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HOW CHAUTAUQUA WILL DO ITS "BIT"

Arrangements Made For a Patriotic Day With Special Music

ISSUES WILL BE DISCUSSED

The Whole Program Will Ring With Patriotism—Why It Was Named "The Greatest Thing in America" by Theodore Roosevelt

"How can we do our bit?" is the question millions of Americans are asking each other in these warlike times. The Chautauqua committee has been wondering how the Chautauqua could do its bit in this great national emergency, and from Chautauqua headquarters in New York city there comes the interesting information that the Chautauqua will do its bit in taking advantage of its wonderful opportunity in getting right down to plain facts with the people on some of the big problems that are going to and around a starting in the face before the end of another year.

It was about ten years ago that Theodore Roosevelt came out with the statement that he was in the White House that the Chautauqua was the "most American thing in America." The statement was flashed across the country, and those who knew of the work of the Chautauqua knew what he meant. Some didn't know. Some are still guessing.

Simon Pure Americans. What he meant was that, this being a country given to intimate and close study of all great issues on the part of the people, they had the best opportunity in the world to look squarely at big issues in the Chautauqua. Therefore the Chautauqua afforded them the best possible chance to be Simon Pure Americans. Announcement comes from New York that this will be Patriotic year in the Chautauqua. The spirit of patriotism will ring in the music on each of the five days, and it will be "founded" and again in the lectures to be given, and Americanism will be the keynote of the work.

If present plans are carried out the stage decorations will be in keeping with the air of patriotism that will sound in the program. Red, white and blue muslin and pennants will adorn the platform and the American flag will be prominently displayed.

Says Loring J. Whiteside, general manager of the Community Chautauqua, Inc., in New York:

"Our Chautauqua will come in direct touch with several hundred thousand people this summer. We are at war. We don't know how long we will be at war. The plain facts are that the country is not awake to the seriousness of conditions they may be facing.

"The Chautauqua's duty is to bring the issues home to the people as nothing else can do. Think what it would have meant to England and France if 5,000 Chautauquas had been in full blast in the summer of 1914 when the governments of these countries and later the people found they were really at war. It took these countries months to hear themselves. They had no means of going direct to the people, and the facts had to sift through gradually and slowly.

"The Chautauqua's 'Bit.' "We are going to make Chautauqua a great rallying place of patriotism in every community. That will be the Chautauqua's 'bit.' We want, and we must have, the unstinted cooperation of every local influence that is going to be effective in bringing the people to the Chautauqua.

"As to the program, it is a strong program that we have ever attempted. I know, because I planned it myself, and I know what it cost.

triotic program on the first night. We triotic program on the first night. We are bringing as the principal speaker for this program ex-Governor A. C. Shallenbeger of Nebraska, and I don't believe we could have found a stronger man in the country to make this patriotic address. He is a member of the military affairs committee in congress, a magnificent orator and a seasoned Chautauqua speaker. He has addressed hundreds of Chautauqua audiences throughout the east on the first night on "The True Patriotism." Music for this day, both afternoon and evening, will be strongly patriotic.

The musical numbers stand out particularly strong. They include the Hawaiian Singers and players, in South Africa; the Royal Blue Hussars Band, with Signor Louis Castellani director and Irving Joy Lyric tenor the Tchekowky Quartet, headed by Leon Weltman, famous Russian vio-

linist; the Boston Musical Entertainers, with Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Pierce of the Pierce school in Boston, and the Mandelsohn Sextette.

"James S. Knox of Cleveland, the leading lecturer to business men's organizations in the country, is coming to discuss wartime efficiency, community progress and business and community problems generally. Dr. E. L. Williams of Chicago, known the country over as Chicago's 'Fighting Parson,' will tell of his work in fighting vice in Chicago, and John Kendrick Bangs will present his great platform masterpiece, 'Salubrity,' one of the most famous lectures ever heard on the American lecture platform.

Entertainment Also. "Then there are entertainment numbers which I can only touch upon. These include Josephine Chilton, the southern reader, who will give an afternoon of southern stories, and the Pierce Community Players, who will appear in 'The House of Happiness,' a most delightful New England comedy.

