

ATHENS TODAY
Vaudeville
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PICTURES

The Masquerader

A two reel special Kalem feature, featuring Caryle Blackwell, everybody's favorite. Lurking in the veranda the ex-convict sees his former sweetheart threatened with disgrace by a blackmailer. How he saves her, and starts on the road to a better life will bring responsive throbs to every heart.

Smile of Fortune

A roaring Lubin comedy drama, "Beating their Board Bill" and "The Faddist," and two very funny Biograph comedies. Matinee daily at 3:45. Night 7:45 and 9:15. Tomorrow "The Criminal Path," one of those thrilling and exciting exclusive features in 4 reels.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW ABOUT

N. M. Lancaster and B. B. Warren of Vanceboro were visitors to the city yesterday.

N. O. Wade left yesterday afternoon for his home in Morehead City to spend the summer.

Harris Lane of Oriental was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

Chief of Police Rouse, of Dover, was in the city yesterday afternoon between trains.

R. B. Atkinson left yesterday for a few days business visit to Spartanburg, S. C.

D. W. and G. V. Richardson, of Dover were visitors to the city yesterday.

U. S. Deputy Collector, C. H. Ange, of Jacksonville arrived in the city yesterday afternoon.

R. E. Whitehurst, of Beaufort arrived in the city yesterday morning.

A. A. Ipock, left yesterday morning for Ernul to spend a few days.

S. G. Cooper, of Greenville, was a visitor to New Bern yesterday.

J. H. Harris, G. Hardison, F. W. White, of Cove City, motored to New Bern yesterday morning in the latter's car.

Mark Disoway and family have moved out to their summer home on Trent road.

Misses Eunice Stewart and Lillian Smith, of Vanceboro were visitors to the city yesterday.

DATE FOR CELEBRATION SOON TO BE ANNOUNCED

WILL TAKE PLACE LATTER PART OF MAY OR ABOUT JUNE FIRST.

The Home-Coming Celebration will take place the last week in the month of May or sometime during the month of June. This statement is made so that those were under the impression that the celebration would take place the early part of May will be under this impression no longer.

When the invitation was extended to the Secretary of State, William Jennings Bryan to deliver an address here at the Home-Coming Celebration, he was asked to come the last week in the month of May or sometime during the month of June.

It will be only a short while now before the exact dates of the Home-Coming Celebration will be announced. It will be announced in plenty of time for every man, woman and child in a radius of fifty miles, to know all about them.

One of the features of the Home-Coming Celebration that will appeal to all out of town people will be the fact that the boats running to and from the Fair Grounds will leave from the foot of Queen Street (one block from the Union Depot.)

Another feature that will appeal to everybody will be not only the fact that the transportation to and from the Fair Grounds will only be ten cents each way, five cents to children under twelve years of age, but the fact that a ten minute schedule will be run from the foot of Queen Street, and more often than that when the rush is on.

The management of the Home-Coming Celebration has made arrangements to charter at least half dozen large boats, each carrying from 150 to 200 passengers, and they can make the trip from the foot of Queen Street to the Fair Grounds in fifteen minutes. Arrangements have been made to have enough boats to carry from 1500 to 2000 people every hour, so the public need have no fear about the transportation problem.

No one need kick about paying ten cents for a delightful fifteen minute trip up the Neuse River.

One of the features of the Celebration will be the gigantic fireworks display at the Fair Grounds three nights. The Fair Grounds will be brilliantly lighted from the entrance to the boat landing, and Queen Street will be brilliantly lighted from Middle Street to the boat landing. The boats will make regular trips to and from the Fair Grounds until every person has had an opportunity to be brought back each night.

The admission to the Fair Grounds will be fifty cents each day until 5 p. m. After 5 p. m. admission will be only twenty-five cents. Holders of season tickets will be entitled to free transportation each day to and from the Fair Grounds.

THE THURMAN SCHOOL WILL CLOSE NEXT WEEK

ELABORATE PROGRAM HAS BEEN PREPARED FOR THE OCCASION

The consolidated schools at Thurman will close on May 12 and 13 and a grand educational rally and big picnic has been planned in celebration of the event. The commencement address will be made by Hon. S. M. Brinson of this city and this will be followed by the regular exercises. On Wednesday the Dover Council, Jr., O. U. A. M., will present a Bible to the school, Hon. George E. Hood making the presentation address. Following this will be an address by Hon. J. Y. Joyner, State superintendent of Public Instruction.

On the same day, Prof. L. C. Brogden will make an address on the subject of "Country School and Country Life". This will be followed by a big picnic dinner to which the entire county has been invited. In the afternoon addresses will be made by Prof. Tarlington, principal of the Farm Life School, James A. Bryan and S. M. Brinson of this city. After the speaking there will be a number of athletic contests in which the pupils will participate. Music for the occasion will be furnished by the Peoples Band of this city.

MARINE NEWS.

The two mast schooner Bertha L. Morton was in port yesterday.

The two mast schooner Threeport, left yesterday for Vandemere with a cargo of merchandise.

The gas freight boat Alfonso, left yesterday for Davis with a cargo of merchandise.

The two mast schooner Bertie arrived in port yesterday from Wit with a cargo of country produce.

The gas freight boat Wave arrived in port yesterday from Beaufort with a cargo of potatoes.

The front of the Jewelry store of J. O. Baxter was receiving a fresh coat of red paint yesterday morning, which adds greatly to its appearance.

"Galliger" a comedy of the real sort at Griffin Auditorium. Friday night at 8:15. Admission 25c.

STAR THEATRE TODAY

WORLDS SPECIAL FILMS CORPORATION PRESENTS

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A beautiful love story woven about a sculptor who goes blind before finishing his masterpiece. Many have read the beautiful story, but few have had the pleasure of seeing it produced in pictures, as his is its first presentation. In addition to this splendid feature picture we have two other good ones—

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(SELIG)

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Won By a Nose

(PATHE)

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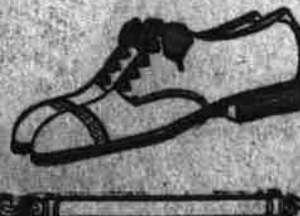
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