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GREAT CROWD WITNESS PARADE

At Camp Lee. Military Ball Largely Attended. Sham Battle Today. Special to Journal.

Morehead City, Aug. 16.—The North Carolina National Guard passed in review before Governor Aycock and his staff at Camp Lee at 6 o'clock. The parade was witnessed by fully 5,000 and was very impressive. The order of march was Third regiment, Second regiment, Battery A, New Bern and Beaufort divisions Naval Reserves, Red Cross Hospital Corps.

There were fifteen hundred soldiers in the parade. The military ball at the Atlantic Hotel was a grand occasion, in which many couples participated. Arrangements have been completed for a sham battle, which will be fought Wednesday morning.

NOT ENOUGH SUNSHINE.

Is Complaint of Weekly Crop Bulletin For Week Ending Monday, August 15, 1904.

There is a general complaint in all sections of the State that during the past two weeks there has been too much rainfall and not enough sunshine. Rains fell nearly every day during the past week; in moderate amounts in the western half of the State, and in heavy downpours in most places in the eastern half, especially on the 9th, 11th and 13th. These weather conditions proved damaging to all growing crops, and have seriously delayed important farm work. Preparations have been made for sowing turnips and rutabagas, for plowing wheat fields, and for planting the second crop of Irish potatoes, but on account of the wet condition of the soil very little has been accomplished. In the extreme western counties the cutting of buckwheat, oats and hay has been retarded on account of too frequent rains; and considerable of out oats is spoiling in the shocks. Corn has suffered slightly, but the damage is confined entirely to lowlands, where some of it is turning yellow. On uplands the stands are excellent and the outlook for a good crop is encouraging. Sweet potatoes are also turning yellow in a number of fields in the Central District; but continue to do well elsewhere. The tobacco crop is below the average; curing is in full progress, and the leaves are said to be curing nicely. Peanuts are not doing well in Hertford county; but the reports from the adjoining counties are more encouraging. Cotton has suffered from the wet spell more than any other growing crop; it is shedding in all sections of the State and the damage is quite serious in low places and on light sandy soil. The weed is growing too rapidly, while the fruit is not developing in proportion to the size of the plant. There are a number of indications of black rust. It is safe to say that this has been the most unfavorable week for some time, and unless fair weather sets in, there will be a decided change in the prospects for a cotton crop. The pastures land in the western counties is excellent, and the stock is improving. Grapes are ripening and will be a fair crop; peaches are rotting.

Rains (in inches) for the week ending 8 a. m. today: Raleigh, 1.08; Hatteras, 0.20; Charlotte, 0.20; Asheville, 0.90; Wilmington, 0.20; Goldsboro, 1.80; Greensboro, 1.24; Lumberton, 1.60; New Bern, 1.53; Weldon, 0.40.

FINE Country Hams at Oaks Meat Market.

Go to the Oaks Meat Market for the best Canned Meats.

GET THE SIGNED GUARANTEE

F. B. Duffy Agrees to Return Money if M-I-o-s Pills do not Make You Well.

Have F. B. Duffy sign the following guarantee when you buy a box of M-I-o-s, nature's cure for dyspepsia.

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I hereby agree to refund the money paid for M-I-o-s on return of the empty box, if the purchaser tells me that it has failed to cure dyspepsia or stomach troubles. This guarantee covers two 50c boxes, or a month's treatment. (Signed) F. B. Duffy.

M-I-o-s is a remarkable preparation that tones up the digestive organs and quickly gives perfect health and strength. It will cure the worst case of indigestion, or the degree irritated state that afflicts nearly every one who has stomach troubles. It is not a mere digestive like the peppermint, but is a remedy that stimulates and positively cures dyspepsia and restores perfect health to the digestive system.

F. B. Duffy can tell you of many of his customers who recommend M-I-o-s because it cured them. Better than all other medicines, though, is the guarantee which M-I-o-s is sold. It is a plain, positive statement that if this remedy does not relieve you of indigestion, it will refund you absolutely nothing.