"The Junior Chautauqua will be a big feature for boys and girls and deserves a whole story in itself. "I am sure that our friends will agree that it is a big lot for the money. If every one will get behind and boost for a great patriotic Chautauqua it will be one of the really big events of the community that you'll look back to in years to come.

"The season tickets bring the cost down to a few cents a number. They may be procured from the business men backing the Chautauqua. I might add that one-half the single admissions for the first day will be given to the local Red Cross."

FUQUAY SOCIAL NEWS

George Prince of Dunn, with his family spent a few days here with J. W. Prince and family.

Little Misses Pool of Raleigh have returned to their home after a visit to Miss Millie Jones.

Miss Jane Fish is critically ill at her home in Varina end of town.

Mrs. E. J. Ragdale and Miss Lena Ragdale and her guest, Pearl Taylor of Oxford, spent Friday night at the home of J. B. Johnston at Oardena.

Miss Pearl Taylor of Oxford is here to attend the Ragdale-Fordville wedding, which will take place on Saturday.

Miss Allene Brooks of Pittboro is visiting Mrs. R. E. Alken on Fuquay avenue.

D. M. Spence and J. W. Adcock spent Saturday in Raleigh on business.

Messrs. J. K. Seasons, J. W. Price G. W. Melton and families spent the 30th at Pullen's Park in Raleigh on an outing jaunt.

BOY SCOUTS HOLD MEETING

The regular meeting of Troop No. 1 of Boy Scouts was held last Friday night in the Scout Hall by the patrol. The principal object of the meeting was the standing of the Tenderfoot tests by those candidates that have recently joined the folds but who have not yet become examined Tenderfoots. About fifteen Scouts were present together with Scoutmaster Freeman and a new candidate or two.

After the roll was called and minutes read by the Secretary, and the Treasurer collecting the dues, business was brought before the troop consisting chiefly of the partaking that the Scouts were going to do in the advertising of the Chautauqua. This show being a Community affair, and the Scouts a Community organization, the latter promised that they would help in a large distribution of advertising literature for the big advertisement that will grace Dunn grounds. All the Scouts showed remarkable interest in this duty and all promised to help that could; a few holding jobs and being unable to get off from their work. The following Saturday was the day set apart for this accomplishment.

The question of the continuance of paper gathering was also discussed when gathering before members. It seems that a precious few had done all the work so far in this department and some were kicking because all the Scouts had not rushed to help. Therefore Scoutmaster Freeman wisely suggested a plan that was adopted by the troop; which would enable those Scouts who hold jobs in the daytime and it is inconvenient for them to get off, to also aid in the collecting of paper for the troop's benefit. This was made possible by the night plan; whereby these Scouts could be organized in a night band to gather the waste by the moonlight. Said Scouts willingly agreed to this plan suggested by Mr. Freeman and the next week was set apart for this work by the "job" department.

After the regular meeting of the troop, Patrol No. 2 was called together by Patrol Leader Jake Wade and asked to submit names for this year's Patrol. The same was done and after discussion the new Patrol was named the Flying Eagle Patrol.—Scout Reporter.

PLANT MORE COWPEAS.

West Raleigh, N. C., June 4th, 1917.—It should be the aim of every farmer in North Carolina this year to grow and save at least enough cowpeas for the needs of his own family. Only a small acreage would be required to provide for these needs. This being a leguminous crop might well be grown much more largely than it is at present. It produces an excellent quality of hay; is well suited for crop rotations adopted to the needs of the soils of the State; is a soil-improving crop when properly handled, and, in addition, the peas have great food value for man, while the hay and peas have high feeding value for domestic animals.

It may be of interest to know that cowpeas contain on an average 50 per cent higher protein than is contained in wheat flour manufactured by the patent roller process, according to Mr. C. B. Williams. This higher protein content gives the peas a very high nutritive value. The fuel, or energy-supplying value, for one doing hard manual work, of the peas is about the same as that of patent flour which, at the present time cost 50 to 60 per cent more per pound than do peas.

This is a time our people should look to the utilizing of food products in an economical and intelligent way. Most of our people are accustomed to eating peas, but this appears to be the year when their more general use as a food product should be practiced.

