, from whom all motion picture offerings flow, offered a whale of a circus picture, "Bigger Than Barnum's" featuring Viola Dana and George O'Hara to all school children for the mentioned meagre shekel. And all students, primary, grammar, high and graduated (exceptors) "ate it up." They went howling, thrilled to the 207th bone of their body. It was, perhaps, the greatest school kid picture that has showed here this year.

HAYES IN SECTION AGAIN.

Local Republicans announce that Johnson J. Hayes, senatorial candidate, will again speak in this county the last week of October. His campaign is now in full blast in the eastern part of the state, around the section of Wilson and Greenville. On October 18th Mr. Hayes' route brings him to the west, addressing citizens at Leaksville. On October 20th he is slated for a speech at Concord.

THROWS IN TOWEL.

Jake Wiedenhouse recently announced an opponent of "Pee Wee" Russell in a headline bout of a boxing card here Tuesday night, October 19th, has thrown in the towel as a pugilist, as far as meeting the lightweight champion is concerned.

Meeting this Russell kid back in April and receiving a knockout wallop, in addition to a volley of gaffaws from the ringside, still rings in Jacob's organs and hearing and unless he is matched with a less formidable foe, then he will spurn all thought of becoming a Lukie Tenner or a Kid Peck.

With a laconic "What's the use?" when asked the why of the balk, Jake shrugged his shoulders and with a long shrug admitted Russell the better man, the faster boxer, and the more educated pugilist.

Meanwhile the local matchmaker is scouring the woods hither, thither and you in search of an antagonist for the muchly dreaded "Pee Wee." Calicut, of Spencer, has been mentioned and an offer will probably be made him.

VOLLEYBALLERS OPEN SEASON.

The local volleyball season, state champions, left today for Raleigh, where the Towleters officially crack the 1926-1927 season tonight at the Raleigh Y. M. C. A.

Professor Idell, czar of national volleyball will be among the spectators at the game.

FORM BASKETBALL LEAGUE.

A basketball league, comprising

teams from the mills, schools, and business concerns, will go to bat this winter for the Twilight league of last summer. Several members of the baseball league, sterling basketballers, will participate.

The league will be operated under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., with Bill Maulden as director.

SHERILL VISITOR TO KANNAPOLIS.

"Lefty" Sherrill, last summer a member of the Towler baseball machine, was a visitor to Kannapolis Friday. Sherrill is making his home in Mooresville.

Plaintiff Little Gladys Coggin will entertain this afternoon at a party at her home on Chestnut street.

STAGE SET OPENING COUNTY EXPOSITION.

Kannapolis, Oct. 9.—The stage is all set at Concord for the opening of the fourth annual county exposition, the largest of its kind in the state of North Carolina.

Thousands of dollars in purses, premiums and prizes will be given for farm and field products, stock, poultry, dogs, home economics, community and school exhibits, races, and even "barnyard" golf performances. Three hundred dollar purses will be awarded in the 2:10, 2:14, 2:17, 2:20 and 2:25 trot, and the 2:10, 2:14, 2:17, 2:20 and 2:25 pace in the daily horse races.

Thousands of dollars will be spent to furnish patrons free acts and racing each day, and free acts and fireworks each night. The nightly display of fireworks is said to be the prettiest and biggest of any exposition in the entire south.

On opening day all school children from Cabarrus, Rowan, Mecklenburg, Iredell, Stanly or any part of the United States will be admitted free at the gates. Tuesday also has been designated as Iredell County day. Other special days at the fair are as follows:

Wednesday, Mecklenburg County Day, Union County Day.

Thursday—Cabarrus County Day, Stanly County Day, Merchants and Manufacturers Day, and the third annual dog show.

Friday, Farmers' Day, Rowan County Day, and fraternal orders' day.

Saturday, Sales Day.

Bhutan, which has just lost its ruler through death, is a state at the northeastern edge of India, on the slopes of the Himalayas. Although under British influence since 1863, Bhutan is still a stronghold of the secrets of the mysterious East, with social, racial and religious customs as peculiar as those of the "Forbidden Land" of Tibet itself. Even the area and population of Bhutan are only guessed at.

Absent-minded barber to the short-haired young lady: "Hair cut or shave?"

Have You Heard This One?

Asker—Do they take in summer boarders?

Teller—Awfully.

Briggs—It seems as though women have a mania for spending money.

