FAIRS INFLUENCE COUNTY PROGRESS

opment of the State.

aiding progress by the use of im- order named: proved varieties of crops and better breeds of livestock which produce the highest quality, the great-

est value and the most profit. Fairs have played an important role in the agricultural progress \$200. of the State. Not only has the 2-2:17 Trot. Purse \$200. quality of the products been greatly improved but the per acre yelds for crops have been considerably Purse \$150. increased. For instance, during the last dozen years the acre yield of cotton has been increased by 40 per cent the acre yield of corn by 50 per cent. Yields of other crops of which we have a large The above program is subject number that are of commercial im- to change without notice. portance have been greatly increased during the same period. POULTRY SHOW AT The number of livestock in the state has been increased, and the quality, value and profit from our The poultry department has al-

enhanced during the last ten or tures of the Johnston county fair twelve years. It will be recalled and it is expected the fowl show that this is the period in which this year will eclipse anything Agricultural Fairs, Community, ever seen at a Johnston county fair County, District, State and others before. "More chickens and finer have had their biggest day. No one chickens" is the slogan this year is in position to say definitely what at the Johnston County Poultry n great influence has been exer- Show. There are namy chicken cised during this period by the fanciers in this section and they fair judge in placing the ribbon in will have their eyes filled to the the show ring or at the exhibit brim with sights of some pretty counter. Needless to say, it has birds at the fair on October 27-28been much greater than most of 29-30. This is one feature you can-

Te day of fairs and the value of fairs has not been spent. We PLENTY MUSIC AT have not reached the goal. We have only made a beginning which Four full-size bands will give should lend a new stimulus to go concerts this year at the Johnston forward. We appeal to every man, County Fair. The Riverside Serewoman, boy and girl in the county naders and the two Brown and to take an active interest in the Dyer bands, one white, the other development and extension of the colored, and the great wild west count fair that its influence may band will play continuously be felt in every nook and corner dthroughout the four days of the in the entire county.

Something going on all the time, music than ever heard here be-

loves good horse racing. This year Play an Important Role weather permitting, their racing Big Free Act Spectacle In Agricultural Devel- appetites will be appeased, the management of the fair having taken especial pains to see that racing would be of the first Johnston County Agricultural string. Local turfmen in Smithfield Society is interested primarily in and Johnston county are looking forward to this year's races at the development of the great natural resources of the county, in thusiasm. The program follows in ed here October 27 to 30 when

TUESDAY, OCT 27 1 -2:20 Trot. Purse \$200. 2-2:18 Pace. Purse \$200. WEDNESDAY, OCT 28 1-2:25 Trot and Race. Purse ty Fair.

THURSDAY, OCT 29 County Race (all county horses).

2:17 Pace. Purse \$200. Free For All. Purse \$200.

FRIDAY, OCT. 30 2:18 Trot. Purse \$200. Free For All. Purse \$200.

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Evestock has been wonderfully ways been one of the leading feanot afford to miss.

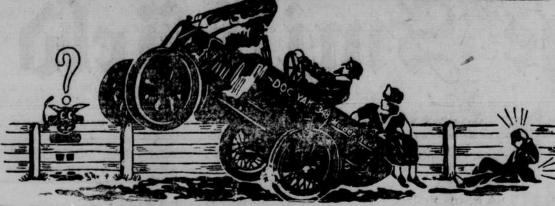
fair. This music will be great in every way and more real genuine

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sights imaginable as it travels the Bucking Ford crew was ac- ing desperate chances to amuse the The "Old Man" of the outfit and serenely down the street. All at climed King of Entertainment, public. once the machine starts plunging the producer of the organization The "Overgrown Kid" is an-widely known through the Central and pitching in a manner which being an old circus man having other member of the crew who has

would put a broncho from the wes- spent many years in the fun pro- earned the reputation of fun maktern Plains to shame. Nothing can ducing department of some of the er, and the antics of both men as to him through his unique mabe funnier and wherever this at- largest entertainment attractions they endeavor to retain seats chine. traction has been shown, it has on the road. The man who takes while the Ford careens down the been hailed as the stellar one. the part of the old woman in the race track is alone worth the The fair at Smithfield is for Throughout the Western and act has narrowly escaped with his price of admission charged to any you. See it. Profit through it. Its Southern fair circuits last season, life on several occasions in tak- carnival or gairground.

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Visitors, investigators and inquiries welcomed and appreciated. Any information pertaining to our town and county will be gladly furnished by the mayor or city clerk

J. A. NARRON, Mayor

W. L. FULLER, City Clerk