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Cloudy and showers Sunday and Monday. Cooler Monday.

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FAIR ASSOCIATION TO STAGE EXPOSITION WEEK OF MAY 27

THREE STORY BUILDING IS TO BE USED

Merchants, Automobile Dealers and Manufacturers Will Exhibit

VARIED AMUSEMENT PROGRAM IS ASSURED

Floor Plans of Building Meet All Requirements of Exposition

The Wayne County Fair Association yesterday announced that they would promote and stage Goldsboro's eleventh Automobile, Merchants and Manufacturers Exposition, the week of May 27. This decision was reached by the Board of Directors of the Wayne County Fair Association after again giving consideration to the deficit, which confronts them.

The Show will be held in the vacant factory building, owned by the Durham Hosiery Mill Company, located on Center and Ash streets, and Walter Denmark states that he expects to stage an Exposition in this building that will be a credit to eastern North Carolina.

"We will not have as much floor space to dispose of as we have had in previous years when holding the show in one of the big warehouses," he said, but the floor plans of the Durham Hosiery Mill building are ideal, and just as well arranged for an attraction of this kind as is Madison Square Garden or Grand Central Palace in New York City. We will use the entire three floors of this building. The first floor being confined to Automobile and accessory exhibits. The second floor will be used entirely for merchants and manufacturers exhibits. The third floor will be used for the attractions, including dancing."

"This building contains 35,000 sq. ft. of floor space, is well lighted, has a large electric elevator that will be used for carrying passengers to the second and third floor. The building being located on the main highways North, South, East, and West, and with Center Street for parking is most ideal.

"We will only be able to sell space to eleven automobile exhibitors as this will take the entire exhibit space of the first floor," added Mr. Denmark. "We have forty merchants and manufacturers exhibit spaces on the second floor, and while the amusement program for the third floor has not been arranged for, patrons may be assured of the very highest type attractions.

"Five hundred announcements of this event were mailed out last night, not only to local automobile, merchants, and manufacturers but to all parts of the United States. Goldsboro, due to its geographical location can stage an event of this kind which will appeal to national advertisers, and we will have no trouble in disposing of available exhibit space."

A committee will canvass the local dealers, merchants, and manufacturers next week as it is the desire of the Fair Association officials to give our local interest first choice. A. H. Carr, owner of the Durham Hosiery Mill building has donated the use of the building to the Association, and a force of men will begin work in the building Monday morning, dismantling that portion of the machinery that was not dismantled when this company consolidated their entire operations in Durham.

"This show should be a financial success," said the Secretary of the Fair Association. "I have had the privilege and pleasure of promoting attractions of this kind for the past ten years, and every one of them, without an exception, have proven a financial success. The net revenue on each occasion going to some educational, fraternal, or charitable organization in the city."

Profitable Bees Moved 2,000 Miles With Owner

ABIENE, Kas., May 4.—(P)—Fifty hives of industrious bees, which were the owner's way through college, have been moved nearly 2,000 miles to a new home in Amherst, Mass.

Clayton Farrar, their owner, paid his way through Kansas state agricultural college with money derived from the honey. He also helped to finance his brother's education.

When Farrar became an instructor in Amherst college's agricultural department, the bees went with him.

AGED MAN SERIOUSLY HURT

NEW REVENUE COMMISSIONER FORMER GOLDSBORO MAN



"Another Good Newspaper, Main ten years, from 1899 to 1909, he was chief clerk of the State Senate, and for eight years, until 1918, he was chief clerk of the N. C. Corporation Commission, of which he became a member 11 years ago, retaining that position until he was named by Governor Gardner as Commissioner of Revenue on March 29, this year.

Operetta At William Street School Will Start Program

The presentation of the operetta "A Gypsy Fantasy" in the auditorium of the William Street school Monday evening at 8 o'clock will inaugurate the observance of national music week in the Goldsboro city schools. W. L. Frederick, director of music in the schools, has prepared a program which calls for a musical entertainment at each of the various schools of the city during the week.

Children of the William Street school will take part in the operetta Monday evening.

