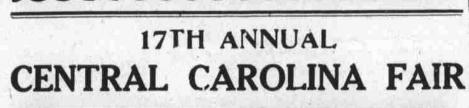
TUESDAY, OCT. 3RD, 1916





HAPPENINGS IN THE OLD NORTH STATE

A Mormon church is to be built in Wilmington.

The Presbyterian Synod of North Carolina meets in Salisbury Octo. 24.

Governor Craig has returned to Ral eigh after spending the summer at his home in Asheville.

The North Carolina W. C. T. U. workers will hold their thirty-fourth annual convention in Wilmington from October 3 to 6.

The Jewish synagogue in Asheville was practically destroyed by fire a few nights ago. The building had only recently been completed.

The city schools of Washington N. C., will take up military training and it is thought therer will be three companies of students.

The operation of an electric car line between High Point and Thomas ville has been discontinued after three months because it did not pay.

The Raleigh Equal Suffrage League plans to enroll all men in North Carolina interested in equal suffrage as associate members, and recommend the same to the State League.

Absalom Wise, a Confederate vet eran who died in Lincoln county a few days ago at the age of 79, had not during his life had the services of a physician until his last illness.

The Journal relates that a citizen of Monroe 'phoned a drug store that he had been "snake bit"; and after the doctor had made a hurry call he reported the wound was a chinchbug bite. The bed-bugs in Monroe must be full grown.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Vogler of Winston-Salem have instituted suits against J. T. Simpson, also of Winston-Salem. Simpson's automobile collided with the Vogler car and it is alleged that both the Volgers were injured. The aggregate of the damages asked amounts to \$15,693.61.

Mrs. W. A. Ferrall of Durham. who is asking for a divorce from her husband, and for alimony, elleged that Ferrall gave her but one dress in 23 years, called her "Red Devil," carried a gun for the avowed purpose of killing her and made fun of the religion of herself and her daughter.

In the twelve counties of the State where the State Board of Health conducted anti-typhoid campaigns last year there were 43 deaths and 430 cases of typhoid fever less than the previous year. The work of immunization this summer brings the total ot patients treated above the hundred thousand mark for the two summers.

In Johnston county Hubert Gower

USE THE SOUL IN SPENDING DOLLARS IS WILLIAMS' ADVICE

National bankers gathered in Kansas City at the annual convention of the American Bankers' Association, were told by John Skelten Williams, Comptroller of the Currency that they could fulfill their duty to the world in the great financial reconstruction following the European war only if they "put the soul of the people in the use and application of the dollars." "We have outgrown responsibility

to our country and generation," said Mr. Williams. "We have become responsible to the whole world because we have become the supreme world power, especially in that vital department reaching to the root and core of all things which we here directly represent as the financial. It is for you, gentlemen, controlling the powerful banking interests of this supreme country, to determine whether these dollars of ours shall prey upon our country and the world with teeth and claws, or shall have souls put into them to upbuild, to help to seal the horrible scars of war, to lift the stricken to strength and hope." The Comptroller spoke before the National Bank section of the Associa tion. He revolued the progress of banking under the Federal Reserve Law, sketched the commanding position the United States has taken in world finance, declared that for the first time America had become distinctly a creditor nation, urged the bankers to take a more active interest in politics, and warned them

against the danger of too great concentration of wealth at the expense of small enterprises. "Is it not hard to grasp the thought that this country of ours, which in 1902, had already reached a pinnacle among the nations, has since that year doubled the volume of its business in virtually all the great cities of the land ?" asked he. "If we should divide the new wealth created annually among all the men, women and children engaged at work, they would have not far from a thousand dollars per year each.

"Our deposits in all the banks throughout he United States at this time are so hnge that if there should be withdrawn from these banks an amount of deposits equal to the total resources at this time of the Bank of England, the Bank of France, the Bank of Spain, the Bank of Netherlands the Bank of Norway, the Bank of Sweden, the National Bank of Switzerland and the Imperial Bank of Japan, all combined, the deposits of our panks would still be as great as they were three years ago.

