

WEATHER

Partly Cloudy Sunday morning. Not Much Change in Temperature

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THIRTY THOUSAND OFFERED IN CASH AT STATE FAIR

Particular Interest Given This Year To Livestock Division Exhibits

BETTER PRIZES FOR FINE ARTS SECTION

High Aug. 4.—Thirty thousand dollars in cash premiums are offered by the North Carolina State Fair for exhibits this fall, according to the premium list, which is being sent out by General Manager E. V. Walborn.

This book lists 150 pages has been prepared with great care under the general direction of Mrs. Edith Vanderbilt, president of the Fair, who has given liberally of her time, and gives full and explicit information about the various departments of the Fair.

Particular emphasis is being given to the livestock division, and a third of the premium money goes to this feature of the Fair.

Of course horse racing hasn't been forgotten. What would a State Fair be without races? Over six thousand dollars has been allotted to this one feature.

Ten county prizes in the division of agricultural products is going to produce some strong competition according to Mr. Walborn.

The first county prize is for five hundred dollars and the second is for four hundred dollars. But this is not all by any means. Some five thousand dollars will be given in premiums by this end of the fair.

Altogether there are twenty-one divisions of exhibits. Then there will be home economics, house furnishings, and culinary prizes in lines representing the home.

Bees and honey again have a division all to themselves and some real money prizes are offered in addition to blue and red ribbons. Dairy products are also included as are vegetables and fruits.

The division of fine arts always attracts attention from the visitors, and the prizes offered this year indicate that better exhibits than ever before may be expected.

NEW HOTEL FOR GOLDSBORO NOW BEING CONSIDERED

Bonding Company Offers To Furnish Fifty Per Cent of the Money For Any Size Hotel the City Wishes To Build

WOULD TAKE FIRST MORTGAGE ON BUILDING

The New York and Philadelphia Bonding Company, one of the strongest companies of its kind in the world have made a proposition to the Goldsboro Chamber of Commerce relative to a hotel building here.

They make the statement that they will furnish fifty per cent of the money for a new hotel if the town will furnish the other fifty per cent. They of course would have to have the fifty per cent to be raised locally paid in and then they would take a first mortgage on the building for the other fifty per cent.

The hotel committee will take the matter under consideration at once as they have other propositions from other companies all over the country, some of them good, some of them fair and others impossible.

FIVE KILLED IN CRASH AT GRADE CROSSING SMASH

Wildwood, Aug. 4.—Four men and a boy returning in an automobile from a fishing trip were killed late today when their machine was struck by a Pennsylvania train at Burdick crossing seven miles from this city.

The four men were killed outright and their bodies flung from the wrecked motor car into a nearby field. The boy died soon after.

ORGANIZE FOR FAIR

The people of Hood Swamp last night at the school house to begin organizing for the coming county fair.

"Prodigal Daughter" Of Europe Attacked By Col. Hutchinson

Her Running Wild Is Cause of Serious Set Back in Mother's Condition

By Lt. Col. G. S. Hutchinson, D. S. O. M. C.

For a long time past the sufferings of Mother Europe have been more than ordinarily severe. During many years of peace her body politic was attacked by the dropsy of excessive armaments, a disease that spread rapidly and refused to yield to treatment.

The road to convalescence but the remedies associated with a very short period were unwise chosen and 1919 found her once again with very serious symptoms which were aggravated by the behaviour of her prodigal daughter. Since then that prodigal daughter has played upon her poor Mother's nerve to such an extent that today she is approaching a condition of complete nervous and financial exhaustion.

This daughter, whose name will be horses would not wrag from me, is

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Solemn Dignity To Mark Ceremony At The Funeral Of Late Chief Executive

Former President Wilson Asked To Participate But Condition of Health Will Not Allow Him

WASHINGTON, August 4.—The capital in sorrow and mourning symbolic of that of the nation went forward today with the preparations to relieve and pay a last tribute to the dead president.

A state funeral to be marked by a solemn dignity and simplicity was arranged for by President Coolidge and other high officers of the government who devoted themselves untiringly to the preparations of ceremonies that will fittingly express the grief and reverence of the American people.

President Coolidge, Chief Justice Taft, members of congress and others high in government council will participate in the ceremonies.

At the suggestion of Mr. Coolidge President Wilson was asked to take part but after a conference between Lieutenant Colonel Sherrill, aide to the chief executive and Read Adair Grayson, Mr. Wilson's physician it was announced that because of the condition of his health the former president regretted he would be unable to participate.

Upon the arrival here Tuesday the funeral train will be met by Mr. Coolidge and other ranking officials who will accompany the body to the White House behind the escort of a squadron of cavalry and a battalion of field artillery. It will then lie in the east room until Wednesday.

