

STATE CONVENTION OF FARMERS SOON

Farmers and Farm Women to Gather at State College For Event.

Farmers and farm women of North Carolina will gather at State College during the week of August 29 for the annual session of the State Farmer's Convention and the meeting of the State Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs. C. A. Sheffield, secretary of the convention, announces that plans are well under way now to make this a successful gathering.

The sectional programs for men and women have about been completed as well as the courses of study for the annual short course for the women. The program calls for general meetings of men each morning from eight until ten o'clock in Pullen Hall followed by a similar meeting for the women from ten until twelve. The assemblies for men and women will be held each evening under the floodlights on Riddick Field. At these evening gatherings, no lectures on subject matter will be permitted but rather there will be inspirational addresses on various subjects of interest to rural people.

The dates for the convention were changed this year so that the meeting would not conflict with the tobacco harvest in eastern Carolina. Next year, it is planned to make dates of more convenience to the western half of the State and this alternating meeting date will be observed in the future. As usual the college is offering its rooms free of charge. Meals will be served at a minimum cost and the occasion will be used by many families as an annual vacation period.

Officers of the Convention this year are W. Warren Watson, Lake Landing, Hyde County, president; L. H. McKay, Hendersonville, first vice-president; Leland Kitchen, Scotland Neck, second vice-president, and C. A. Sheffield, Raleigh, secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. D. A. McCormick of McDONALDS, Robeson County, is president of the State Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs. Mrs. Dewey Bennett Forsyth County, is first vice-president; Mrs. Gordon Reed, Rutherford County, second vice-president; Mrs. Hubert Boney, Duplin, recording secretary; Mrs. T. L. Woodburn, Martin corresponding secretary, and Mrs. J. I. Wagoner, Guilford County, treasurer.

GLoucester NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kitchen of Enka, and Mrs. Cynthia Kitchen of Post, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Kitchen Saturday. Mrs. Kitchen will spend several days with her son.

Mrs. Harry McCall and children Lillian and Truett returned to their home at Balsam Grove Thursday after spending the week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McCall. Miss Maxie McCall accompanied her home and will spend a few days visiting relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlow McCall made a business trip to Easley, S. C., Tuesday.

Talmage Kilpatrick visited Flemon McCall Thursday afternoon.

Among those visiting in Brevard from our section Monday were: Mr. Collie McCall, Mr. and Mrs. Archie McCall, Mr. and Mrs. Spurgan Owen, Harlow and W. M. McCall.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Odell Owen join in wishing them a long and happy life.

Mr. Flemon McCall spent Wednesday night with Talmage Kilpatrick. Miss Maxie McCall was a Brevard visitor Saturday.

Ranzie Owen and Flemon McCall attended the revival meeting at Shoal Creek Monday night.

Dove Mason and Geneva Owen was Balsam Grove visitors one night last week.

MASONIC MEETING



FRIDAY NIGHT
8:00 O'CLOCK

ATTENTION

campers and Picnicers
WE ARE
always glad to prepare
your picnic lunches with

Good Food
Cooked Right

At

The Canteen

Doc Galloway, Prop.

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from 5:00 A. M. until 2:00 A. M.

PUG HINTON TAKES ANOTHER VICTORY

Speed Morgan, of Greenville, No Match For Brevard Boy.

"Pug" Hinton of Brevard again demonstrated considerable ability as a young boxer when he knocked out "Speed" Morgan of Greenville in the fourth round of a scheduled eight round bout, the headliner at Osceola Lake pavilion last Monday night. Hinton outclassed his opponent from the beginning of the fight. The final blow landed just below the heart and followed a speedy attack shortly after the opening of the fourth round which drove Morgan to the ropes in his own corner. Morgan went to the canvas in the third taking a count of eight when the bell ended the round and did not seem to have fully recovered when the fourth opened. Hinton's rapid fire at Morgan's body soon ended the fight. Hinton's clever in-fighting was in evidence in this bout. Hinton weighed 155 and Morgan 156.

Eddie Smith, 177 of Traveler's Rest and Hugh Moore, 178 of Charleston, W. Va featured the 8 round semi-final. The fighting was about even during seven rounds and in the eighth Smith was a shade better and received the decision.

Jimmy Drake won from Hoyt Young in four rounds and Pete Peterson received a decision over "Bearcat" Davis in three. Each bout went the scheduled limit. The Battling Bearcat of Jumpoff Mountain as Davis is known to his friends started to mix things with Peterson after getting a sharp rap on the nose in the first round, but Peterson being more experienced kept Davis away.

There was real entertainment while it lasted in the colored bout between Charlie Milton of St. Petersburg and Bill Gray of Hendersonville, in which the local colored boy took the count in the first round of a scheduled six round fray. The St. Petersburg fighter was too much for Gray who stopped a stiff left to the face almost as soon as the bout started and was dropped. Gray knelt while listening to the referee's count, all the

MERRILLS ENJOY A REAL HOME-COMING

A large number of people attended the Merrill family homecoming held at the home of Mrs. Rachel Merrill on Little River Sunday August 7.

All the children and grandchildren of Mrs. Merrill were present including: Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams and children, Rachel and Albert Williams; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Beddingfield and children, Rheumma and Riley of Brevard; Mr. and Mrs. David Merrill, of Easley, S. C.; Mr. W. E. Merrill, of New Orleans, La.; Mr. and Mrs. George Merrill, of Penrose, N. C.; Misses Sallie and Lorean Merrill, of Penrose; Messrs. Frank and Riley Merrill, of Penrose.