"If a balance should be struck to. day, the probabilities are that we would find ourselves, for the first time in our history, a distinctly creditor nation. We hold a mortgage on the world's physical assets. The world holds a mortgage on our soul, on our good will and broad nobility of pur-

"Patriotic Americans have a right to gloat over such a showing with swell-

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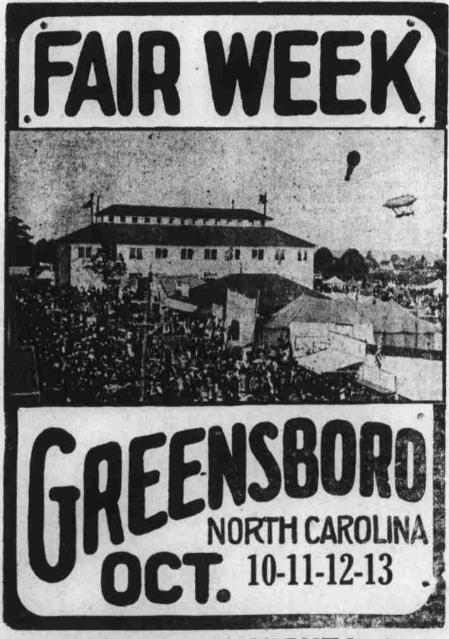
FURNITURE UNDERTAKING

President Wilson has just signed a proclamation excluding about 97,960 acres from the Angelus national forent, California. Of this area about 56,-000 acres will be open to settlement in advance of entry. These lands will be subject to settlement only under the homestead laws from 9 a. m., Oct. 25, until and including Nov. 21, 1916, and thereafter to disposition under the public land law applicable thereto.

Despondency.

When you feel discouraged and despondent do not give up but take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets and you are almost certain to feel all right within a day or two. Despondency is very often due to indigestion and biliousness, for which these tablets are especially valuable. Obtainable everywhere.





4--DAYS AND NIGHTS -- 4 FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13th, EDUCATIONAL DAY

Magnificent Fireworks Display. The Battle of the Dardanelles will be reproduced. Reduced rates on all railroads. Always something to see. Fine harness and running races. Big automobile parade. The largest array of exhibits that have ever been shown at any Fair in the State will be seen here. Our Midway wil be of a high class and very attractive Some new amusements such as the Whip. Submarines and Silodrones. Don't Forget to attend the Baby Show, Canning Club, etc. Many free acts.

and Sim Baker engaged in a fight and while the fight was in progress Baker called to Bud Baker, his 14year-old son, to shoot Gower. The boy responded with a shot gun, tearing away Gower's jaw. Gower died of his wounds and the Bakers are in jail. The report of the homicide says Gower was drinking and indicates that he provoked the fight.

Hon. James Haywood Southgate, 57 years of age, president of the North Carolina Peace Society, president of the board of trustees of Trinity College in Durham, and former president of the National Association of Insurance agents, and at one time Vice-Presidential nominee of the Prohibition party, died Friday afternoon at his cabin near University Station, in Orange county. Death is believed to have been due to an attack of heart failure. He was one of Durham's best known citizens.

Factories Increase.

The number of manufactories increased in the past fifteen years rom 207,000 to 275,000, or 32 per cent. The average number of workers enmployed in factories on salaries or wages increased from 5.076.060 in 1899 to \$8.-000,000 in 1914, an increase of nearly \$3.000,000-almost 60 per cent, while the value of the products of our manufactories was increased from \$11.-406.000,000 to \$24.246.000,000, an in crease in the value of the products of this period of nearly thirteen billion dollars, or 112 per cent.

The production of pig iron for the year ending June 30, 1914, was reported at 27,000,000 tons; for the year ending June 30, 1916, the output is given at 37,000,000 tons, against pro duction for 1902 of only 17,000,000 tons The output of iron ore for the year ending June 30, 1914, was 57,000,000

tons; for the year ending June 17th 1916, the production was 66,000,000 tons, against only 35,000,000 tons in 1902. The production of steel, which for

the year ending June 30, 1914, was given at 27,000,000 tons, had increased for the year ending June 30, 1916, to 39.000.000 tons, against only 15.000.000 tons in the year 1902 .- From Address delivered before the National Bankers our most exagerated hopes. If we put Association by Comptroller of the Currency John Skelton Williams.