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Waterspout at Beaufort.

Special to Journal.

Beaufort, N. C., Aug. 16.—Today about one o'clock considerable excitement was caused among the residents at Beaufort, the cause being a waterspout, which was first seen passing Fort Macon. It came in through the inlet, continued in direction of Beaufort, and striking the county wharf, broke and fell to the water. There were no boats in the course of the spout, therefore no damage resulted.

Weather in Cotton Belt.

Special to Journal.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 16.—Carolina Georgia, Eastern Florida, showers today and tomorrow; West Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Eastern Texas, fair; West Texas, fair in South, showers in North; Oklahoma, Indian Territory, Arkansas fair, Tennessee fair except showers in extreme east today, fair tomorrow; Kentucky, showers today, fair and cooler tomorrow.

Wild Runaway.

A runaway mule came very near causing a serious accident on Craven street yesterday, as it is a considerable damage was done.

Two farmers, Mr. C. F. Sawyer and Mr. W. J. Dunn, both of Pamlico county, had been here during the day and were on their way out returning home, riding in a cart with a mule attached to it.

When they arrived about opposite the court house the uncertain heat saw fit to become frightened at a bicycle, or pretended to be so, anyway he went tearing off up the street, abandoned that for the sidewalk, ran along that until one of the men was thrown out, then struck a tree which separated the body of the cart from the wheels. But the mule kept on and ran through a porch of a house occupied by Mr. H. D. Simpson on the corner of Craven and Change streets, when the other man fell out and was quite painfully injured. The porch was a complete wreck. The floor was broken through, the columns were knocked out, which brought down the roof and it fell directly on the cart stopping the headway of the mule. Strange to say in all the wild career of the animal he escaped without injury.

Lantern Carnival.

The Lantern Carnival Friday night promises to be quite an event. The merchants have kindly donated prizes as follows:

Gaskill Hardware Co., 1 pair scissors, 1 knife.

G. N. Bennett, 1 work box.

John Suter & Son, 1 vase.

J. E. Holland, 1 silk umbrella.

M. E. Whitehurst, 1 pocket knife.

Barfoot Bros., 1 fan.

C. J. McSorley, 1 hat and ball.

E. B. Hesketh, 1 silk umbrella.

D. F. Jarvis, 1 purse.

A. J. Smith, 1 fan.

J. J. Baxter, 4 doz handkerchiefs.

J. M. Howard, 50c.

Explanation.

It being reported about town that W. F. Hill was in favor of the railroad switch on South Front street, and he being blamed for the building of the switch, he wishes to say to the public that such never has been his position. He was the first to make active opposition to this measure, and continued his opposition until he found that the fight was useless. That he had not the means or the influence to overcome the influence of the president of the Atlantic and North Carolina railroad with the assistance of the city of New Bern.

He found that the railroad influence was not only superior to his efforts but to that of all the property owners along South Front street.

It was after being convinced of this that the Elm City Lumber Co. entered into an agreement with him to take all his property on South Front street at a fair rental provided the switch was built within six months. He knew that his property would be greatly damaged by the building of the switch, and that it would be built in spite of his efforts, and in this way he took his chance for protection, and ceased a useless opposition.

The street has been ruined for the benefit of the Elm City Lumber Company, just as he knew it would be. One of our main public thoroughfares has been appropriated for the benefit of a rich private corporation to the expense of the general public, for the street is so narrow that those using horses and vehicles will avoid passing upon it except when absolutely necessary.

When men like Mr. Bryan combine with a rich corporation like the Elm City Lumber Company, their wishes and opinions are of greater weight with the people's representatives than the desires or votes of many of the people of humbler position. Then W. F. Hill asks why should he be blamed for dropping out of a useless fight.

