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NORTH CAROLINA FARMERS AT THE WEST RALEIGH CONVENTION.

The North Carolina farmers who attend the Farmers' and Farm Women's Convention at West Raleigh, August 29th to 31st are the ones who will gradually come to the front as leaders in the different communities in which they live.

Many practical lessons will be taught by demonstration, and a good program has been arranged for the purpose of giving new ideas in farm-home and community development. Mrs. Kate Brew Vaughn will deliver a practical lecture on the subject of cooperation on the farms. Dr. Cyril G. Hopkins, of the Illinois Experiment Station will present the matter of economic systems of practical soil improvement; cover crops, hay crops, community seed production, and the value of legumes will be discussed in round table manner by the experts of the Station and Extension Service; club work will receive careful attention at the hands of the club leaders; canning and home economics demonstrations will be going on at the campus; community development will be given a liberal consideration; and live-stock and pastures will be discussed by experts and practical farmers.

In addition to these matters, practical demonstrations in the improvement of field crops will be given on the Experiment Station farms. Silos will be filled, the poultry yards visited and the work explained, the barns and pastures will be visited, and the dairy will be operated for the benefit of the visiting farmers.

Secretary Browne has arranged with the railroads for a reduction in fare on account of the meeting, and accommodations will be furnished by the college. A nominal charge for meals will be made, and on the whole, expenses should not be over one dollar per day. The convention will be called to order by President Roger A. Derby of Jackson Springs, at 10:30 Tuesday morning August 29th, and all who expect to attend should be on hand at that time, as no lot to lose part of the valuable program—Extension Farm News.

THE COUNTRY STATION AGENT.

The country station agent has many duties which make him a busy man, and he needs a little consideration from his customers. He usually does his best to satisfy the farmers with whom he deals daily in performing his duties. Don't knock the station agent if he does not give you all of his attention, as he has many things to do in a day besides taking care of you says Drovers' Journal. We are all human, and if you treat him with consideration his life will be more pleasant and undoubtedly he will feel more like putting himself out to satisfy your demands. Don't ask him to do things for you which his regulations forbid. He may violate a rule to do something for you once, and it is little appreciated. The next time it is expected and insisted upon. The complexity of the work of the station agent is not understood by most people, and their demands upon him are sometimes so unreasonable that he becomes disgusted. Treat him with kindness and he will do better work, indirectly helping you. Many farmers lose their patience with a switching cow or a young horse, and one station agent said that he believes they would acquire more of this habit if they endeavored to conduct a country station. You may say he is wrong, but give him the benefit of the doubt, and remember that he has more than the individual to satisfy each day, so aim to make his work as pleasant as possible by making allowances.—Ex.

First Lieutenant W. D. Holland of Co. M., Second Infantry returned Tuesday to Camp Glenn, after spending several days here with his family. He sold his place of business while here, as he is under the impression that it will be several months before his company is mustered out of service.

Clayton Orders Town Closed on Sundays.

Clayton, Aug. 11.—From now on all who smoke and drink coco cola on Sunday in Clayton, must be thoughtful enough to lay by in store on Saturday enough to tide them over the Sabbath as the town fathers ordained at their regular monthly meeting this week that we are to have closed doors on that day. Heretofore it was easy to walk into any of the 15 or more places in the town where drinks are dispensed and satisfy thirst, but this is ordered stopped. Ice must be delivered at the door of the ice house between certain hours only, and all other things except medicine must remain on the shelf till Monday morning.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

The following deeds have been filed for registration in the office of Register of Deeds since our last issue:

Wilkins-Ricks Co., mortgagee to C. C. Hatch, 50 acres in Anderson's Creek township, Consideration, \$175. Deed dated July 3 1916.

W. C. Davis and wife to Jas. A. Marks, 25 acres in U. L. R. township. Consideration, \$10 and other considerations. Deed dated July 26, 1916.

Thos. J. Scoggins to M. Frances Scoggins, one tract in U. L. R. township. Consideration \$5 and other considerations. Deed dated June 27 1916.

J. W. Tatum to B. F. Parrish, one town lot in Coats, Consideration \$— Deed dated July 17, 1916.

J. M. Byrd, sheriff, to J. W. Halford, 143 acres in Lillington township. Consideration, \$325 & 66. Deed dated July 25 1916.

Sampson Williams and wife to John W. Williams, Jr., one town lot in Coats. Consideration, \$375. Deed dated August 7, 1916.

