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 * Rain tonight and Thursday. Cooler fresh shifting winds becoming easterly.

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Prizes Offered Visitors Here Dress Up Week

Cash Awards Saturday Afternoon For Vehicles Bringing Largest Crowd, Coming Greatest Distance, And In Most Dilapidated Condition—Specials Also For Ford Owners

Numerous local merchants are this week receiving special shipments of choice spring goods for Dress Up Week, assuring the widest and most elaborate showings of seasonable merchandise ever displayed here, during Elizabeth City's big festival and general spring opening which will be held next week beginning Tuesday evening at seven o'clock, and continuing through Saturday. Dress Up Week will be held by the city's merchants, assisted by the Merchants Association and city Chamber of Commerce.

Prizes to be awarded Saturday, April 8, the last day of Dress Up Week, to visitors to this city will be one of the features of the celebration. A cash award of ten dollars will be made to the person whose vehicle—automobile, auto truck, wagon, cart, buggy or what not—brings the largest crowd to the city on that day. Another ten-dollar cash prize will be given for the vehicle that comes the greatest distance, and a third prize of the same amount for the most dilapidated vehicle that comes to Elizabeth City on that date.

Then there will be the Ford contest, put on by the Auto & Gas Engine Works, of this city, local Ford dealers. A \$15 Superior lock steering wheel will be presented to the owner of the newest Ford bought from the company here. A \$10 automobile tire will be awarded to the possessor of the oldest Ford. A \$5 spotlight or electric horn, either at the option of the winner, will be given for the Ford that comes the greatest distance on that date.

The conditions of the vehicle and Ford contests require that all conveyances entered, whether motor-driven or not, be parked in the lot back of the First & Citizens National Bank. Entries must be made there between the hours of two and three o'clock Saturday afternoon, and the prize awards will be made at the latter hour by a committee made up of J. T. Stallings, Noah Burfoot, Jr., M. L. Clark, R. C. Job and T. N. Nelson. The winning machines will parade the leading streets of the city immediately after the contest.

Another feature of the week, aside from the artistically decorated stores and store windows, will be the automobile show, held in a roped off area on Main street between Martin and Water. All makes of cars sold by Elizabeth City dealers will be on display, and besides there will be a very complete showing of the latest types of farm machinery and implements, which should be of special interest to visitors here during Dress Up Week. Dress Up Week will officially begin at seven o'clock Tuesday night, with a parade by the local band, Elizabeth City Fire Company No. 1, with all the company's modern firefighting apparatus, and numerous automobiles. The parade will close in the downtown business district at 7:30, and then, promptly on the minute, the curtains that will have covered the show windows of the stores will be raised simultaneously, revealing the beautiful and original displays of merchandise shown. The stores will open at the same hour, and will remain open until nine o'clock. Local merchants are planning to make Dress Up Week a social event, during which the public of Northeastern North Carolina will be invited to visit their places of business, make themselves generally at home, and feel under no obligation to buy unless they want to.

Predict Unanimous Ratification Today

Washington, Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—Administration leaders predict the ratification of the naval limitation treaty by unanimous vote in view of the complete absence of opposition yesterday. Agreement has been reached for final vote at three o'clock today.

Irish Convention Has Deferred Action

Dublin, Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—The convention of revolting members of the Irish Republican army today debated the question of declaring a military dictatorship but deferred action, says the correspondent to the London Star here. They proposed the overthrow of all governments opposed to the republic.

HOPES WILL CLEAR UP UNFORTUNATE SITUATION

Raleigh, Mar. 28, 1922.
 Dr. Herbert Peele, Editor, The Advance, Elizabeth City, N. C.
 Dear Sir:—
 Please accept my thanks for the copy of your paper of March 24th containing your very able article on the tick eradication situation in Pasquotank County. I am sure that this will greatly assist in clearing up an unfortunate situation.

With kindest regards, I am,
 Yours very truly,
 WM. MOORE,
 State Veterinarian.

Women Report Year Of Great Achievement

Charlotte, Mar. 29 (Special)—The Baptist Women's Missionary Union Convention, which met in its thirty-second annual session in the First Baptist church here Tuesday night, at its session this morning reported a year of great achievements, \$298,698.00 having been reported collected for the year, or only five per cent less than the sum reported last year. Substantial progress has been made along all lines. There are more than six hundred delegates and visitors present. The South Fork Association received the banner presented by Mrs. W. N. Jones for the best all round work done during the past year, Mrs. J. Y. Killian, of Newton, the superintendent, receiving it for the association.

The outstanding feature of the morning session today was the address of the president, Mrs. W. N. Jones, of Raleigh, who spoke on "Lightened to Lighten," that being the motto that has been the foundation principle on which all woman's work for woman is based. Mrs. Wade Bostick, a returned missionary, told a thrilling story of the Chinese women as she knows them.

Everything Smooth For Lloyd George

London, Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—The threatened breach of the cabinet over Premier Lloyd George's program at the Genoa conference has been averted in the opinion of political correspondents to today's newspapers. Everything has been smoothed for the premier's appeal to the House of Commons Friday.