Children of Virginia Street school will be hosts on Tuesday evening at their school with the operetta, "A Tree for Rosalys." On Wednesday evening Walnut Street school will give the operetta "Toy Pageant," and on Thursday evening a miscellaneous musical program will be rendered in the High School auditorium. This will include group singing from the Grammar School students, Toy Symphonies by the first graders of Virginia Street and Walnut Street schools, songs by the Girls Glee Club of the High School, and music by a combined band composed of players from the High School and Grammar School. There will also be several other selections.

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Goldsboro City Election Will Be Held on Monday

Monday, May 6, will be city election day, but local politicians are expecting this year's election to be as quiet and lacking of excitement as practically all city elections held here in the past many years have been. Lack of party opposition will bring few voters to the polls, and a light balloting is expected.

Mayor John H. Hill, who was re-nominated without opposition for a second term in office at the primary here on April 19, will be formally elected again Monday. Sol. Isaack, W. Borden Cobb and Andrew Smith who were nominated in a five sided contest in the second ward, and M. E. Robinson and J. W. Cole, selected from the fourth ward where a four-sided battle was waged, will also be

selected to places on the city board of aldermen.

No voting was held in wards one and three at the April primary as the board members from these two wards were unopposed for re-nomination. The old board will hold its last meeting next Monday night, and the new members together with the re-elected old aldermen, will organize for another term of two years on Thursday night, May 9.

Voters in the first ward will cast their ballots on the S. and L. Third company on North Center street next Monday. Ward two voters will vote at the county court house, those in ward three at the Arlington hotel, and the fourth ward voters will cast their ballot at W. D. Creech's store.

Pay Over \$150,000 In Taxes in Week

Four hundred and twenty-five people filed passed the windows of Sheriff W. D. Grant yesterday to pay \$24,337.50 in 1928 taxes. On Monday Sheriff Grant will present to the county board of commissioners at their regular meeting, just showing the property on which 25 taxes have not been paid and in accordance with law, the board will immediately order the property advertised.

During last week total tax payments were \$150,18.15 and through last night the total payments were \$325,163.89. This figure shows 76 percent of 1928 taxes paid, and \$197,000 still unpaid or 24 percent of the total levy.

IS D. H. BLAIR TO RUN FOR SENATE

Politically Minded Think Former Revenue Commissioner May Oppose Simmons

News that David H. Blair, of Winston-Salem, has resigned his \$10,000, a-year job as Commissioner of Internal Revenue in Washington is causing the politically minded here and in other parts of the State to wonder if Mr. Blair, resigned in order to return to North Carolina to become the Republican candidate for United States Senator against whoever the Democrats nominate next year.

If he keeps his health, Senator Simmons, who refused last year to support Alfred E. Smith, the Democratic nominee for President, is certain to be a candidate in the Democratic primary for re-nomination. In fact, many seem to think Senator Simmons would run as an independent in the general election if the Democrats should authorize him in the Democratic primary in June, 1930.

There are a number of men mentioned as possible candidates against Senator Simmons next year, namely, Josiah William Bailey, of Raleigh; Chief Justice Walter P. Stacy, former Governor A. W. McLean. In many circles former Governor McLean is believed to be favored by Senator Simmons as his successor, and it is not believed the former Governor will oppose Senator Simmons in a primary. The Senator may win the nomination by default, but many think he will have to fight for it.

Despite the fact that Mr. Blair lives in what is regarded as the western part of the State, it is not believed his geographical location would cut any ice with the Republicans when they come to select a candidate to oppose Senator Simmons, who, although he secured thousands of votes for Hoover last fall by the stand he took, is expected to scrap the Republicans as fiercely as has been his wont for the past thirty years. The Republicans are expecting no bouquets from the Senator next fall, and the word is out that the Republicans think they have their best chance to grab a Senate seat since the days of Fusionism. The word is that they plan to fight Simmons as hard as he is expected to scrap them.

Irvin B. Tucker, district attorney for the Eastern North Carolina District, is also spoken of as a candidate to carry the Republican senatorial banner against the Democratic hosts. So is former State Republican Chairman William C. Bramham, of Durham. Mr. Tucker lives in Columbus County and is considered as senatorial timber by the Republicans.