R. A. WELLONS TO FRANCE

WITH AMBULANCE CORPS Fort Oglethorpe, June 2.—News has been received here of the selection of Robert A. Wellons, of Smithfield, to go with a unit of the ambulance corps to France, the unit will be mobilized at once and is expected to sail for France within a month. Young Wellons is a member of company twelve, reserve officers training camp at Fort Oglethorpe.

Mayor J. W. Tarnage was a business visitor in Charlotte last week.

SUBMARINE TRIES TO SINK AMERICAN BOAT

Two Torpedoes Fired at Koonland But Both Missed—Koonland Guns Brought into Action

New York, June 3.—Two German submarines made a concerted attack on the American line steamship Koonland on her last voyage from this port, firing four torpedoes, but did not hit the liner glancing blows, but did not explode, according to a report brought here today by an American, who said he was told of the attack by an officer on the ship. The liner was nearing the British coast, the American was informed, when two torpedoes, fired from opposite sides of the vessel from submerged U-boats were seen. Both torpedoes missed the bow of the ship less than 20 feet. The Koonland was already going at high speed and the navigating officer on the bridge gave orders to zig-zag.

Quickly two more torpedoes were launched. This time the aim of the Germans was better for the missiles actually touched the sides of the liner, but the blows were not sufficient direct to explode the contact detonators in the torpedoes.

The naval gunners on the Koonland opened fire at the unseen targets, sending explosive shells into the water at the point where it was judged the submarines were when the torpedoes were launched, but so far as known no hits were recorded.

WILL PRESENT "THE HOUSE OF HAPPINESS"

Pierce Community Players to Appear in New England Comedy at Chautauqua

On the second night of the Chautauqua the Pierce Community Players will present "The House of Happiness," a delightful New England comedy by a New England woman, Dorothy Wilcox of Boston.

Here are the characters: Judge Abner Merrick, A Typical Small Town New England lawyer.

Miss Phoebe Witham, Merrick's Cousin and Housekeeper.

David, Merrick's Foster Son.

Mary, Merrick's Daughter.

Mr. Arcott De Nile, A Social Climber.

It is presented by a strong cast. The company is headed by Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Pierce of the Pierce Dramatic School in Boston, a school that has turned out some of the leading entertainers in the Chautauqua. It's a good, wholesome story that will keep the Chautauqua audience in laughter the greater part of the time and will send each one of them home to a house of happiness.

And yet it's only one of the big features of Chautauqua week. A \$2 season ticket admits to everything—an entire five day program.

B. A. NORRIS IS CONVICTED IN A RECORD TRIAL

Prompt Grand Jury Investigation Into Liquor Situation in Raleigh Is Ordered

SPECIAL TERM WILL CONVENE NEXT MONDAY

Nellie Green and Lynda Upchurch Are Only Witnesses Examined in Fifty-Five Minute Trial

The United States District Court sitting yesterday made a new record for speed when in fifty-five minutes working time the machinery of the court was put into moving order and B. A. Norris convicted of white slavery. A short adjournment of the court followed the verdict of the jury and upon reconvening, Judge Henry G. Connor, upon the motion of District Attorney Carr, ordered a special term of Federal court to convene next Monday morning for an investigation into the illicit liquor traffic in Raleigh.

Only two witnesses were examined in the Norris case and at the conclusion of their testimony the government rested its case against Norris. A short conference between counsel for Norris resulted in the announcement that the defendant would not resist a verdict of guilty in the face of the evidence of the two girls that was made even more damaging by cross-examination. Judge Connor instructed the jury to return a verdict of guilty. They assented, and in less than one hour the grand of the mill that began with Nellie Green's sentence to jail from police court on a charge of vagrancy, nearly one month ago, turned out the first conviction in the Norris-Senger case and opened the way for the investigation into the reputed wholesale dealings in intoxicating liquors in Raleigh.

Fifty Witnesses Subpoenaed. Information elicited from the United States District Attorney's office yesterday disclosed the fact that nearly fifty witnesses have been subpoenaed for the grand jury investigation.

In the Senger-Senger case yet left to be heard in Federal court. Until after that time, judgment will not be entered against Norris in the white slave case nor against Senger, in the event he submits, according to the intimation from the court yesterday.