Chas. Ross and wife to A. G. Ragland, one acre in Shawtown. Consideration, \$50. Deed dated January 24, 1916.

H. McN. McKay, mortgagee, and E. F. Young, transferee, to W. T. McKay, 21 acres in Hector's Creek township. Consideration \$800. Deed dated February 1916.

J. R. Baggett, commissioner, to Sam McArthur, 100 acres in Barbecue township. Consideration, \$300. Deed dated July 3, 1916.

Hugh McLean, administrator of bones non, to Hugh McLean, 115 acres in U. L. R. township. Consideration \$143. Deed dated March 22, 1916.

Geo. H. Long, mortgagee, and J. W. Purdie, transferee, one town lot in Lillington. Consideration, \$475. Deed dated February 14, 1916.

N. A. Townsend and wife to Edward Purdie one town lot in Lillington. Consideration, \$475 Deed dated June 6 1916—Harnett Post.

Automobile Accidents.

It is all very well to gratify our children and even take a pride in their accomplishments but there are entirely too many serious accidents, involving even loss of life. The following section 13 is taken from Chapter 107, Public Laws 1913 and should be obeyed by all:

Section 13. That no person shall operate a motor vehicle upon the public highways of this State who is under the age of sixteen years, and no person shall operate a motor vehicle when intoxicated, or in a race, or on a bet or wager, or for the purpose of making a record; Provided nothing herein contained shall prevent racing on private race courses or tracks.

The Sheriffs and police officers are specially charged with its enforcement. Is it enforced? If not, why not?—News Bulletin.

Mrs. G. Byron Ford and children left last Friday for Goldsboro where they will join Mr. Ford and make that city their home. Mr. Ford has charge of the News and Observer bureau in Goldsboro, going there from Raleigh about thirty days ago.

Mr. Ellis Goldstein arrived this morning from Philadelphia where he spent the first of the week with Mrs. Goldstein who is spending the summer at Trappe, Pa.

WHAT IT COSTS TO BE SICK

Each Workman Loses Nine Days and Pays Six Dollars for Medicine.

A committee which has been for several years engaged in gathering information concerning the time lost by workmen through sickness has recently made a report according to which each one of the 30,000,000 wage earners of the United States loses annually nine days' time from illness. In addition there is an expenditure of six dollars per capita for medical treatment, a total loss through sickness of \$500,000,000.

An examination into the causes of sickness showed that almost all were preventable; the chief causes being errors in diet, the use of alcohol, tobacco, unventilated living rooms, dusty, dark unventilated factories and workshops.

The committee was of the opinion that proper living conditions would easily reduce the cost of illness to one-tenth the present sum as wage earners for the most part are able-bodied men and women. The committee believes further that compulsory health insurance similar to that adopted in Great Britain last year would also be an effective remedy in reducing the cost of illness.

JURORS FOR SEPTEMBER COURT.

The following jurors have been drawn for the September term of Harnett Superior Court:

FIRST WEEK.
Averasboro—F. T. Godwin; J. Martin Stewart; H. S. Warren; J. L. Parker; L. B. Meekins; J. L. Davis; C. B. Aycock; D. H. Truelove.
Anderson's Creek—C. B. West Barbecue—L. G. Holt; W. G. Greenland.

Black River—M. J. W. Nathan Hockaday; John R. Dupree; N. C. Massengill.
Duke—Thomas Ralph.

Buckhorn—E. Blanchard. Grove—Hoke C. Stewart. Johnsonville—D. A. Darroch. J. A. McGregor.

Hector's Creek—W. R. Rambeant; H. C. Mann; J. T. Smith Lillington—C. McDonald; B. F. Atkins.

Neill's Creek—R. B. Harmon. Stewart Creek—Angus McDonald.

U. L. River—N. A. Morrison. M. J. McNeill W. J. Porter; J. C. Gilchrist; J. M. Boze Jr.; D. A. Cameron; G. W. O'Quinn; G. F. Dennis.

SECOND WEEK.
Averasboro—Julius M. Lee; G. E. Johnson; J. A. Parnell; George T. McKay; A. D. Wilson Black River—J. E. Deal; J. N. Langdon; T. C. Creech.

Buckhorn—A. C. Stephenson J. M. Cade; W. D. Tutor. Duke—J. D. Phillips; A. A. D. Porter.