FOR SALE .- Six-room house on turies will be fulfilled by us. And Lawsonville avenue; well and outhous- gentlemen, you govern the use of the es. Apply to Mrs. Will Hooper, City. dollars."

ing pride. Thoughtful Americans will find in them cause for that wealth may betray us into rapacity and inequality of distribution that will mean destruction. We are in aworld infinitely vaster than Rome knew. We can hold in it power and place far bevond the wildest vision of the proudest Roman. 'In all time of our tribulation, in all time of our prosperity. in the hour of death and in the day of judgment, good Lord, deliver us,' runs the Litany. Men wise as Caesar Augustus wrote that for us to use in our prayers. They understood, as he did that the dangers of prosperity are as deadly as those of adversity, death and judgment.

"The law of gravitation, as we know, applies in finance as in the physical world. Huge accumulations of value naturally draw to themselves the logser masses. While we are planning gigantic schemes for world development let us not forget that the most immediate and vital business duties which lie before us relate to the up building of our home enterprises, especially the small factories and mills and development undertakings in the lesser cities and towns and in our country districts. Those provide the

surest and safest foundation on which to erect national wealth." The Comptroller paid tribute to Sec retary McAdoo, who, he said, had solved financial problems during the past three years compared to which the tasks of Hamilton, Gallatin, Chase McCullough and Sherman seem small In summing up the results achieved under the Federal reserve system, Mr Williams said rates for money had been lowered and equalized, business of all kinds placed on a strong founda

tion and bank failures greatly reduced "It is certain that just before us, a few months or two or three years" he said in conclusion, "a mighty task is to be done to reorganize and re-establish the nations of the earth. We have the right to do it to our own profit But it is our duty and our opportunity to let the word 'fair' go hand in hand with the word 'profit' Let us have the great American soul go in com pany with the great American dollar We have the people with the souls it them. We have the dollars beyond the soul of the people in the use and application of the dollars, the loftiest

and noblest conceptions of the cen

NEW BETHEL, Tuesday, October 3rd, 11 o'clock A. M. All Day. MAYODAN Tuesday, October 3rd, 8 P. M. Night. MARTINS, October 4th 8. P. M. Night. STONEVILLE, Thursday, October 5th at 8, P. M. PRICE, Friday, October 5th, at 8 P. M. BETHLEHEM, Saturday, October 7th at 8 P. M. RUFFIN, Monday, October 9th at 8 P. M. WILLIAMSBURG (HHW) Tuesday, October 10th at 8 P. M. OREGON (Stew) Wednesday October 11th. All Day. LENOX CASTLE (Slades') Wednesday, October 11th at 8 P. M. DRAPER Thursday, October 12th at 8 P. M. SPRAY Friday, October 13th at 8 P. M. GRASSY SPRINGS, Alliance Hall, Saturday, October 14th at 8 P. M. PLEASANTVILLE, Monday. October 16th at 8 P. M. IRON WORKS (Stew) Tuesday, October 17th. All Day. BENAJA, Wednesday October 18th at 8 P. M. MAYFIELD, (School House) Thursday, October 19th at S P. M. REIDSVILLE, Friday October 20th at 8 P. M. THOMPSONVILLE, Saturday October 21st at 8 P. M. SYLVANIA, Monday, October 23d at 8 P. M. INTELLIGENCE, New Bethel Academy Tuesday Oct 24 at 8 P. M. ROCKY SPRINGS, (Stew) Wednesday October 25th. All Day. EDNA COTTON MILLS, Reid sville, Thursday October 26th 8 P. M. LEAKSVILLE, Friday, October 27th at 8 P. M. PRATT'S SCHOOL HOUSE, Saturday October 28th at 8 P. M. SHARON SCHOOL HOUSE October 30th 8 P. M. SETTLES' BRIDGE, Tuesday October 31st at 8 P. M. MADISON, Wednesday, November 1st, at 8 P. M.

Everybody is Invited to Attend! Especially the Ladies IRA® R. HUMPHREYS, Chairman, JAS. T. HENDRIX, Secretary **Democratic Executive** Committee.



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