Brothers and sisters of Mrs. Merrill present were: Mr. Ulys Merrill, of Brevard; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Merrill, of Brevard, and Miss Anna Merrill, of Penrose.

Friends present for the homecoming were: Miss Catherine Aiken of Pickens, S. C., and Mr. W. D. Smith of Greenville, S. C.

GRAHAM'S RETURN TO THEIR FLORIDA HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graham of Fernandina, Florida and their family have returned to their home after spending two weeks in Delray, Florida.

The Graham family is widely known here where they have spent several summer seasons. Tommie Graham is a former Brevard Institute student and he gained recognition here for his baseball ability.

while shaking his head apparently undecided whether to continue and face more of the same punishment, and appeared relieved when he heard the count of ten. Milton has the reputation of being a fast boxer and will probably be featured in another card at Osceola Lake pavilion.

INSURANCE PEOPLE WANT RATES RAISED

Opposition Is Encountered When Those Who Pay Are Called.

Raleigh, Aug. 10.—Opposition developed to the proposal of the insurance carriers to increase premium on workmen's compensation insurance in North Carolina from the employers who have to pay the insurance, when a hearing was held before Dan C. Boney, State Insurance Commissioner as the hearing was continued until August 31, when the proposal will be presented and cross examination permitted.

The N. C. Inspection and Rating Bureau, composed of three mutual and three stock companies, with Commissioner Boney as chairman, had planned to submit the rate increase petition the day before, but each group had a different schedule and no agreement had been reached when the employers met at Mr. Boney's call Friday.

The insurance companies say they lost on premium income and insist that they need an increase, estimated at from 12 to 18 per cent. The N. C. Industrial Commission, which administers the Workmen's Compensation Law, met with the employers of labor to oppose increases, unless justified by the three years of North Carolina experience, not on national experience. Chairman Matt H. Allen and Commissioner J. Dewey Dorsett, of the commission, made statements which they claim shows a decreased cost to the insurance companies, and show a decrease in premium rates, rather than an increase, may be justified.

In fact, the employers and their representatives and the Industrial Commission members "took" the meeting and the proposal of the insurance companies was not even made. Congressman A. L. Bulwinkle was present to oppose an increase in rates on behalf of textile manufacturers of Gaston county. The postponement until August 31 was asked so facts and figures can be presented.

CHAPMAN REUNION MOST HAPPY AFFAIR

(Contributed)

On Sunday, August 7, a reunion was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Chapman of the Quebec section. At that secluded mountain home where the sound of rippling waterfalls ever furnishes sweetest music and the giant oaks beckon with a cool and shady retreat, a host of friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Chapman enjoyed an occasion which will not soon be forgotten.

For the first time in ten years, all the children gathered back to the old nest from whence all but one have flown. One son, Barney, still remains with his aged parents. Ten years ago the seven children met for a family reunion and since that date all of them have never been back to the old home at the same time. However happiest hours often are fraught with saddest memories, one of those present ten years ago was missing. A son, Carl, had been called into that Great Beyond and as the remaining six gathered with their parents and numerous relatives and friends there was no doubt a thought of the dear departed one, in the minds of each and the question arose, will this circle be unbroken when we meet again next year?

T. H. Galloway of Brevard, N. C., a brother of Mrs. Chapman, made a short talk after which a bountiful dinner was spread upon a long table on the lawn, and truly, there were basketfuls removed after all those present had fared sumptuously.

The six children were: Henry and Barney Chapman, both of Quebec; Mrs. H. L. McCall and Mrs. W. J. Raines, of Lake Toxaway; Mrs. A. N. Collins, of St. Petersburg, Florida, and Mrs. Eugene King, of Kings Mountain, N. C. In addition to these sons and daughters, there were present twelve grandchildren, five great grandchildren and a number of relatives and friends from this state and South Carolina.

J. H. Boyd of Pitt County has developed a herd of 113 pure bred Poland China Hogs.

WINCHESTER GROUP IN FAMILY REUNION

To Be Held At Antioch Baptist Church, Near Pickens, S. C. Next Sunday.

The following is the program of the Winchester family reunion which will be held at Antioch Baptist church near Pickens, S. C. the second Sunday in August which will be the fourteenth of the month.

- 10:00 A. M. Sunday School.
 - 11:00 A. M. Welcome Address by Rev. A. M. Simmons Pastor of Antioch Church.
 - 11:15 A. M. Talk by Rev. C. R. Abercrombie former Pastor of Antioch Church.
 - 12:00 Noon Talks by any others and any of the family connection. Talk by Walter Ellison of Anderson County.
 - 1:00 P. M. Dinner on the grounds. Served picnic style.
 - 2:00 P. M. Re-convene for song services.
 - 2:30 P. M. A history of the Winchester generation and talk of Professor Geo. E. Welborn.
 - 3:00 P. M. Address by Senator W. D. Spearman.
 - 3:30 P. M. Address by Honorable E. P. McCravy.
 - 4:00 P. M. Music and adjourn.
- Professor R. M. Bolding and others will furnish music throughout the day. The public is cordially invited to be present and especially the ones that are related by blood or marriage to the Winchesters. Everybody come and bring well filled baskets, spend the day and lets have an enjoyable time. Antioch is located twelve miles north-west of Pickens Court House. It is six miles West of highway No. 14 leaving said highway at Price's Store.
- Signed,
A. T. Winchester, Chairman.
W. L. Winchester.
James Winchester,
Committee.

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