Grove—D. E. Avery. Lillington—J. A. McDonald. Neill's Creek—J. K. Upchurch U. L. River—J. D. Rogers; W. H. Wade.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan have returned from a week's visit to Wrightsville Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Boyett and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barrett have returned to their home at Goldsboro after visiting Mrs. and Mrs. Adonzo Wilson.

MRS. LOU J. MCKAY

In the sad and unexpected death of Mrs. Lou J. McKay on August 6 1916 at the home of her son, Mr. H. McKay, after an illness of three days, the Calico Chapter of U. D. C's has lost one of its most devoted and earnest members.

This Chapter was organized July 10, 1904. Its Charter was granted May 27, 1904. Mrs. McKay's name is first on the list of charter members and was also its first President. We can only feel submissive when we realize that God rules in love. We desire to express our love and esteem for a friend and associate whom we shall not so soon see again.

That in her death our organization has lost one of its most loyal and helpful members and that our organization will be more earnest, active and diligent in the work which we are spared to carry on.

That in the death of Mrs. McKay, not only her immediate family, but her church, the town and community at large have lost one of their most beloved and unselfish members. One who lived for others.

That we extend to the bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy, trusting that they may find comfort alone in Him who is able to speak peace to their hearts.

That we devote a memorial page in our book of minutes to these resolutions. Also, a sketch of the life of Mrs. McKay our first President be recorded in the Historian's book. A copy of these resolutions to be sent each of her children, viz: Mrs. R. G. Taylor of Dunn, N. C. Mr. Malcolm McKay of Faison, N. C. and Mr. H. H. McKay of Dunn, N. C. One to the Confederate Veteran. The News & Observer and the local papers for publication.

MRS. R. M. PEARSALL, MRS. McD. COLLIDAY, Committee.

A Bar is all This.

By Lifeterner in Illinois Prison

The Saloon is sometimes called a bar, that's true. A bar to heaven, a door to hell; whoever named it named it well. A bar to manliness and wealth a door to want and broken health. A bar to honor, pride and fame; a door to grief and sin and shame. A bar to home a bar to prayer; a door to darkness and despair. A bar to honored, useful life; a door to brawling, senseless strife. A bar to all that's true and brave; a door to every drunkard's grave. A bar to joys that home imparts, a door to every drinker's grave. A bar to joys that home imparts a door to allying hearts. A bar to heaven; and a door to hell; whoever named it named it well.

The Wonder Industry.

(From the New York Evening Mail.)

In 1906 there were 48,000 automobiles in the United States. This year there are 2,445,664. In registration fees the owners of cars have paid this year \$18,245,713.

In other words, the American people pay nearly as much today for automobile licenses as they paid for all the automobiles in service 10 years ago.

COMMUNITY SERVICE SCHOOL IN SAMPSON WAS A SUCCESS.

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 11.—President W. C. Riddick, of the A. and M. College returned yesterday from Laurel Hill Community Service School in Sampson county, where he delivered an address at a meeting of the Sampson County Community Service League, says the News and Observer. Mr. W. C. Crosby, Mr. N. C. Newbold, Mr. R. W. Grazer and others spoke at meeting which Prof Riddick was one of the most enthusiastic that he has ever attended. The meeting was characterized by the large number of progressive farmers who were present and the healthy spirit of progress which prevailed at the meeting.

The meeting was held under the auspices of Mr. W. C. Crosby, who is in charge of the community service work in North Carolina.

The crops in Sampson county this year are good, and there seems to be an air of prosperity prevailing among the farmers. The corn crop is particularly good, and it looks as if a bountiful crop will swell the crisis of Sampson county.

Prof Riddick spoke on the rural community of the future. He dealt principally with the community as a social, moral and educational unit, with the petty differences of the people wiped out and all working together for the common good. The new community of the future will be up-to-date in every particular, with its city conveniences present and a fine spirit of progressiveness prevailing, said Prof. Riddick in his address.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONFERENCE TO BE HELD AT SANFORD.

School conference of the Fayetteville District North Carolina Conference of the Methodist church will convene at Sanford N. C. September 5th at three o'clock P. M. and will adjourn at three o'clock on the sixth. All Sunday School Superintendents, teachers of Bible classes, pastors, presiding elders, and others interested in Sunday School Superintendents, teachers of Bible classes, pastors presiding elders and others interested in Sunday school work are expected to be present. Entertainment will be furnished by the people of Sanford and Rev. H. E. Spence, Sanford, N. C. is Chairman of the entertainment committee. The conference was organized last year at Duke N. C. and held a very profitable meeting. The officers elected were J. B. Atwater Ryeum, N. C. president; S. P. Hatch of Sanford, vice president, E. S. Yarborough, Duke N. C. Secretary and treasurer. Some very able speakers have been secured for the conference at Sanford, and very important questions relating to the Sunday School work will be discussed in open conference. The entire program will be arranged and published next week. Fayetteville District embraces a part of the territory covered by this paper and we feel sure that our Methodist Sunday School will take advantage of this special occasion and will be well represented at Sanford.