Panhandle Railroads Split Up Vast Ranches

LUBBOCK, Tex., May 4.—(P)—Vast ranches of the Texas panhandle, once the subject of ballad and story, are disappearing as railroads invade the treeless plains.

Last year 350 miles of newly constructed railroad lines brought hundreds of midwestern farmers to the panhandle. Nearly 200 miles of railroads may be built this year. Increased colonization has split up many ranches.

Panhandle land now sells at \$20 to \$50 an acre. In 76 counties of the south plains area, only half of 8,000,000 acres is under cultivation.

C. F. EPPS HAS FRACTURE OF SKULL IN FALL

Surgeon Entertains Little Hope For Seventy-Year Old Citizen

THREE ACCIDENTS IN SECTION ON SATURDAY

5-Year Old Daughter of Jesse Parks Run Over By Automobile

A construction accident and two automobile accidents sent three people to local hospitals here yesterday.

C. F. Epps, 70, of 205 Georgia Avenue, is the most seriously injured. While engaged in painting the roof in the rear of Well's store yesterday he fell and suffered a compound fracture of the skull. His surgeon said last night that there was little chance for his recovery.

Just how this accident happened is not known. The News was told that Mr. Epps was working alone and that no one saw him when he fell. He is a patient at the Goldsboro hospital.

Child Run Over

The five-year old daughter of Jesse Parks, who lives south of the city on highway number 102, sustained a fracture of one leg and severe bruises on the other when she was run over by an automobile driven by a Negro whose name could not be learned. No blame attached to the driver of the car, The News was told, and the accident had not been reported to the sheriff's office last night. The little girl was declared to have darted suddenly into the path of the machine which was being operated in a moderate manner. Though she will be under the care of physicians for weeks, the little girl will recover, it was expected.

Seven in Auto Wreck

Of the seven people who were in the car, only Hazel Musgrave, 8, sustained injuries requiring hospital treatment when Riley Musgrave, Duplin county farmer, wrecked his automobile at the Oak Heights filling station on George street yesterday morning.

Musgrave was arrested for driving an automobile while drunk and last night was still confined in the Wayne county jail.

He made too quick a turn while traveling at a high rate of speed, and the rear wheel of automobile was crushed when it came into contact with the curbing, officers told The News.

Hazel Musgrave was thrown to the pavement and her upper teeth knocked out, a gash cut over one eye and her body and limbs badly bruised. She was admitted to a local hospital for treatment. Her injuries are not considered serious.

With Musgrave at the time, in addition to his daughter, were six year old son, James Otis Musgrave, Mr. and Mrs. James Waddell and infant, and Lonnie Whaley. The latter sustained a bruised knee, but the others were unhurt.

Plan Expansion of Program City's Summer Playgrounds

Plans for the enlargement and maintenance of Goldsboro's public playgrounds for the coming summer are being formulated by the council of the Parent-Teacher council of the city in cooperation with the Playground committee and civic bodies.

The Goldsboro Woman's Club, The American Legion, and Auxiliary, the Rotary and Kiwanis clubs are to be asked to name a committee of two members each to confer with R. C. Robinson, director of the Community Building, relative to the plans for this year.

These groups hope to arouse widespread interest in the city that a summerlong supervised playground program may be maintained for every section of the city.

The last two summers have seen the playground activities increasing in scope and it is the hope of the committee this year that provisions may be

County School Budget For Next Year Is Cut \$44,434 Over This Yr.

Royall's Play Wins In Original Group

"The Ghost of Lombrey" by William Royall, of Goldsboro was adjudged the best play entered in the original play competition held yesterday afternoon at Chapel Hill under the auspices of community dramatics bureau of the University Extension service. The play, previously presented in the city and county a number of times, was given by the Wayne Players. Mr. Royall, author of the play, was presented with a shield bearing the inscription of the award.

MOTHERS MAY VISIT GRAVES

Uncle Sam to Bear Expenses of European Trip for Service Mothers

Free pilgrimages to the military cemeteries of Europe will be furnished next year by the United States government to widows and mothers whose husbands or sons died in France in the military service of the United States and whose bodies have not been brought back to this country, according to information received by members the Wayne Post of the American Legion.

All expenses will be paid by the government but none of the widows and mothers taking the trip will be allowed to pay for any extra accommodations.