Folding Bike



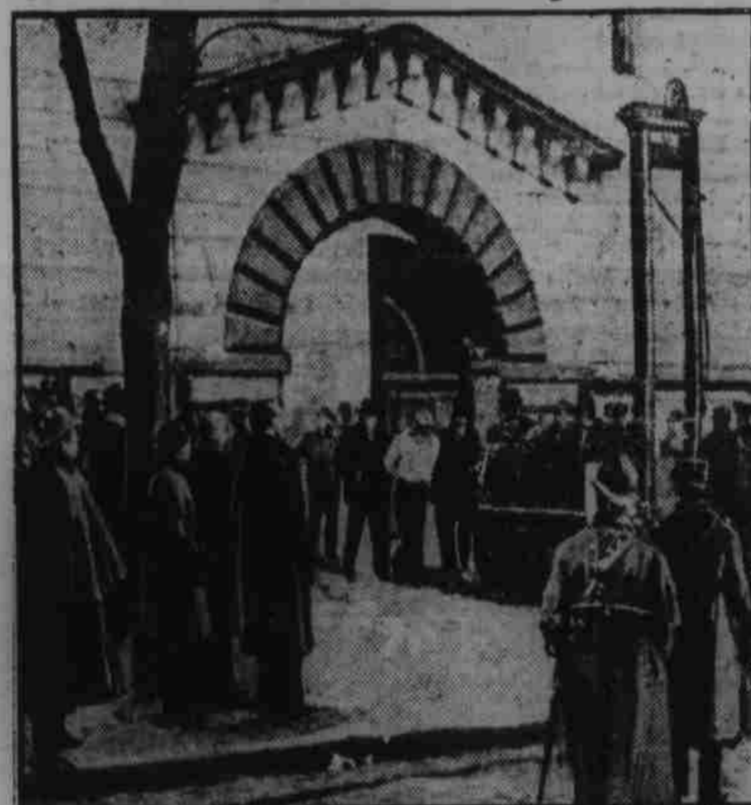
C. H. Clark, New York, folds up his bicycle when he carries it. That's a new invention of his.

Fitzalan Says Goodbye



First picture of Lord Fitzalan's last appearance at Dublin Castle. He had turned over the reins of government to Michael Collins just a few minutes before the above policeman rendered his last salute to him.

Landru's Last Step



ev Landru, the French Bluebeard, had to pay the penalty for his numerous murders on the scaffold. This photo, the first ever taken of a guillotining, shows the prisoner being led to his death in the Prison Square at Versailles.

Will Meet To Struggle Over Miners' Demands

New York, Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—The members of the anthracite sub-committee on wage contract negotiations assemble here today for a long struggle over the miners' nineteen demands, casting aside the remote possibility of settling the differences in time to avert the general strike three days hence.

Services Continue At The Big Tent

Ministers Of The Community Filling Pulpit And Large Crowds Attending

Rev. H. K. Williams preached a splendid sermon to a packed tent on Tuesday night and tonight at the usual hour Rev. E. L. Stack will preach.

On Thursday night Rev. G. F. Hill will speak, on Friday night Rev. R. F. Hall, and on Saturday night Rev. H. E. Myers. Further announcements in regard to the services will be made on Saturday.

It is felt that with the co-operation of the pastors of the community this week, the meeting is reaching a fitting and fruitful climax, and Christian people of all denominations are earnestly invited to co-operate in all the ways they can.

The public is invited to attend all services.

Mountain Etna Is In Violent Eruption

London, Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—The mountain Etna is in violent eruption says a Central News dispatch from Rome, quoting Palermo advices. Streams of lava are flowing down all sides of the crater. The inhabitants of the villages on the mountainside have fled.

Kitchin's Daughter Dies In Washington

Washington, Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—Miss Ione Kitchin, twenty-one-year-old daughter of Representative Claude Kitchin, died at the family home today after an illness of nine months. Prior to her illness she was a student at George Washington University, where she was to have graduated in June. Funeral arrangements are not completed. The body will be sent to Scotland Neck, N. C., for interment.

Wake Forest Alumni Get Together Tonight

Alumni Secretary T. B. Collins Wants To See Every Fellow Present

The Wake Forest Alumni of this community will hold a get together meeting at the Southern Hotel tonight at 7:30.

Alumni Secretary T. B. Collins is here to meet the Wake Forest men. Notices have been sent to more than 25 alumni, and Mr. Collins says "In case any fellow has been overlooked it is hoped that this announcement through The Advance will get him."

"Let's get around the festive board and renew our youth with song and story."

Wins Women's National Championship In Golf

Pinehurst, Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—Miss Glenna Collett of Providence, R. I., won the North and South women's golf championship today by defeating Mrs. M. J. Scammell, of Uniontown, Pa., four and two.

TO INVESTIGATE PRICE OF COTTON

Washington, Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—An investigation by the Federal Trade Commission into the cause of the present depressed price of cotton and into operation of the cotton exchanges was ordered today under a resolution by Senator Dial of South Carolina adopted in the Senate.