Whether there will be private services at the White House will depend on the wishes of Mrs. Harding.

Wednesday morning the body will be escorted to the capital and placed in the rotunda. After services there it will lie in state until 6 p. m. and an hour later will start on the last journey to Marion where on Friday it will find a resting place in the soil of Ohio.

Steadily throughout the day messages of condolence to Mrs. Harding continued to pour into the White House and the state department. Those to the state department came from all parts of the world, and contained messages from King Albert and Baron Cato.

Mrs. Harding Likely To Get \$5,000 Pension Year

Washington, Aug. 4.—If precedents are followed Mrs. Warren G. Harding will receive a life pension of \$5,000 a year from the government.

Mrs. Grover Cleveland and Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt were given the annuities by vote of the house, senate, and members of congress said today there was little doubt of similar action in the case of Mrs. Harding.

Calvin Coolidge, Jr., At Work In Field

Hatfield, Mass., Aug. 4.—While President Coolidge was en route to Washington yesterday, Calvin Coolidge, Jr., was at work under a hot sun in a tobacco field. Calvin, Jr., 14 years old, attired in khaki trousers, an old shirt and well worn shoes, was working for \$3.50 a day. The day is nine full hours. He said that the devotion of his father to the presidency should make no change in the Coolidge mode of life.

Officials Will Observe Period Of Mourning 2 Months

Washington, Aug. 4.—(By the Associated Press.)—By direction of President Coolidge, Secretary Hughes late today telegraphed governors of the various States, advising them that a period of mourning would be observed by officials of the United States until December 1.

FRANK B. BIZZELL VICTIM OF DEATH

Prominent Goldsboro Man Succumbs To Attack of Heart Failure

FUNERAL FROM HOME TODAY

Mr. Frank B. Bizzell, 65 years of age, well-known citizen and cotton buyer of this city, and extensive property owner, who was apparently in his accustomed good health and going about the streets yesterday dropped dead in the woods on his farm in New Hope township about 11 o'clock yesterday while inspecting timber.

Mr. Bizzell was accompanied on his trip into the country this morning about 10 o'clock by his son, Claude, who was with him when the sudden call came. The distressed son hastily summoned nearby neighbors and Messrs. L. B. Hinson and J. B. Langston accompanied the sorrowing son and the remains of his father to the city, arriving here shortly before 1 o'clock. The body of Mr. Bizzell was conveyed to the undertaking parlors of C. E. Stanley and Son, where it was prepared for burial and then removed to the home on North James street, where the funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, conducted by his pastor, Rev. C. A. Read, of St. Paul's E. church.

Mr. Bizzell is survived by his two sons, Messrs. Claude, 23, and Henry, 17 years of age respectively; by three sisters, Miss Anna Bizzell and Mrs. Geo. Sasser, of this city, and Mrs. Fannie Bule, of New Bern, and by a wide circle of near relatives.

The interment will be made in Willow Dale Cemetery, beside his late wife, who preceded him to the tomb some years ago.

The following pall bearers have been named: Active D. C. Humphrey, W. L. Peacock, R. Jack Smith, W. H. Griffin, Jr., E. E. Eutsler, H. B. Kennedy, William B. Taylor, Charles A. Thompson; Honorary B. G. Thompson, J. M. Powell, John Slaughter, W. T. Yelverton, G. A. Norwood, D. A. Sasser, Joe Rosenthal, W. G. Britt, M. J. Best, H. Johnson Sam Draper, Ben Campen, T. H. Holmes, J. R. Herring, T. C. Holcombe, T. A. Whitefield, Mr. C. G. Johnson.

FEDERATION MEET

The Woman's Christian Federation will meet in St. Paul M. E. Church, Monday night, 8 o'clock.

COOLIDGE SPENDS BUSY DAY TAKING OVER NEW OFFICE

Signs Himself President of United States For First Time To the Mourning Proclamation

MANY OFFICIALS CALL ON HIM

WASHINGTON, August 4.—(By the Associated Press.)—President Coolidge today put his shoulder under the burden of government and made ready to carry on along the pathway pointed out by President Harding.

His second day on President was occupied with a long succession of official conferences in which he gained initial grasp of his duties and responsibilities, and made final plans for the state funeral of his predecessor.

He signed the name of Calvin Coolidge, President of the United States, to a proclamation announcing the death of Mr. Harding and calling upon the nation to observe next Friday as a day of mourning and prayer.

Among those who called at the temporary executive offices at the Willard were Secretary Hughes, Postmaster General New, Secretary Denby, Director Lord of the budget bureau and director Hines of the Veterans Bureau. The condition of the various federal agencies was discussed.