The Board of Aldermen have made a grant of the street to the Elm City Lumber Company without any promise of securing a public benefit to the people for so long will the public expect the private corporation and if the people don't see the point of it, they don't know the point. Some time ago W. F. Hill, some time ago W. F. Hill,

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

Some Things Commonly Known. Editor Journal.

That the business at New Bern and country adjacent to the A. & N. C. R. R., since the adoption of the Constitutional Amendments has greatly increased. That preparation are being made for greater development than has been known in this section. That a prosperous country makes a prosperous railroad. That the State of North Carolina has held the A. & N. C. R. R. through the reconstruction days, and the times of adversity and dull business, when there was hardly a ray of hope for any start to be in this eastern section. That the tax payers of Craven county labored hard to pay for their stock in the railroad during those dark days. That the county stock is practically paid for. That the whole south is making the most marvelous strides on industrial agriculture and commercial lines than any other part of the civilized world. That the net earnings of the A. & N. C. R. R. last year was more than 4% of its capital stock. That although this country had not begun to make much progress twenty years ago, the increase of business has been slow and steady, going on for the past twenty years, and each year its profits are greater. That the people are unwilling to create and pay for a valuable property and as soon as it is ready to return them some profits, to lease it out to speculators and sharp traders. There are some other things that are commonly known throughout this section which are not published in this paper today.

CITIZEN.

Means a Give Away.

Editor Journal.

I voted for the subscription to the Pamlico Railroad. I believe it will help to develop, not only Pamlico county, but this whole eastern section. It will be a great feeder to the Atlantic and North Carolina railroad and greatly help to increase its profits. I see the Atlantic Railway Company, a "paper company" organized by a Mr. Mills of Raleigh and a Mr. Finlayson of Goldsboro, who is a soliciting agent of the A. & N. C. R. R. proposes to lease this Atlantic & North Carolina railroad. Pamlico county owns 200 shares, I think Craven county owns some 1250 and Lenoir county 500 shares, making a total of nineteen hundred shares owned by these three counties in the Atlantic & North Carolina railroad. I notice that Mr. Jas. A. Bryan, who is President of the Atlantic & North Carolina railroad company and Mr. Mills of Raleigh, who is Pres. of the Atlantic Railway Co., by their Attorney, Mr. Owen H. Galton of New Bern, who is Attorney for the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad Co., have contracted to build the Pamlico railroad by Nov. 1st 1904. I am glad to see this, and hope and believe the Pamlico Road will be built. I believe it will be a money making property to its owners. While I am willing to contribute my part of the fifty thousand dollars which I voted for, but I enter my protest against the leasing of the Atlantic & North Carolina railroad to the Atlantic Railway Co. Our people have labored for fifty years to pay for their stock in the A. & N. C. R. R. The railroad has built up a great and prosperous country for us, and we now see in sight great profits. By all means retain this valuable property, and protect ourselves against combinations, who if they acquire it, can crush us to the earth. The A. & N. C. R. R. Co. has been a benefit to all our section down here. It has helped the State, because it has created valuable property that will always pay taxes. I believe it has helped the towns of Goldsboro, Lenoir and Kinston as much as the railroad cost. If it is leased out, you will soon see who darkened the door To part with a property of the earning capacity of this road, upon terms which I have heard of, is wild trading, it is simply a "give-a-way."

PAMLIKO STOCKHOLDER.

Baseball Today.

There will be a game of baseball at Blades park today between the Bayboro and New Bern teams. The Bayboro's are an exceptionally strong team and have been the victors in nearly every game they have played this season.

The game will be called at 4 o'clock.

Don't forget that we are still closing out our summer clothing in mens boys and childrens at cost.

J. J. BAXTER

Old Dominion Steamship Co.

The steamer Neuse will be withdrawn temporarily from the route on July 15th for her annual repairs.

During her absence the steamer Ocrake is scheduled to sail from New Bern for Belhaven, (instead of Elizabeth City) at 6 p m on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Until further notice there will be no steamer sailing on Tuesday, Thursday or Saturday.

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