Makes a Clear Statement. The testimony given by Nellie Green, with whom, it was charged, Norris made the fatal trips to Washington, was clear cut and conclusive. Assistant District Attorney Green conducted the examination of the witness as she told of the different occasions on which she had gone to Washington with Norris. Her testimony developed the fact that the party, when others were along, frequently visited the liquor store of the Conrad Page Company, and on the third trip she made with him she told of the four trunks of whiskey Norris brought back to Raleigh. Norris, she testified had illicit relations with her in Washington at the Sterling Hotel and on the third trip when they stopped at the Chesterfield in Petersburg. Upon the direct question touching these relations, she girl broke down completely and it was some minutes before her testimony was resumed. She testified that she had seen Senger in Washington and that the trio had breakfasted together. Cross-examination by Norris' counsel drew from her even more positive statements that Norris had engineered the trips, paid the expenses and that she "had no business there except to have a good time."

Lynda Upchurch Testifies. Lynda Upchurch, the only other witness examined, told of the third trip made to Washington by Norris and the Green girl when she accompanied them. She was cognizant of Norris' relations with the girl in Washington and in Petersburg on that trip. Norris, on this occasion, returned to Raleigh on the train and checked back four trunks and several suit cases containing liquor.

Like the testimony given by the Green girl, the evidence offered by the Upchurch girl was made doubly convincing by the cross-examination. Counsel could not impeach her story, and her retorts carried with them each time a positiveness that commanded credibility. She admitted that she had not been living a chaste life in Raleigh, and when asked by counsel for Norris why she didn't live at home, she answered: "Because I think too much of my relatives, who . . . are living a straight life."

The government rested with the testimony of the girls, and after a short conference between counsel representing Norris, who announced that they would not resist a verdict, Judge Connor directed a verdict of guilty. Norris was remanded to jail,

pending his hearing upon the liquor smuggling charge.

John Senger to Submit. The jury summoned here for the week were discharged by the court at the conclusion of the Norris case, when District Attorney Carr stated that he had been reliably informed Senger would submit to the charge of white slavery. Senger, who is represented by Mr. W. B. Jones, will be brought into court this morning, but from the intimation of the court it is unlikely that judgment will be entered in the case against him until after a like case charging liquor smuggling is heard next week.

Special Grand Jury Session. The special session of the Federal grand jury ordered yesterday by Judge Connor at the instance of the District Attorney will begin next Monday morning when the fifty witnesses who have been subpoenaed will be examined. In asking for the order of court, Mr. Carr stated ordinarily the Dept. of Justice would not make any attempt to enforce the prohibition laws of the States—and in this case were not going to—but that he had received a telegram from the department advising this course in view of the conditions he had been informed existed. The fact that liquor was being brought into Raleigh in wholesale quantities and the reputed sale from which the government received no tax warranted the action of the department in conducting the examination.

Conversation Frustrated. Both Jake Senger and Norris, after arrest, were lodged in jail without privilege of bail and attempts made by the prisoners to talk with the two girls, who are held for the State courts upon appeal from police court sentences were stopped in the bud when the ventilation pipes running through the jail were cut by the jailkeeper. Through these pipes the jailer detected what conversations were being carried on and promptly cut this means of communication between the inmates. Every precaution and safeguard has been resorted to by the authorities to forestall any possible intimation of the government's witnesses and it was in the execution of these cautious measures that the ventilation pipes were disconnected.—News and Observer 5th.

ROOT AND HIS PARTY AT WASHINGTON

Washington, June 3.—Safe arrival at a Russian port of the American commission to Russia headed by Elihu Root, Ambassador extraordinary was announced today in a dispatch to the Navy Department.

The commission left Washington about May 15, charged with greetings to the new democratic government of Russia and authorized to present unstinted aid from the United States not only in the prosecution of war against the common enemy but in the rehabilitation of the demoralized country. It was preceded by a special mission of railroad experts, whose arrival already had been announced.

After a final conference between President Wilson and Mr. Root the commissioners traveled overland to the Pacific coast and there boarded a fast naval vessel for the voyage to the Orient. Under the voluntary censorship, at the request of the government nearly all American newspapers refrained from publishing anything about their departure or the points through which they passed along the way. While no German submarines are known to be operating in the Pacific it was deemed wise to print no details of the trip until the voyagers were safely landed.