Announcements of policies were withheld by the President, nor would he indicate whether he would call an extra session.

DISTRICT MEETING OF MASONS HERE AUGUST FOURTEEN

Meeting Will Be of an Educational Nature—Large Crowd Expected

SESSIONS TO BE HELD IN COURTHOUSE

It will be interesting to the many Masons of Eastern Carolina to know that Goldsboro has been selected as the place in which to hold a District Convention of a Masonic educational nature, August 14th.

The Goldsboro Chamber of Commerce at the solicitation of Mr. John Hawley, as president, has written every lodge in Green, Lenoir and Wayne county extending a special invitation to attend this convention.

A special feature of the programme will be the showing a moving picture of an educational nature which will be highly interesting to all Masons.

Mr. J. E. F. Hicks received the following letter which will be of interest to all members of the fraternity throughout this district.

Mr. J. E. F. Hicks, Goldsboro, N. C. Dear Brother Hicks:

I greatly appreciate your letter of August 1st, and I am equally glad with you that Goldsboro was the place selected as the place for holding your meeting Aug 14th.

I note with pleasure that there are about 1000 Masons in your district and I know from personal experience that you have the finest roads in the state and I am expecting 50 per cent at least of these Masons to be present. Let's make it 500 strong.

I am delighted that you are working through the Chamber of Commerce to get invitations extended to the lodges and to assure them of a hearty welcome to this meeting. Let's make it a red-letter day for Masonry in your district, and for Goldsboro as host.

I think it would be fine to have an open meeting in the Court House and invite the public. The moving pictures of the Masonic Service Association might be presented for the purpose of giving variety to the program.

Assuring you that it will be a pleasure to see you at this meeting and with kindest personal regards, I am,

Fraternally yours, W. C. WICKER, Educational Field Secy.

ATTENTION PYTHIANS

You are hereby ordered to meet at Castle Hall this afternoon at 3 o'clock to attend the funeral of our late brother Frank B. Bizzell by order of C. C.

J. H. HAWLEY, K. of R. and S.

With Hearts Aching And Eyes Misty Pioneers Of The West Stand With Uncovered Heads As Body Goes By

HOLDS MEMORIAL MARION CHURCH

Marion, O., Aug. 4.—(By the Associated Press.)—Friends of the late President will assemble in a special memorial service in Trinity Baptist church where he was a member.

The services will be conducted by Rev. Walter A. King of Columbus. President Harding's former pastor. Hymns particularly preferred by the late President will be sung from the front of the left center aisle has been draped in black.

CABINET OFFICERS ASKED NOT TO RESIGN AT ALL

Coolidge Desires That They All Continue To Serve

ALL WILL STAY IN HARNESS

Washington, Aug. 4.—(By the Associated Press.)—President Coolidge not only desires to retain all of the present members of the cabinet but it is his hope that none of them will submit a resignation as a formality.

Although no statement was made it was learned authoritatively that no such resignations had been received and that none were expected. Among the President's callers today were Secretary Hughes and Denby and Postmaster General New, but the subject is understood not to have been taken up during the conversation.

CO-OPS HAVING BIG SEASON IN SOUTH CAROLINA

High Average Maintained, For Different Grades Says Report

MANY SPEAKERS AT THE MEETINGS

FLORENCE, S. C., August 4.—Deliveries to the Tobacco Growers Co-operative Association have increased this week at a majority of the co-operative markets according to the reports of association warehousemen throughout the South Carolina belt.

The large increase in cash advances paid its members by the tobacco growers co-operatives has greatly encouraged the farmers and resulted in the securing of new members in every large tobacco growing county.

Among the high average advances paid by the association for early tobacco this week were those of J. B. Bule, of Lamar, S. C., who received \$22.50 \$20.00 and \$17.00 on three grades respectively and an average of \$19.74 for approximately 500 pounds delivered to the association warehouse. Also those of A. J. Sawyer, of Marion, S. C., who received 98.15 for 390 pounds of tobacco and an average of \$22.50 for 270 pounds of his load. The co-operative tobacco growers are strongly supporting the policy of their association by insisting that landlord members be responsible for all of the 1923 crop grown upon their land.

As evidenced by the strong resolution passed by delegates from six tobacco growing counties of the 21st district. In calling upon members to deliver all tobacco grown on their land and to aid the officers of the association to enforce to the letter the delivery of every pound of tobacco to which it has a legal right.

U. S. Senator, N. B. Dial, Congressman J. J. McWain of South Carolina, State Senator J. A. Brown of North Carolina, President H. N. Snyder of Wofford College and T. C. Watkins, Jr., manager of warehouses for the co-operative association, have been among the speakers at the most remarkable series of meetings in the interest of co-operative marketing which have been held this year in South Carolina. Thousands of farmers here for their urgent harvesting of tobacco to attend those meetings and the co-operative spirit has now reached a new high level.