Griggs—I know it. Why, whenever my wife is too sick to go shopping she sends for the doctor.

Father—What kind of a man is this fellow to whom you are engaged?

Marion—Well, he says he has always wanted a home.

Father—That sounds good.

Marion—And he likes ours very much.

He rang up the box office to ask if he could exchange certain seats, and a voice informed him that those he desired would be \$2.25 more.

"Is it worth the difference?" he asked.

"Do you mean," inquired the voice, "the seats or the play?"

A woman living in an apartment, said to the new elevator boy: "If anyone calls while I am out, tell her to wait. I shall be right back."

There was no answer.

"Did you hear me? Why don't you answer?" asked the woman with some heat.

"I never answers, ma'am, unless I doesn't hear," was the calm reply, "and then I says 'What?'"

"Could you do the landlady in our new play," asked the manager of a new actor.

"Well, I should think I might. I have done a good many landlady in my time."

"Look pleasant, please."

"I daren't. The photograph is to send to my wife who is on her vacation, and if she saw me looking pleasant she would come back at once to find the reason!"

Playwright (greeting a friend in the theatre foyer between the acts)—"Glad to see you here, old man."

Friend (lugubriously)—"You ought to be. I'm the one who paid to get in."

New Tenant—This is a dark flat. How can I tell when it's morning?

Old Tenant—When the man downstairs turns off his radio.

Old Tenant—Suppose I'm asleep?

New Tenant—You won't be. That's when the girl upstairs begins her morning singing practice.

Asker—What happened to that vallet of yours?

Teller—I fired him for removing a spot from one of my suits.

Asker—But isn't he supposed to do that?

Teller—Yes, but this was a 10-spot.

Edward—Did you hear that a man was murdered in the street last night for his money?

Edwin—Yes, but luckily he had no money on him at the time.

TODAY'S EVENTS

Saturday, October 9, 1926
Chicago observes the fifty-fifth anniversary of the great fire of 1871.

The National Dairy Exposition opens in Detroit today for a week's engagement.

Yale University commemorates the 225th anniversary of the granting of its charter.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., celebrate their silver wedding anniversary today.

The new civic stadium in Portland, Ore., is to be dedicated today with the Oregon-Washington football game.

Today is the fiftieth anniversary of the first regular conversation ever held over the telephone, between Boston and Cambridge.

San Francisco today inaugurates a four-day fete in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the founding of the city and of Mission Dolores.

A joint national conference of leaders of Jewish philanthropy from every state in the United States and from Canada will be opened in New York City today to discuss further plans for a \$25,000,000 United Jewish campaign which has been in progress for nearly a year.

Politics in Stanly.
Albion Press.

The quietest campaign in all the history of both parties seems now to be upon us, with only a little more than three weeks ahead to finish up. Whether both parties are on their dignity or not and are exercising only their best behavior, it is hard to say. It is the still water that is deepest, and in the silence of the present moment there may be a depth of effort not seen upon the surface.

The Republican ticket has some good men upon it, some of them being regarded as not only popular, but as men who would make good officers. Yet there are some upon the ticket whose selection would be regarded by many as nothing short of a grave error, regardless of political preference. But in these instances, the voters themselves will exercise their individual preferences this year as never before.

Democrats have been assailed with litigation, threats of renewed disturbance of various kinds, and there has been but little from a general party source to inspire zeal on the part of the several candidates. However, the party has stood onslaughts with but few, if any, scars. It rests in the full confidence that the county has been given the very best administration it has ever known, and there are no records of which it is ashamed and none from which it is running. Possibly no charge which has disturbed the public mind recently has any bearing upon a single official now on the ticket either to succeed himself or in the running for the first time.

To this end, there is a feeling of confidence on part of the restored to power, and the voters of the county know to be under successful operation under a set of officials who are honorable and efficient, and whose established integrity gives the best guarantee of continued good service.

DR. KILGORE OFFERS PLAN TO AID COTTON

He Suggests That Bankers and Others Buy Up Three or Four Million Bales.

Raleigh, Oct. 8.—The cotton surplus of two years is costing the southern cotton farmers three quarters of a billion dollars, declares Dr. B. W. Kilgore, president of the North Carolina Cotton Growers' Co-operative association, and chairman of the board of trustees of the American Cotton Growers' Exchange.