HOUSE PASSES ARMY BILL

Washington, Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—The House passed the army appropriation bill today carrying approximately \$288,000,000.

STRIKE CLOSES MILL

Providence, Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—The Andrews mill at North Smithfield has been closed as a result of a walkout due to a ten per cent wage cut.

LOCAL SHIPBUILDER WILL OPERATE FERRY

Captain T. B. Hayman Will Establish Needed Transportation Service Across Sound At Edenton

Captain T. B. Hayman of this city, shipbuilder and owner of a marine railway here, will establish a ferry across Albemarle Sound between Edenton and Mackey's Ferry about the middle of April. The people of Chowan and of the half dozen counties immediately across the Sound, have long been particularly anxious for some type of regular ferriage between the two sections, and Mr. Hayman, in starting his ferry, is expecting a large vehicle traffic over it, especially in automobiles. No vehicular ferry has ever been maintained there.

A motorist now planning to go from Chowan into Washington County, in which Mackey's Ferry is located, must follow a long overland circuit through Bertie and Martin Counties, though the distance by water is only approximately nine miles. The Chadwick, which Captain Hayman proposes to use as a ferry-boat, has a capacity to accommodate four cars, with additional room for pedestrians who may take the ferry route. He is now overhauling the boat, and is installing a new sixty-horse power oil-burning engine which will guarantee, he says, sufficient power to give the public an exceptionally fast ferry service.

N. W. Stevens of Camden was in the city on business Tuesday.

TWO ASSASSINS ARE ARRESTED

Charged With Killing Vladimir Naboukoff In Attempt On Life Of Statesman

Berlin, Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—Two Czarist officers were arrested today charged with killing Vladimir Naboukoff, former Secretary of State of the first Russian parliamentary cabinet, and attempting to assassinate Professor Paul Milukoff, former Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Provisional government.

Naboukoff was killed during an attack on Milukoff while the latter was addressing a Russian meeting last night.

Vladimir Nasimoff Lewentov, Russian journalist, and brother of the actress Nazimova, assisted in the capture of the assassins.

WARRING IRISH WATCH AND WAIT

While London Centers Its Efforts On Making Peace In Conference Called By The Government

London, Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—London today centered its interest on efforts to pacify Ireland with the opening of a conference called by the Imperial Government to consider the situation resulting from recent disorders. The warring elements of Belfast called a truce pending the result of the conference, according to the Evening News correspondent.

STATE BANKS WIN IN FIRST CLASH

Charlotte, N. C., Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—The State Supreme Court will be the scene of the next stage of the battle, it is intimated, of 275 State banks in the so-called par clearance controversy with the Richmond Federal Reserve Bank. Eventually the fight is expected to reach the United States Supreme Court. The decision yesterday of Judge Webb permanently enjoined the Richmond bank from refusing to accept exchange drafts of the plaintiff banks on which a fee is charged.

On Last Day's Tour Of Muscle Shoals

Florence, Ala., Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—The Congressional party spends the last day of its tour of Muscle Shoals inspecting the proposed development of the Tennessee River in connection with private offers for disposal of the government's war plant here.

FUNERAL HENRY BATEMAN

The funeral of Henry Bateman, who died at his home, 613 First street, Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock after an illness of several months, was held at the home Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Rev. James H. Thayer, assisted by Mrs. Lizzie McAdams, and interment was made at Hollywood.

Juniors Overwhelm Freshmen

In the latest game of the high school baseball series, the Juniors defeated the Freshmen, 24 to 4. Julian Ward, the Junior pitcher, with plenty of speed and fast breaking curves held the opposition batters helpless, and contributed materially to his team's victory by hitting out a home run and a three-bagger. Butler connected with the horse hide for a homer, two two base hits, and a single.

Jones who opened the game in the box for the Freshmen, blew up in the third and was relieved by Miller, who was effective throughout the remainder of the game.

SIAMESE TWINS EXTREMELY ILL

Physicians Considering Whether To Operate And Separate Them In Order To Save One

Chicago, Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—Death still lurked in the shadows of the hospital today where lie Joseph and Rosa Blazek, Siamese twins, stricken with yellow jaundice. Both are unconscious. Doctors have long considered an operation to separate them, contingent on the death of one, which physicians have said would mean the other's death. Each has an individual heart, lungs and stomach. Joseph was stricken first and is most desperately ill.

TEX RICKARD IS ACQUITTED

New York, Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—Tex Rickard was acquitted of charges of assault and abduction in Supreme Court here early today and will probably not be tried on the three similar indictments according to Assistant District Attorney Pecora.

Have Posted Notices Of Week's Lockout

London, Mar. 29 (By The Associated Press)—The Engineers Employers Federation today posted notices locking out 600,000 members of forty-seven unions, effective one week.

FINED WEDNESDAY MORNING

Howard White, colored, submitted in recorder's court Wednesday morning on a charge of riding a bicycle in the city after nightfall without a light, as prescribed by a local ordinance, and was fined a dollar and costs.