MCCASKILL AND GODWIN ENTER JOINT CAMPAIGN.

Sixth Congressional District Candidates to Debate Leading Political Questions.

There is always something doing in the Sixth District and from present indications there will be a lively campaign between the two candidates for Congress as soon as the campaign opens.

A few days ago, J. R. Tolar of Fayetteville, the Republican Congressional chairman, issued a challenge to J. C. Clifford, of Dunn, who is chairman of the Democratic Congressional committee, for a joint campaign between Mr. McCaskill and Mr. Godwin. Mr. Clifford delayed the matter until he could obtain an expression from Mr. Godwin indicating whether or not he would care to enter a joint campaign. Mr. Clifford received an expression from Mr. Godwin stating his willingness to have a joint debate of the issues involved in the campaign as soon as the campaign opens and after the adjournment of Congress. Immediately Mr. Tolar wrote a letter to Mr. Tolar accepting his challenge and suggesting that Mr. Tolar indicate place and time of meeting for the purpose of arranging for the itinerary.

The meeting will likely be held at an early date and full arrangements for the campaign will be agreed upon. From the present outlook the campaign will be full of life and interest.

A LONG LIFE AND A MERRY ONE.

Ford Bulletin.

Anent the old saying "Laugh and grow fat," we now have "Laugh and live long!"

Why does a person laugh? Is it because he is happy? Or is he happy because he laughs? No doubt both reasons are correct. It is true that when our humorous sense is touched, the inward expression quickly spreads to the surface, and it is equally true that we are soon brought to laugh when the effect is from the outside.

It is a good idea to do a jig step on the stomach and liver, each time giving those important organs a healthy nudge. They wake up and get into the game, and the red blood flows faster through the arteries and veins.

A day that is started with a hearty laugh is a better day. Stand before a looking glass when you get up. Look pleasant, please. Now pull the mouth corners as far back toward the ears as you can. Squint the eyes a little and take a deep breath. Then let go.

Ha! ha! ha! now on a low key, now on a high one, then all the way up and down the scale between. Pat the chest and stomach with the flat of the hand. Maybe you can play a tune. Do this for several minutes.

If you have the blues forget them in wholesome, hearty laughter.

Good cheer is limited. Be a millionaire of good cheer.

UNION SERVICE BEGINS IN DUNN NEXT SUNDAY.

The Great Union Revival in Dunn, led by Evangelist John W. Ham, begins in Dunn next Sunday. We do not know the hour of the first service but it will probably be in the afternoon or at night, as it has been suggested by the Evangelist that the churches in town hold their regular morning services on Sunday. The tent will be located on the beautiful lot just back of the Methodist and Presbyterian churches in a large grove. The tent will arrive the latter part of the week and will be ready for use by Sunday. The seating capacity will be upward of two thousand. Large crowds are expected for many miles around.

The one thing needful in the meeting is the co-operation of all Christian people in the work and we feel sure this will be given. Evangelist Ham preaches the gospel, and has no compromise for sin. He preaches plain truth and nails local sins square in the face. You may not agree with every statement made by the Evangelist, but you should not fall out with him and criticize the meeting. Go out and take part, help uproot the evil that is found right here in our midst. A large choir will furnish music for the service and our people are looking forward to a great meeting.

Miss Ida May Pittman left Friday for Mount Olive, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Claude Gardner. She will spend a few days at Wrightsville Beach before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Williams of Selma, arrived Saturday to visit relatives in the city.

WHAT THE BUILDING AND LOAN MEANS.

PREPAREDNESS MEANS PROSPERITY.

Building and Loan Associations are the Saving Banks for people with modest incomes. They are established to help the man who works for wages and saves his money at a better rate of interest than he can get anywhere else.

Many people want to save, and know they ought to save, but they just don't get started. The Building and Loan makes it easy to start saving and hard to stop. We will be glad to tell you more about it if you will come and talk to us.

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