"There is but one cause of the present difficulty, if not almost disastrous situation of the cotton farmer and that is over-production," says Dr. Kilgore in a statement tonight in which he suggests as a possible remedy that a strong group of bankers, business men and time merchants with sufficient capital go on the market and buy 3 or 4 million bales, "or as much as is necessary to raise the price to a fair and reasonable one."

As another possible remedy for the slump in cotton prices, Dr. Kilgore suggests an agreement or arrangement by which those furnishing credit for cotton production will hold one-fourth of the cotton grown, or which comes into their hands.

Dr. Kilgore says the surplus from last year's cotton crop and the prospective surplus for the present season "is making the price for the entire crop." If it had not been for the two million surplus of last year and a similar prospective surplus for this season, Dr. Kilgore declares that the price would conservatively be 20 cents instead of 13 cents.

"No plan will have a full, immediate or long time effect on prices that does not include an adjustment of acreage and production to consumption with reasonableness," says Dr. Kilgore, "and any plan for financing and helping the price now must carry with it a program for re-adjusting the acreage and perhaps reducing last year's acreage by one-fourth or one-third."

Papers Accurate, Says Wade Phillips
Lexington Dispatch.

The accuracy of newspapers, often condemned by the woman who phones in the story of her party and later discovers her middle initial changed from "D" to "T" or by the lawyer who can see only his side of the case, is staunchly defended by Major Wade Phillips, director of the Department of Conservation and development, who Tuesday held forth on the subject to the Raleigh Times as follows:

"To me it's a wonderful thing how accurate newspapers are. You take the editorials or news stories appearing day by day in a reputable newspaper and you'll find them more accurate than the average judge's charge to the jury."

\$201,828 is Paid in at Classic Contest.
Yankee Stadium, New York, Oct. 3.—The official attendance and total receipts figures follow:

Total attendance 63,000.
Total receipts \$201,828.00.
Commissioners share \$39,274.20.
Players share \$102,032.28.
Clubs share \$60,521.52.

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VEGETABLE TONIC

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Mr. I Knowit, He's wrong again.

By Thornton Fishel

WAIT A MINUTE. WAIT A MINUTE! YOU DON'T KNOW HOW TO HANDLE THAT CASE!

NO, DON'T PUSH IT THAT WAY!

OF COURSE IT IS YANKEE. LIFT UP ON YOUR END. I KNOW HOW THIS THING SHOULD BE DONE!

HEY, WOTDE YOU DOIN' THERE?

NEVER MIND! YOU DO WHAT I TELL YOU AND YOU'LL GET THIS THING OUT!

WHY, Y' POOR FISH I'VE BEEN TRYIN' TO GET IT IN!

TILLIE THE TOILER

BLI, MR. SIMPKINS, I WAS ONLY TALKING TO A BOY FRIEND OF MINE FOR A MINUTE.

I DON'T CARE WHO YOU WERE TALKING TO, YOU'VE GOT TO GET WASTING TIME IN THIS OFFICE!

BY GOLLY! SHE'S GONE AGAIN!!!

DIDN'T I TELL YOU YOUNG LADY THAT I DIDN'T WANT YOU TO BE WASTING YOUR TIME IN HERE?

WHY, NO, MR. SIMPKINS, YOU DIDN'T SAY ANYTHING ABOUT BUBBLES OFFICE.

YOU TOLD ME THAT YOU DIDN'T WANT ME TO BE WASTING MY TIME IN OUR OWN OFFICE.

BAH!

Russ COSTNER

JERRY ON THE JOB

ANY TIME YOU COME UP TO MY HOUSE AT THIS TIME OF THE A.M. I KNOW IT'S BAD NEWS. SLIP IT TO ME, TELL ME THE WORST.

WE GOT MORE SAFE TROUBLE THEY OPENED IT UP AGAIN.

STILL IT'S NOTHING TO GET SMOKED UP ABOUT.

YOU KNOW YOURSELF THAT SAFES AS EMPTY AS A HIGH HAT ON A TABLE, AND WHEN THERE'S NOTHING IN A SAFE THAT'S A TERRIBLE DISAPPOINTMENT TO A BURGLAR.

YOU AINT DOING RIGHT BY THEM BURGLARS, MR. GIVNEY.

YOU OUGHT TO PUT SOMETHING IN THAT SAFE OR ELSE LEAVE IT OPEN.

HAVE A HEART MR. GIVNEY

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