Handkerchiefs Come Forth Not To Wave in Cheery Greeting But To Wipe Tears From Sun Bronzed Faces

FRESH FLOWERS PLACED ON TRAIN AS IT PASSED

Through the Raised Shades of the Last Coach the Hardy Men and Women Catch Glimpses That Bring Tears

ON BOARD HARDING FUNERAL TRAIN AT ELKO, Nev., August 4.—(By the Associated Press.)—The pioneers of the West paid their respects today to the memory of Warren G. Harding.

As the funeral train bearing the body of the late president crossed the broad state of Nevada hurrying on to Washington men astir, and the typewriter keys clicking news of the train, uncovered, hearts aching, and often with misty eyes.

President Harding had had the pioneer much in mind during his ill-fated trip. He had visited their settlements in southern Utah, he had celebrated their achievements in Meacham, Oregon and he had visited what he liked to call "the nation's last frontier" in Alaska.

Today came the pioneers' opportunity to show appreciation and love for their dead leader and they did. Not alone did these pioneers stand silent and uncovered but they placed bouquets and wreaths aboard the train in order that there might always be fresh blossoms in the death chamber of the last car.

The hearts of these sun bronzed men, women, and children not only ached because of the death of their chief but they beat in sympathy with Mrs. Harding. It can be said that no living woman is more popular in the West, than Florence Harding and the heart of the West went out to her in her bereavement.

Throughout the day she continued to bear up bravely under her great sorrow. The funeral train is all that the name implies. It is silent, deadly so. The atmosphere of comradeship that filled its coaches is gone, strangely missing in the conduct of those who are making the trip home. Only the newspaper men stir, and the typewriter keys clicking news of the train, breaks the complete silence prevailing.

Every two hours a detail of four men representing the army, navy, and marine corps, pass through the coaches from their car ahead to relieve as many of their comrades on death watch in the car where the coffin rests.

The curtains there are raised high at the windows. Persons who gathered at every point of today's run through Eastern California, Nevada, and tonight in western Utah, saw a picture through the windows of the rear car. The first glimpse of which caused many of them to turn away and others to bring forth their handkerchiefs, not to raise in hearty greeting as was done everywhere on the western trip but to wipe away tears that could not be suppressed or concealed.

Never was there a higher tribute paid to any of the nation's dead than was given by these men, women, and children of the state traversed today who collected along the railroad route from settlement, ranch house, town and city. The comparison most frequently made by passengers on the train was with the scene in Washington when the unknown soldier was laid at rest in Arlington national cemetery on Armistice Day in 1921.

HAVE GONE TO MORSE. HIS SONS STUDY POWER IN WESTERN COUNTIES AND FOUR OTHERS ARE ACQUITTED

Cleared of Charges of Conspiracy To Defraud United States Government

WASHINGTON, August 4.—Charles W. Morse, New York ship builder, his three sons and four others were acquitted here today by a jury on charges of a conspiracy to defraud the United States in connection with war time ship construction and operation contracts.

Besides Charles W. Morse, the defendants were Erwin A. Morse, Benjamin W. Morse, Harry F. Morse, N. H. Campbell, of New York, treasurer of the United States Steamship company, Robert A. White, of New York, president of the United States Transport Company; Rupert M. M. Much, of Augusta, Me., assistant treasurer of the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation, and Philip Reinhardt, formerly emergency fleet corporation auditor at the Virginia Shipbuilding plant at Alexandria.

Clarence Crone Given Appointment

Mr. James Clarence Crone, a Goldsboro boy, has been appointed first lieutenant and assigned to the second battalion 117th Field Artillery as supply officer. Mr. Crone was first sergeant during the World War and was in the service over seas. The appointment makes the eight officers appointed from Goldsboro, probably more than has been appointed from any other city or town in North Carolina. This may be accounted for by the fact that during the World War Goldsboro furnished three companies of the 119th infantry. Namely: Company D. E., and the Machine Gun Company.

Mr. Crone's many friends in Goldsboro, will rejoice with him in his appointment to this place of honor.

TWO MEN DEAD FOLLOWING SCRAPE

Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 4.—Charles W. Stevens, a policeman, and Fuller White, were mortally wounded in an exchange of shots here late today when White is said to have defied arrest after he shot and wounded another man.

After the wounding of the man White is alleged to have dragged his body to a porch of the White residence where the shooting occurred and flourishing a pistol warned police and others away. As Stevens approached the house an exchange of shots followed and both men fell mortally wounded.