The act of Congress authorizing these pilgrimages was passed March 2, 1929. The term "mother" means mother, stepmother, "mother through adoption," or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the deceased for one year prior to his commencement of service. The term "widow" means a widow who has not remarried since the death of her husband in France.

There are about four hundred and fifty North Carolinians who died in France whose bodies have not been brought back for burial in this country.

WORK IS MOVING ON SCOUT CAMP

Executive Riders and Thirty Scouts Lay Out Athletic Fields

With construction of the permanent Scout Camp in Indian Springs township well under way, thirty Goldsboro Boy Scouts under the direction of Scout Executive W. W. Rivers spent yesterday at the site laying out athletic fields. The camp will be completed in ample time for the beginning of the opening of the season and is expected to be used by several hundred Scouts of Tuscarora Council this summer.

Work of clearing out the land in preparation for construction of a lake has been completed and it is expected (Continued on page 3)

200 School Executives and Committeemen Spend Day Studying Figures

PRESENT ANALYSIS OF GENERAL TAX LEVIED

Of Each \$100 Collected in Texas Only \$33.35 Goes For Rural 6 Mos. Schools

The budget for Wayne county schools for the next year will be \$281,106 as compared with \$325,540 for the year now ending, a decrease of \$44,434. It was brought out in the conference of school executives in the courthouse here yesterday. Two hundred school officials, committeemen, and interested taxpayers spent the greater part of the day discussing matters of school costs and efficient operation. The session was started at 10 o'clock in the morning and continued until 5 yesterday afternoon with only a short time out for lunch.

The decrease in the tax rate to be made possible through the cut in the budget and revenues derived from the state equalization board will amount to 8.5 cents.

The \$44,434 cut in the budget for next year as compared to the one for this year represents a decrease of \$76,234 for the rural schools and \$18,200 for the city schools.

While the general sentiment manifested at the meeting was for economical administration of the schools there was some feeling that the reductions which are contemplated may detract from the general efficiency of the schools.

An analysis of purposes for which the general county levy is expended was presented by County Superintendent J. T. Jerome. The general tax levy is \$1.20 divided as follows: general fund 13 cents, sinking fund, 19 cents, roads and bridges 20 cents, 5 months schools 69 cents. This shows 10.8 percent of the total levy for the general fund, 15 percent for the sinking fund, 16.7 percent for the roads and bridges and 57.5 percent for six months schools, city and county.

For each \$100 paid into the county treasury for taxes, the rural schools receive only \$33.35 and the city schools \$24.15, he declared. Showing how the county school department expends the money which it receives he said that of the \$33.35 received, \$1.36 went for general control, \$29.81 for teachers salaries, \$3 for current operating expenses, \$4 for transportation and \$4.98 for debt service and capital outlay.

The following comparison of budgets for this year and for the next year was studied:

	1928-'29	1929-'30
General Control	\$ 16,783	\$ 15,843
Instructional Service	230,556	219,543
Operation of plants	10,900	4,240
Maintenance of plants	5,500	2,300
Fixed Charges	5,500	2,300
Transportation	26,000	24,800
Per Capita City Schools	30,301	12,109
	\$325,540	\$281,106
Increase in Budget		\$44,434
Decrease in Tax Rate		8 1/2 cents
Increase to Rural Schools		\$76,234
Decrease to City Schools		\$18,200

LAWRENCE, MASS. GETS DISHWASHER FACTORY

LAWRENCE, Mass., May 4.—Coming all the way from Los Angeles, Cal., the firm of Macdonald, Inc. has announced its decision to establish a plant here according to the Lawrence Industrial Bureau. This company will manufacture dishwashing machines and will employ about 100 operatives.

OLD LADY IS THOUGHT SLAIN

Body of 75 Year Old Tennessee Woman Found in Fireplace of Home

SMITHVILLE, Tenn., May 4.—(P)—Investigation into the death of Mrs. Cannie Smith, 75, widow of W. R. Smith, who was found dead in the fireplace of her home here this morning will be continued and no official announcement will be made before Monday according to Coroner W. H. Atwell.

Mrs. Smith was found this morning by neighbors.