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"FOOL COLUMN" ON BIG COUNTY FAIR

Page Writes Interestingly of Fair,
 And Lingers on Races and
 Sidelights.

Kings Mountain Herald.

I am thinking now of the Cleveland county fair which was so gloriously pulled off last week. Old fair followers say it banged all fairs they ever saw. It was a complete knock-out. Twice as many folks attended as ever attended a similar affair in this whole section. It was Cleveland county's first attempt at a fair. One trouble about it is that we shall find it hard to ever make it any better or even keep up the lick. The thing was ten years old when it was born. Cleveland county folks do things in a big way anyhow. I keep on hearing other folks wondering if the county is as productive in every line as it is in politicians. The evidence is before us now.

They had everything there from North Smith with a pile of rocks to A. V. Washburn with a stack of Bibles and his Sunday school wheel. The folks were there from the slickest bootlegger sliding around in the crowds to the moderator of the association presiding over the chickens and dogs. Amusements all the way from the horriest to show the grounds to Sam Suher's hot dogs and better cats. There were [redacted] Barney Google and Spark Plug included. All the churches and lodges were liberally represented and all the professions had delegates from far and near.

You know I placed a question mark ahead of horse racing the other day. Well, it is still there. But what all I saw at the races Friday reduced the size of the type a little. I debated the matter and went up Tuesday and be thought myself not to condemn too heavily until I had done some investigating. I met many of my friends and brethren in the grand stand and the horses looked as if they enjoyed the races better than the spectators. And when the old big rhone threw his jockey away and ran break-neck speed around the track three times before he could be stopped I arose and gave my old 48 cent hat a swing in the air and yelled several copious yells. I heard no talk of the "book" except what Lee Weathers and Ren Drum and I talked.

Friday, I was back as aforesaid. I wanted to make sure that my mind was clear and I again ascended into the grandstand to see the races and settled the matter of right and wrong if I could. So I cast about. My blinks first fell upon a bunch of A. R. P.'s of known quality. I inquired diligently if it were all right for that sort of communicants to witness horse races. They agreed that it was. One of

them returned the inquiry as to Baptists and I stated that the matter was still debatable. The Right Honorable Van Sellers, who sat a seat below, asked how it would do for Methodists, I told him I thought it would be good for them. Then I asked that venerable solon what the Methodists would do with a fellow for going to the legislature and then to a horse race. He thought it would be well with him.

The pop corn and ice cream vendors were putting in their work and the fillies were prancing around on the track. I mused. Pretty soon I became mightily familiar even in the late session of the association. I felt more comfortable when I saw members of the various committees. But when the moderator walked up and took a seat I heaved a sigh of relief that was like follows having a bad tooth pulled. I felt sure then that denominational banction hovered over the proceedings. But when old Brother Woodson put in his appearance on the grandstand the remaining clouds that skirted the skies passed and the azure blue canopied the whole situation.

After coming down I met Rev. I. D. Harrill and talked with him about the matter. He said he was up there but that he went to meet some of his members that he hadn't seen at church in three years. Snatching brands from the burning, as it were, Now Brother Harrill is the same fellow who went with Ira Patterson fox hunting on Kings Mountain that Sunday night and the mule he was riding fell a hundred feet down the mountain side and landed flat of his back between two rocks. He took time to go over it again at the fair. He is the same fellow who had a new hat at the association last year at Lattimore and it created such a stir that he made explanation that just twenty-five years ago the association met with the church at Lattimore and that a youthful swain approached him and asked him to introduce him to a certain girl with the promise that if the girl married him that he would buy him a good hat.

He continued by saying that a full quarter of a century had passed and the pair had reared many sons and daughters and that during the week preceding the session the good brother had bought him the hat. He also stated that the same pair was there, present then, and could bear witness if it was necessary. Brother Harrill is the same fellow I caught in a five and ten cent store at Spartanburg that time I went to hear Billy Sunday preach and saw Vie Montgomery's big cows. He is the very same fellow whose grip I looked into one time right here in Kings Mountain and saw his Bible wrapped in a coon hide. He's the very boy.

Well, as I was telling about the fair, I went on around to where Brother John W. Suttle was presiding over the dogs and chickens and I addressed him. "Brother Moderator," he grinned copiously and stated that the races weren't all right that Brother Woodson would set us straight at the next sitting of the association. He then went on to tell about getting a furlough from his duties at the fair to go over to Four Oaks in Johnson county to preach the funeral of an old sister. A long time ago when I was a little boy plowing a mule down in the crook of South river, brother Suttle was pastor of some churches in Johnson county. The church at Four Oaks had only one member and that was a good old sister. He would go and they would have meeting and he would administer the communion to the old lady and himself. And in the meantime he promised to preach her funeral if she ever died. So she died right here in the middle of the fair and Brother Suttle went over and carefully laid her away.