The arrival of the mission at Petrograd is awaited anxiously, because it is confidently believed here that the assurances it brings from the American government and people and the counsel of its members will do much toward steadying and strengthening the hand of the provisional government.

TAKE THE LOAN

(By Edward Everett Hale). Come, meet the great demand, True heart and open hand, Take the loan!

For the hopes the prophets saw, For the sword your brothers draw, For liberty and law, Take the loan!

Ye ladies of the land, As ye love the gallant band, Who have drawn a soldier's brand, Take the loan!

Who would bring them what she could, Who would give the soldier food, Who would staunch her brother's blood, Take the loan!

All who saw her hosts pass by, All who joined the paring cry, When we bade them do or die, Take the loan!

As ye wished their triumph then, As ye hoped to meet again, And to meet their gaze as men, Take the loan!

Who could press the great appeal Of our ranks of serried steel, Put your shoulders to the wheel, Take the loan!

That our prayers in truth may rise, Which we press with steaming eyes, On the Lord of earth and skies, Take the loan!

(Written in May, 1891, at the outbreak of the Civil War.)

GLADNESS FOR YE COUNTRY EDITOR

Typesetting Machine of Rev. Bayless Code to Be Marketed by \$1,500,000 Concern

By an amendment to the charter of the Code Manufacturing Company of Shelby, increasing the capital stock of the concern from \$50,000 to \$1,500,000, filed yesterday with the Secretary of State, is foreshadowed an industry in Cleveland county that will bring gladness to the country editors of North Carolina.

The increase in the capital stock of the concern is the culmination of efforts expended over a period of nearly twenty-five years by the Rev. Bayless Code, a well known Baptist preacher, whose home is at Rolling Springs. The Cleveland preacher two years ago demonstrated that he had perfected a machine that would set type but it has remained to be proved that it could be built and sold for less than other machines on the market. After showing that his machine would do what he claimed for it, he set about to eliminate the minor defects and to raise sufficient capital to market the typesetting machine over which many publishers in the state have long since been enthusiastic.

The capital has been raised, many publishers becoming stockholders along with those who knew nothing of the intricacies of typesetting but whose faith in the promoter led them to venture capital in the industry.—News and Observer.

WILL SING THE FAREWELL SONG OF DEPOSED QUEEN

Hawaiian Singers and Players, Chautauqua Feature, Will Also Present the Sacred Dance in Program of Native Music

The deposed Queen of Hawaii sang a farewell song to her people when she left Hawaii three months ago. It is sung in every household through Hawaii to this day and has come to be classed such as our "national anthem."

It is called "Aloha Oe." Queen Liliuokalani is still living; a very old and infirm woman. She is nearly eighty years of age and is the widow of John O. Dominis, the last Hawaiian monarch. She is largely forgotten in the world.

light through some characteristic statement which may be widely quoted throughout the country. She is watching with great interest the country's activity in the war and has the strongest sympathies of the allies.

The Hawaiian Singers and Players, a company of native Hawaiians, will sing Queen Liliuokalani's farewell song in one of their programs here at the Chautauqua. They will appear in two programs, afternoon and evening, on the third day.

Another feature is the Hale dance, which will be given exactly as it has been given at the great religious ceremonies in Hawaii for generations. It is a sacred dance and was originally known as the Aloha dance. It has been much imitated and is not always given, as it will be here, in its original form.

DUKE SOCIAL NEWS.

Mrs. W. A. Erwin, Jr., Entertained in Honor of Mrs. White. Other Items.

Duke, June 1.—Friday afternoon from 4:30 to 6 o'clock, June 1st, Mrs. W. A. Erwin, Jr., entertained in honor of Mrs. Leonard White of Statesville and Miss Isabel Smith of Duke. The entertainment was given at home in their lovely new bungalow and the home was decorated to carry out the color scheme of pink, Pink Mountain Laurel and Pink Roses being used profusely in every part of the home. A salad course, ice tea and sandwiches, and an ice course were served. The invited guests were Mrs. Leonard White of Statesville, Miss Berin Davis and Mrs. Elsie Jeffers of Duke and the following from Duke: Miss Isabel Smith, Mrs. E. S. Yarbrough, Mrs. E. L. Hamell, Mrs. W. F. Davis, Mrs. E. M. Henley, Mrs. E. F. Davis, Mrs. W. A. White, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. E. R. Thomas, Mrs. S. J. Beckler, Mrs. W. L. Hanson, Misses Virginia and Estelle Tilley, Miss Powell, Mrs. F. W. McKay, Mrs. F. M. McKay, and Miss Cheatham. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Erwin, Jr., have only recently come to Duke and have added greatly to the social life of the community.

Miss Isabel Smith who for three years has been superintendent of Good Hope Hospital, has been elected superintendent of the Hygienic Hospital at Richmond, Va. She will leave Duke June 2nd to accept her new work. Her work at the Good Hope Hospital has been very successful.

Dr. Frank E. Huff, recently commissioned Lieutenant in the Medical Reserve has been called to Wilmington to assist in examining applicants for the Engineering Corps. June 5th Dr. Huff will go to Ft. Caswell for a week to be examined for a permanent position in the Army.

10 MILLION MEN REGISTER FOR WAR SERVICE

Registration Day Passes Without a Single Unlawful Incident of Commission

MEN VOLUNTEER IN MASSES

Governors Are Unanimous in Reporting That Full Registration Is Indicated

Washington, June 5.—More than ten million young Americans enrolled themselves today for war service. Registration day, with but a few weeks of preparation, saw the first military census ever taken in the United States completed without a single untoward event of consequence.

The march of the nation stepped the President's call and volunteered in mass, setting at naught all schemes and plottings of German sympathizers and the few cranks who have agitated against registration. It remains but to select the men who are to go to the front.

From virtually every state numerous messages came tonight to Brigadier General Crowder, present month-long general, Federal supervising officer of the great enterprise. While no complete returns from any state were transmitted up to midnight, the governors were unanimous in reporting that complete quiet had prevailed throughout the day and that a full registration was indicated.

In some precincts the late evening forced officials to keep the polls open until long after the 9 p. m. closing hour set in the registration regulations. General Crowder authorized them to keep open as long as men wished to enroll themselves. The night will be further to delay the registration returns, however.

The early reports showing a full turnout all over the country, indicated that the estimates of the Census Bureau as to the number of men eligible in the population are fully correct. Wherever partial figures were available, the estimates proved slightly low. A typical message received was:

"Spartanburg and without incident or incident."

The situation was as clear and the response so ready throughout the country the governors of 45 of the 48 states had sent similar messages long before registration had closed and the other two were close on their heels.

A feature of the registration was the refusal of hundreds of thousands of men to make any reply to the question: "Do you claim exemption?" Even men who reported that they had dependent families; men with obvious physical disabilities and whose occupations are certain to keep them at home, declined to make such a claim. Apparently they have entered fully into the very spirit of the law. They are content to leave the question of exemption to the exemption boards. They have no claims to make; but are ready to do their share, whatever it may be.

With the closing of each registration precinct, officials went at once to the task of sorting and classifying the cards. There is much work to be done in order that the index synopsis which each governor will make to General Crowder of the registration of his state may go forward promptly. It will take some hours, in many cases, to do the work and no figures for the state will come to Washington until every precinct has reported.

Instructions to registrars were complete as simple as possible, and General Crowder is hopeful that another 26 hours will see the full record of the country on his desk.

Entertained for Bride-Elect.

Fuquay Springs, June 3.—Friday morning at 10 o'clock, Mrs. Norman C. Harris was hostess at a kitchen supper, complimentary to Miss Lena Ragdale, an early June bride.

Upon arrival, the guests were greeted by Mildred Richmond and John D. Lee and shown to the punch bowl on the porch, where Miss Annie Lee Ragdale graciously presided.

Miss Mary Lawrence was at the door and invited the visitors into the living-room, where the hostess, assisted by her sister, Miss Pearl Eiland, received.

Throughout the house a profusion of vari-colored roses were used. After the guests were assembled, Mrs. J. D. Lee presented each with paper and pencil, requesting them to write their favorite recipe, after which they were collected and tied with ribbon and presented to Miss Ragdale. Then came Holly Lee and Effland Perrott, of Eiland, in the person of cook and butler, bearing trays of gifts, which, on being opened by the honor guests, were found to contain many things needed for the kitchen.