He was asked if the church ever grew any stronger, then he stretched up and lifted the short leg clear off the ground and exulted as he declared that that old woman grew into a large and strong congregation and they now worship in a magnificent brick building. "Brother Moderator," he said, "I had a vision of the old sister looking down from the pearly gates of heaven down on Brother Suttle over at the fair she can turn around and tell her Lord that there's the man who helped her start that fine church down at Four Oaks."

Resolved, That the Board of Treasurers direct the contractor for the copper coinage to stamp on one side of each piece the following device, namely: thirteen circles linked together, a small circle in the middle, with the words, "United States" round it, and in the center, the words "We Are One" on the other side of the same piece the following device, viz.: a dial with the hours expressed on the face of it; a meridian sun above, on one side of it to be the word "Fugio," and on the other the year, in figures, "1787," below the words: "Mind Your Business".

Earning Livelihood Enjoyed by Royalty

The last ten years in Germany has deprived many a prince of his income, and sent him out to make a living along with the rest of the world. Not a few of the nobility, particularly among the younger generation, have said they were happier and more contented with life generally since they went to work than they were when they had nothing to do but count their income and look for thrills in sports, society or military manoeuvres.

What the republic is to do with the property that once belonged to former Emperor William is still an open question. He possessed large estates in Brandenburg, Pomerania, Posen, Silesia and West Prussia, and other assets, which have been appraised at \$49,000,000, all of which he lost when he fled to Holland in 1918. His income today is relatively very modest indeed.

The castles, picture galleries and other valuable collections regarded as the property of the old dynasty were taken over by the state. A number of the princes, however, brought suit to retain their holdings, and have regained title to some of the properties which were confiscated when the republic became a reality.

It has been estimated that the former King of Saxony, Friedrich August, wanted a loser to the extent of \$6,000,000. The Saxon diet now gives him \$80,000 a year.

Other rich noblemen who today are living on greatly reduced incomes are the grand duke of Saxony-Weimer, the king of Wuertemberg, the grand duke of Oldenburg.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that J. N. Dellinger, a member of the firm of the Shelby Corn Mill has sold his interest in the business to his other partner J. G. Blanton who will continue the business at the same stand under the same name. This is to notify the public that the said J. N. Dellinger is no longer responsible for any debts contracted in the same of the said firm that all accounts owing by the Shelby Corn Mill will be paid by the said J. G. Blanton and all accounts due the Shelby Corn Mill will be collected by him. This October 22, 1924.

J. N. DELLINGER, J. G. BLANTON, Trading as Shelby Corn Mill.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I have qualified as administratrix of the estate of T. A. Spangler, late of Cleveland County, N. C., and all persons having claims against said estate will present them to me properly proven for payment on or before September 15th, 1925, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery, and all persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment to the undersigned. This September 15th, 1924.

A. SPANGLER, Adm. of T. A. Spangler, Dec'd.
 Ryburn & Hoey, Attys.

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Mrs. Tucker gave her heart to God in early life and lived a consecrated Christian of the M. E. Church South. She was always found in her special seat at church when health and circumstances would permit; was a member of the Missionary society as long as she was able to attend its meetings, and gave to the Lord mentally, physically, and financially all she could. The unsaved was ever on her heart. She was a woman of great faith. The writer of this has known her to get down to pray and that prayer to end in shouting His praises.

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Little children always attracted her attention, though no prattlers were ever heard around her fireside. Her home was home for the writer whenever we wished it, for which we are very grateful. In later years when we had a home her visits were looked forward to with much pleasure, but she comes no more.

She leaves to mourn their loss a broken-hearted and an afflicted husband, four sisters, a number of nephews and nieces, together with good neighbors and friends.

"The Lord gave, and the Lord hath taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord."
 May we meet in heaven,
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 "To the faithful, "Well done."
 He to His harp will give,
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EXECUTORS' NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that we have this day qualified as executors of the will of Berryman McSwain, late of Cleveland county, N. C., and all parties indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment to us and all parties having claims against said estate shall present them to us properly proven for payment on or before October 24th, 1925, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

This October 24th, 1924.
 W. E. McSWAIN,
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 of the will of Berryman McSwain, deceased.
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Advice on Early Coins.
 The first money issued by the United States bore on its face the injunction: "Mind Your Business," according to copies of early scrip and coins.
 This does not mean our forefathers were in a grouchy mood when they got around to the question of their country's currency. The expression had not acquired the snappish implication that now makes the retort "Mind Your Own Business" a good way to start a fight. It was an entirely serious admonition to industry and vigilance in business; the paternal advice of a grave and earnest government to a people not yet calloused to slogans.
 The scrip issued in 1776 by act of congress bore on one side, in addition to the denomination, and the necessary series numbers, authorization and signatures, a small picture of a sundial, with a sun pouring visible rays upon it, and the words below, "Mind Your Business."
 Eleven years later, July 6, 1787 congress, in authorizing copper coinage, specified as follows: