

HORSE RACES DRAW MUCH INTEREST AT PITT COUNTY FAIR

Opening Races Yesterday Proved Principal Attraction of Activities.

NUMBER OF SPLENDID HORSES ENTERED FOR AFTERNOON'S EVENT

Heats Were Long Drawnout and Closely Contested in Practically Every Race

The horse races occupied a considerable portion of the opening day of the Pitt County Fair in this city yesterday and hundreds of visitors who came from many sections of the state to see this one feature were fully rewarded in coming as the races were fast and of the very highest order.

There were nine entrants in the 2:28 trot, while only six were included in the 2:14 pace. Purses in each race were \$400.

Following is the result of each heat, giving the position of each horse as he passed under the wire:

First Race 2:28 Trot. Benjamin-4-4-3; Ice, 7-2-4-2; Tom C. Weber, 1-3-2-1-1; Miss Liberty, 3-8-6; Fond Memory, 6-7; Golden Heart, 9-1-1-4-2; General Funston, 5-5-7; Martin J., 8-0-0; Golden Guy, 2-0-5-3. Time 2:11-4.

Second Race. Mittie Bedworth, 1-1-1; Dell Cor, 5-3-3; Bettie Baker, 4-5-4; Pony Boy, 2-4-5; Tip Top, 6; Tonka Patch, 3-2-2. Time 2:15 1-4. Purse \$400.

Third Race, County Race. Woodrow, 5-6-7; Dorothy, 3-2-1; Dean 7-5-4; Marie Dewey, 4-4-6; Steve Roberts, 2-4-2; Willie B., 1-1-3; Tom Sawyer, 6-7-2. Time 2:24 1-4. Purse \$400.

The horses participating in yesterday's races were owned by and from the following places:

Benjamin, owned by Mr. Swert of Greenville; Ice, owned by Mr. Daugherty, of Hertford; Tom C. Weber, owned by Mr. Douglas, of Darlington, S. C.; Miss Liberty, owned by Mr. Moore, of Dillon, S. C.; Fond Memory, owned by Mr. Rogers, of Rowland, N. C.; Golden Heart, owned by Mr. Johnson, of Greenville; General Funston, owned by Mr. Staton, of Greenville; Martin, J., owned by Mr. Wilson, of Williamson; Golden Guy, owned by Mr. Purvis, of Williamson.

Mittie Bedworth, owned by Mr. Swert, of Fayetteville; Dell Cor, owned by Mr. Daugherty, of Hertford; Bettie Baker, owned by Mr. Becker, of Tarboro; Pony Boy, owned by Mr. McMillan, of Henderson; Tip Top, owned by Mr. Moore, of Dillon, S. C.; Tonka Patch, owned by Mr. Britt, of Henderson. Woodrow, owned by Simon Moye, of Greenville; Dorothy, owned by Mr. Price, of Greenville; Dean, owned by Mr. Douglas, of Greenville; Marie Dewey, owned by Mr. Anderson, of Greenville; Steve Roberts, owned by Mr. Daugherty, of Farmville; Willie B., owned by Mr. Johnson of Greenville; Tom Sawyer, owned by Mr. Staton of Farmville.

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A new and hitherto unpublished photograph of Herr Heinze, German minister of justice.

SECRETARY COLBY DECLINES TO ISSUE SUFFRAGE RECALL

Tennessee Antis will be Compelled to Remain Content With Statement.

Washington, Sept. 21.—Having refused to rescind his action in proclaiming the suffrage amendment a part of the Federal constitution, Secretary Colby had under consideration tonight the request of a delegation of Tennessee anti-suffragists that he issue a statement showing that certification of the second vote of the Tennessee House against the amendment had been received by the State Department.

The Tennessee delegation, headed by Tennessee Colby, called on Secretary Colby late today and according to its members, renewed their request, first made at a conference with Mr. Colby yesterday. The Secretary, members of the delegation said told them today that he would refer their request to his Solicitor and would announce tomorrow what action he would take.

Members of the delegation in a statement issued tonight said they had not requested Mr. Colby to rescind the suffrage amendment proclamation on the basis of Tennessee's ratification but admitted precedents for such an action had been suggested. The announcement made at the State department regarding yesterday's conference said that Secretary Colby had refused to recognize the second vote on suffrage by the Tennessee House and accordingly rescind his proclamation.

The statement issued tonight by the delegation came to Washington to request that the Secretary of State issue a statement showing the truth of the action taken by the lower house of the Tennessee legislature relative to the 19th amendment, because we believed truth always permissible, and because we thought legislatures which were to take action on this matter were entitled to know what Tennessee had done or had failed to do.

FRANCE TO SOON PAY \$250,000,000 DEBT TO THE UNITED STATES

Paris, Sept. 22.—France will pay every dollar of the \$250,000,000 loan due to New York by October 15th, the minister of finance has announced.

SENATE CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE CONVENES TO FINISH ACTIVITY

Washington, Sept. 22.—The senate campaign investigating committee convened today together up loose ends of ascertain if the liquor interests are active in the present campaign.

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HIGH SCHOOL WORK ON AN INCREASE IN MANY TERRITORIES

New Building Have Been Erected at the Rate of One a Day for 28 Years.

FEDERAL STATISTICS SHOW 17,000 SCHOOLS IN ENTIRE COUNTRY

Number of High Schools Graduates Increase Several Thousand in 10 Years

Washington, Sept. 22.—New high schools have been added to the American educational system at the rate of at least one a day during the last 28 years.

Statistics compiled by the Federal Bureau of Education show that there are now more than 17,000 such schools, an increase of 452 per cent over the number in 1890. Attendance figures from 14,000 of the schools give a total of 1,735,619 scholars, indicating in effect that one-tenth of the population is getting high school education, the bureau states.

Only 632 of the schools reporting to the bureau enroll 500 students each and 278 enroll over 1,000, while one-half of half of the 13,951 schools tabulated have an enrollment of between 27 and 100 students. City high schools constitute less than 10 percent of the total. They enroll 52 percent of all students. Almost 83 percent of the high schools are rural with 49 percent of the students.

As 65 percent of the schools offering a four-year course have terms of only 180 days during the year, a longer school term is "unmistakably foreshadowed," according to bureau officials. The schools cost thousands of dollars to erect and to utilize the property for only 180 days a year is "bad judgment," the statement said.

The number of high school graduates has increased from 21,882 in 1890 to (Continued on page eight.)

MUCH INTEREST IN NEXT LEGION HEAD BEING MANIFESTED

Milton Foreman of Illinois Among Those Mentioned as Next Leader.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 22.—Who is to head the American Legion the coming year is receiving attention in anticipation of the second annual convention of the Legion opening in Cleveland September 27th.

Among those mentioned here for the office of commander are Milton J. Foreman, of Illinois, Emmett O'Neill, of Kentucky, Hanford MacNider, of Iowa, and F. W. Galbraith, of Ohio.

Foreman was a colonel and state commander. When he took charge of the Illinois department it was 28th in legion membership. Now it is first. Foreman, who is more than 60 years old, served also in the Spanish-American war.

Kentucky is boosting O'Neill for the leadership because of his activity in legion affairs, especially as an organizer and leader.

MacNider is said to have more decorations than any other American with the exception of General Pershing. Nine of them for valor. He is a bank president in Mason City, Iowa, and vice commander of the Department of Iowa.

CHINESE POISONING CHILDREN TO PREVENT THEM FROM STARVING

Honolulu, Sept. 22.—Tokio advices to Japanese newspapers here say that the Chinese are poisoning their entire families in the Shantung province to avoid slow death by starvation.

ENGLAND EXTENDS ITS DOMINION INTO JORDAN LOCALITY

British Administration Announces Acquisition of Big Part of Territory.

TOWN OF ES SALT IS AMONG MANY PLACES INVOLVED IN CHANGE

Sir Herbert Samuel, British Commissioner, Explains Changes in Districts.

Jerusalem, Sept. 22.—British administration has been extended to a considerable part of trans-Jordan territory, of which Es Salt, a town of about 12,000 inhabitants, situated some 20 miles east of the Dead Sea, is the chief center.

Sir Herbert Samuel, British High Commissioner for Palestine, has just returned from a journey to the new territory, where 600 representative sheikhs and notables received with enthusiasm the High Commissioner's assurance that "Great Britain did not bring their country within the present system of administration of Palestine, but would establish a separate administration that would assist the people to govern themselves."

Sir Herbert motored through Jericho to Allenby bridge on the Jordan where he was met by Majid Pasha, ex-general of the Sherrefan army, and by the son of Sheik Sultan, the most influential chieftain of the territory. The Turkish military road through the Shaikh valley proved almost impassable even for cavalry and being along the the precipices was extremely dangerous at times owing to landslides but the party, headed by 200 Beduin horsemen, reached Es Salt without mishap.

The Arabs extended a cordial welcome to the British High Commissioner, whom they entertained lavishly in oriental style.

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PROHIBITION PLAN OF AMERICA GETS INTENSE INTEREST

Sir Auckland Geddes and Sec. Daniels Speak at International Meeting.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 21.—Prohibition in the United States has attracted the attention of the world, Sir Auckland Geddes, British Ambassador, declared in addressing the opening session today of the Fifteenth International congress against alcoholism. In support of his assertion, Sir Auckland told the congress that detailed reports of its proceedings had been requested by his home government and that the governments of other nations were undertaking studies of the sociological and economic effects of total abstinence.

Practically all of the European nations and a number of the South American republics were represented at the opening session which was held in the Pan-American Building. After greetings had been extended by Assistant Secretary of State Merle Smith and Director General Rowe of the Pan-American Union replies were made by the heads of the various foreign delegations.

Much of the first session was taken up with the welcoming ceremonies. In effecting its organization the congress elected Edwin C. Dinwiddie, former legislative superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of America, chairman to succeed Premier De Geerenbrouck of the Netherlands, who was made president of the international committee of the congress. E. H. Cherrington, of Westerville, Ohio, was chosen secretary of the congress and of the international committee.

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Second Day of Fair Opens Today With Large Attendance

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W. Averill Harriman, the New Yorker who is head of the American Ship and Commerce corporation, which has announced a merger with the Hamburg-American Steamship line recorded as one of the biggest in American shipping industry.

TROPICAL STORMS FROM GULF REGION HITS NEW ORLEANS

Thousands of People Flee from Coastal Planes to Inland Territory.

Mobile, Sept. 22.—The observer here after receiving the morning reports said he believed the tropical hurricane would strike inland west of Mobile. The wind attained forty eight miles an hour in New Orleans during the night and forty here. It took two sudden shifts during the night from its course towards the Texas coast. Considerable damage has been done to plate glass and of railroad property in the New Orleans region.

New Orleans, Sept. 21.—With the wind blowing a steady gale of 25 miles an hour and coming in gusts from 50 to 60 merchants, storekeepers and the people in outlying districts began preparing to meet the hurricane fast approaching from the Gulf.

Plate glass windows throughout the business section were re-enforced and wherever available metal shutters were placed over the windows. In one section a couple of houses were unroofed.

With the rising tide and growing winds residents and pleasure seekers along the shore of Lake Ponchartrain commenced flocking into the city. Driven by the increasing winds the water in Lake Ponchartrain began coming over the sea-wall at West End and Spanish fort. From the Mississippi coast resorts every train returning to the city was crowded with vacationists seeking safety from the approaching storm.

All the hotels of the city are filled to overflowing, and refugees are camping in the postoffice, custom house and other public buildings.

All shipping remained in the river today, following the warnings of the weather bureau. At Port Eades a large fleet is anchored behind the breakwater and jetties waiting for the storm to blow over. Several vessels which cleared Monday did not sail and some of those which did put back. Two large tankers from the North Atlantic en route to Port Arthur also put into Port Eades for shelter.

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HUNDREDS THROUGH MIDWAY AT OPENING OF NOON FEATURES

Races and Free Acts Again Elicit Expressions of Surprise from Visitors.

STREET DANCE TO BE CROWNING FEATURE OF DAY'S EVENTS TONIGHT

Hundreds of Visitors Thronged Midway Last Night Until a Late Hour.

The opening of the second day of the Pitt County Fair brought about additional manifestation of the intense interest centered upon the attraction from other sections of the state as it was estimated at an early hour this afternoon that yesterday's record attendance had been eclipsed by two thousand people, bringing the total in the neighborhood of 10,000. Visitors arriving at an early hour this morning and when the fair really got under full swing shortly after the noon hour the grounds were thronged completely, the crowd being augmented from time to time by the arrival of car loads of people from other territories. Attractions today will consist of horse racing, the usual free attraction in front of the grand stand, concluding tonight with a street dance to be staged in front of the Evans street school. The dance will be conducted probably upon the most extensive scale of any ever before conducted in this city, and being of an informal nature, it is expected hundreds of couples will participate. The 128 Infantry band will furnish music for the occasion.

The opening of the county fair was conducted under the most auspicious circumstances yesterday, being featured by an attendance that without a doubt surpassed the opening day of any other attraction of its kind in this state. The formal ceremonies attending the opening were of an inspiring and impressive nature, and marked an eventful epoch in the annals of the county. It is estimated that around eight thousand people filed through the gates during the afternoon and they were not disappointed in the slightest for with many free acts hourly creating additional wonderment among the thousands in attendance the time slipped away hurriedly, with the very best order being maintained throughout the day.

Attractions of all kinds were of the highest order, while exhibits were far superior to what would be expected of any fair in its opening year. The cultural and home products donated probably to a greater extent than any single feature, while the floral hall had upon display many features which proved of direct interest and inspiration to hundreds of housewives thronging the commodious exhibition building during the afternoon. Midway attractions were to furnish amusements of a pleasing character. The free acts and general nature of shows presented by the Krause aggregation on midway were of a unusually clean and appealing kind, and did their part in making the opening of the fair probably the most auspicious in the state.

The crowning feature of the day were the trapeze performances staged direct in front of the large grandstand by the Roy C. Smith Company and the final daring aeroplane flight by the Liberty Flyers at the closing of afternoon.

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ANNUAL CONGRESS AGAINST ALCOHOL MEETS TOMORROW

Alcohol as Affecting Health
Will be Theme of Opening Session.

Washington, Sept. 21.—The fifteenth International Congress Against Alcoholism will open here tomorrow for a six day session with delegates from most parts of the world present. Originally, the congress was to have assembled in 1915, but having been postponed years by years because of the war its present meeting will be the first since that at Milan, Italy, in 1913.

Speakers from 15 foreign countries are on the program. Those from the United States will include William J. Bryan, Attorney-General Palmer and Secretary Daniels, who will discuss phases of national prohibition. In addition to the speeches, the congress will stage a pageant illustrating the anti-liquor movement in this country. An exhibit also will be held of materials and methods used in the world campaign against liquor, and of the development in the manufacture and sale of soft drinks.

A number of national and international organizations and societies will hold meetings and conferences during the congress but at hours supplementing its regular session. These societies include the World League Against Alcoholism, the World Prohibition Federation, the International Order of Good Templars, the Women's Christian Temperance Union, the Catholic Total Abstinence Union, the Antisaloon League of America, the Scientific Temperance Federation, the Priests' Total Abstinence League, the Inter-Collegiate Prohibition Association, the National Temperance Council, the National Legislative Conference and others.

Alcohol as affecting health will be the theme at the opening session. Dr. Eugene L. Fisk, medical director of the Life Extension Institute, New York City, is to discuss the relation of alcohol to modern health ideals and Dr. Charles B. Stockard of Cornell University is to recount the latest scientific investigation in this country of the action of alcohol on the brain, the nervous system and on heredity.

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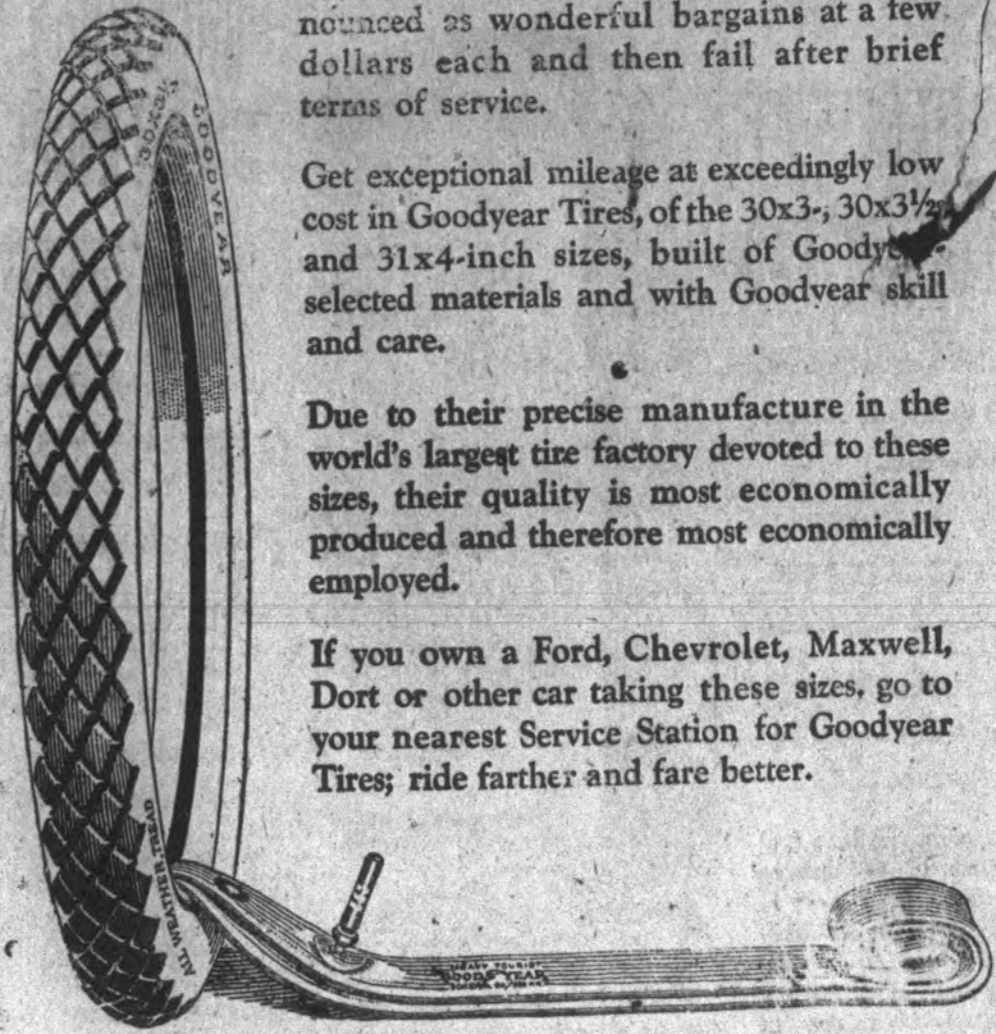
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Surplus	50,000.00
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CHESTNUT BARK DISEASE.

The invasion of North Carolina by the chestnut bark disease is a very serious thing for this State. Chestnut is an important timber tree, amounting to more than one-quarter of the total stand in all the mountain counties, which includes perhaps one-sixth of the State's area. In 1913, when a thorough study of the chestnut situation was made, it was estimated that there was a stand in these counties of about 3,370,000,000 board feet, and at the low prices then obtaining the annual cut of chestnut brought in something like \$1,250,000. Undoubtedly it is bringing in double that amount at the present time.

The chestnut bark disease, for which the U. S. Department of Agriculture, co-operating with the State Geological and Economic Survey, has been on the lookout for several years, has recently been located in seven of our north-western counties, Stokes, Surry, Yadkin, Wilkes, Ashe, Watauga and Avery. It is undoubtedly present also in Alleghany. So far as anyone knows, there is no remedy for this disease, the only measures suggested being possible ways of postponing the fatal termination of the scourge.

It is probable, however, that the disease will spread somewhat slowly, so that no great difference may be noticed in the general appearance of the forest for some years. It is possible that there will be no great loss of merchantable timber because chestnut trees, after they have died, often remain standing for fifteen or twenty years, the tannic acid in the wood preserving it from decay. This characteristic will enable owners to market the timber so gradually that there will be no flooding of the market and no consequent fall in prices.

It is the future forests of western North Carolina which will suffer the most. Chestnut is one of our most valuable trees. It comprises an average of more than one-fourth of the stand in the twenty-six chestnut counties. It reproduces readily, both from seeds and sprouts; it grows rapidly; becomes available for various uses, such as ties, poles, pulpwood and tanning extract when small; and for this last purpose no available substitute is known. Many of our largest wood-using industries plants are absolutely dependent for their existence on a supply of chestnut, and when that is exhausted they will have to go out of business.

While facing the situation thoughtfully we must not forget that there is probably enough chestnut already grown to supply our present demand for the next twenty to twenty-five years. With the judicious use of this old timber and the elimination of forest fires, which would, of course, destroy the dead timber even more rapidly than the live, we can gradually adapt ourselves to the new conditions without any radical change in demand or supply.

BETTER LATE THAN NEVER.

No merchant thinks of selling his goods, except when his own interests appear to justify it, unless he can make a profit. If a customer comes along and offers cost or less, the goods go back on the shelf.

The farmer has the same right. If the market does not pay a fair profit for the cotton and the seed, he holds both until the market is more liberally disposed. The farmer is a merchant as well as a producer. In years gone by he has felt that he had to take his chances and put his cotton on the market when ready. Now he is thinking

more about the merchant-side of his calling and is realizing that he has the same right to hold his merchandise that the man behind the counter has.

The difficulty has been in holding it. That is being worked out now by the warehouse plan under which money can be borrowed on cotton. Yesterday was Cotton Day in the entire cotton growing section of the State and the South. The warehouse movement obtained a degree of interest that it ought to have had in North Carolina as soon as the General Assembly passed the warehouse act early in 1919. But following the passage of that act cotton began to rise slowly in value and all during the fall of 1919 and spring of 1920 stood at a price that allowed the farmer a profit. The farmer saw no need of a warehouse when his cotton could be hurried to market and disposed of. No provision was made except in one or two fore-handed counties like Sampson and Johnston for the inevitable rainy day.

But the rainy day is here and now we are all trying to come in out of the wet. Well, adversity has its uses. It teaches lessons that prosperity will never teach. We are going to get the warehouses after all. And better late than never.—News and Observer.

IN THE MIRE.

Senator Harding is getting himself deeper and deeper into the mire from which he will certainly have to extricate himself when Mr. Root returns to this country. In insisting that the covenant of the league is in conflict with the Constitution of the United States he is himself in conflict with the opinion of so great an authority as Mr. Taft, not to speak of the conflict with mere common sense. Of course no agreement made by the President by and with the advice and consent of the Senate could suffice to override the Constitution, even if it sought to do so, equally of course, there is no attempt in the covenant to override the Constitution. But when Senator Harding decries the league covenant, he runs squarely against Mr. Taft again, who has said:

Mr. Harding says he has no expectation of finding it necessary or desirable to negotiate a separate treaty with Germany. Then he must look to the treaty of Versailles for those rights and privileges, and he can only secure them by becoming a party to it.

When Mr. Harding made the assertion credited to him by Mr. Taft he ignored his former firm assertion that he would sign any resolution declaring peace that a Republican congress might present to him. But Mr. Harding apparently follows the theory that that consistency is the hobgoblin of little minds; consistency never worries him.

When Mr. Root comes home, however, the Republican candidate will have a coldly logical and consistent mind to deal with inside his own party. And as has been pointed out in these columns and confirmed by news dispatches, Mr. Root is proceeding on the definite assumption that the United States will join the League of Nations. It is further reported that Mr. Root is hurrying home to set Mr. Harding straight on the league issue.

That will not be much of a job. Mr. Harding, though an excellent gentleman, is very apparently not a man of strong convictions. Indeed, he has made it plain that if he is elected President he will be amenable to guidance; he is going to have "government neut by party." When he and Mr. Root meet, there will be hardly a clash; there will be a few keen thrusts by Mr. Root and a collapse by Mr. Harding.—Ledger-Dispatch.

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Ayden, N. C., Sept. 20, 1920.

Mr. Editor:

Please permit me a colored man, who lives in the city of Ayden, to say a few words in your valuable paper about a good and great white citizen of this city, one whom we regard as being a broad hearted non-prejudiced white man, especially towards our race; and did show his interest in us, by giving to all of us under his employ on his farm—a dinner a few weeks ago. Consisting of about one hundred pounds of barbecue, cake, lemonade and cigars, of the finest kind, and we were told to eat our fill. When dinner was announced, Mr. J. R. Turnage the donor—had the elder men get in one place on the left, and the older ladies on the right, he then gave us, one of the nicest heart talks, telling us how to live, in order to become citizens, to respect the God of heaven and to live morally obliging, honest and pure. Do unto all men as we would have them do unto us after which all who ate, gave a nice talk in appreciation for the kindness he had extended to them, the many years they had been with him. Mr. Turnage then called the little boys up, and gave them an advice, as little boys, that they cannot forget, it made tears come into our eyes to think a white man, had such loving care for our young ones. Having eaten all we could, we then had enough fragments, to take home with us. I never have witnessed such a grand time, in this Southland,

words fall me, but gives me a stronger love for this Southland. As I heard our worthy leader, Dr. Skinner say in June, We have no greater friends than the Southern white folks, and if we but find our place and keep it. The good white men will protect us at all times.

A colored friend,

JOHN MAYO,
Ayden, N. C.

ENGINE OF 73 A. C. L. LEAVES

TRACK NEAR CROSSING

The engine of No. 73, A. C. L. south-bound from Weldon, as it neared the crossing at the Imperial Tobacco Factory left the track and went into the embankment. Fortunately the cars remained on the track and no one was injured.

NEW FILLING STATION.

Something new for Greenville in this paper today will be found in an advertisement of the Auto Filling Station which has just opened its doors to the public and is one of the most complete and up to date stations in the state and Greenville should feel proud of it for it is really one of the best to be found anywhere.

This place is known as the Auto Filling Station and will be conducted by Mr. P. O. Forbes and Mr. Roy Hearne, whom are well known to the auto owners of Greenville and vicinity. This place is located just back of the Home Telephone Co's. building and has two drive ways one from Washington street and other from Dickinson avenue. We call it the latest and most up to date service station in the state. Here's hoping this firm the best of success.

FOR SALE—PEARS. \$2
PER BUSHEL. L. C.
ARTHUR.

21-1f

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of Wyatt L. Brown, deceased, late of Pitt county, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned within twelve months from this date or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This September 7th, 1920.

WHIT L. BROWN,

Administrator.

WANTS

LOST—BETWEEN SIMPSON & Greenville a tent, attached to tent, a gas can. Please return to Reflector office and receive reward. 20-3f

FOR SALE—COTTON GIN, ENGINE, press and fixtures at a bargain. Apply to R. R. Cotton, Bruce, N. C. 20-2wks

LOST—ON EVANS STREET, A blue silk dress, wrapped in white paper. Finder return to Reflector office. 21-2t

LOST—BETWEEN WHITE'S THEATRE and post office Tuesday night one circle pin set with sapphires and pearls. Finder will please return it to Reflector office and receive reward. 22-3t

NOTICE.

North Carolina, Pitt County,

In the Superior Court.

Ben Hill, Plaintiff,

vs.

Annis Hill, Defendant.

The defendant above named will take an action entitled as above as been commenced against her in the superior Court of Pitt County, N. C., or the purpose of obtaining an absolute divorce.

and the defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear before the clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt county, N. C., within twenty days from the 13th day of October, 1920 and answer the complaint which will be filed in the office of said clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt county within the time prescribed by law, or plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

J. F. HARRINGTON,

Clerk Superior Court, Pitt County.
This Sept. 13th, 1920. 11-tawkwks

YOUNG'S

Values Extraordinary For Fair Week

Evening Dresses specially priced
values to \$90.00, 49.95

Tricotine Dresses all wool
14.95 and up.

Beautiful showing of pretty children
Dresses age 2-6-7-14 gingham
rep poplins middy twill etc.

60c value children hose
45c

Boy's special school pants 1.69 and
1.98. Others 2.95 and up.

\$25.00 all wool jersey dresses
14.95

YOUNG'S

317 Evans St. Greenville, N. C.

They All Say JOHNSTON & FOXHALL

Sell It A Little Higher Every Day.
Try us with your next load and we will show you

WAREHOUSES

NUMBER 1

Thursday, September 23, 2nd sale.
Friday, September 24, 1st sale
Monday, September 27, 3rd sale.

NUMBER 2

Thursday, September 23, 1st sale
Friday, September 24, 3rd sale.
Monday, September 27, 2nd sale.

The Correct Length of A Man's Sack Coat This Fall

can best be described as being half way between his wrist and his fist—when the arms are draped naturally by his side.

If you'll stand up and put on one of your wife's bracelets we'll show you just exactly where the coat leaves off and the pants begin.

Kuppenheimer designers have proportioned the skirt of the Fall coats so that every man who tries one on looks as if he were wearing HIS OWN suit—and that's something that our friends of from 5 foot 5 to 5 foot 9 will be glad to hear—

No matter what height you are—we can dress you in the height of fashion. Kuppenheimer Fall Suits. Come in and let us show you.



SOCIAL - PERSONAL

THISTLEDOWN.

This might have been a place for sleep, But, as from that small hollow there Hosts of bright thistledown begin Their dazzling journey through the air, An idle man can only stare.

They grip their withered edge of stalk In great excitement for the wind; They hold a breathless final talk, And when their filmy cables part, One almost hears a little cry.

Some cling together while they wait And droop and gaze and hesitate, But others leap along the sky, Or circle round and calmly choose, The gust they know they ought to use.

While some in loving pairs will glide, Or watch the others as they pass, Or rest on flowers in the grass, Or circle through the shining day, Like charming butterflies at play.

Some catch themselves to every mound And lingeringly and slowly move As if they knew the precious ground Were opening for their fertile love; They almost try to dig, they need So much to plant their thistle-seed.

—Harold Monro in London Spectator.

Dr. Charles Adams, platform manager of the Radcliffe Chautauqua, was among the visitors in Greenville yesterday.

Mr. Allen Cannon, of Ayden, was in Greenville several hours Tuesday.

Mr. Lloyd Tingle, of Ayden, attended the opening of the Pitt county fair here yesterday.

Mrs. M. A. Whichard and grandson, Willis, of Whichard, are visiting relatives here.

Mr. Garland Brown left this morning for New Orleans where he is taking a medical course in Tulane University.

Mr. W. E. Burke, of Petersburg, a representative of the Atlantic Coast Realty Company is a business visitor to our city today.

THOMAS MEIGHAN IN SCREEN VERSION OF "CIVILIAN CLOTHES"

Star Has Role of Captain Who Turns Butler to Re-win His Snobbish Wife.

Thomas Meighan's first Paramount starring vehicle in "Civilian Clothes," produced by Hugh Ford from Thompson Buchanan's popular stage play of the same name. The picture will be shown at White's Theatre Thursday night.

The story concerns an overseas captain who marries a pretty American society girl in France. She is attracted to him chiefly because he is so handsome in his uniform. Later, after she returns to America, comes news of his death. She has renewed her acquaint-

ance with another admirer when her husband, very much alive, comes to her home. Disappointed at his unromantic appearance in civilian clothes, which show atrocious taste in their cut and color, she snubs him. The gallant ex-captain thereupon secures a job as butler in his wife's household with the avowed purpose of teaching her a lesson in democracy. The results are amusing in the extreme, and, of course, the story ends happily.

Mr. Meighan's supporting company includes Martha Mansfield, the beautiful heroine of "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," and other screen notables.

Misses Edith Lee and Lallah Brown left this morning for Lynchburg, Va., where they will resume their studies at R. M. W. C.

WHITE'S THEATRE

Thursday Matinee and Night

Thomas Meighan in
"CIVILIAN CLOTHES"

The story of a girl who married a captain's uniform, then had to live with a suit of cheap "civis."

But he was her husband, married in France—and fighting Sam McGinnis made her fit to be called his wife in America. Matinee 3:45. Admission 10 & 25c. Madaline Traverse in

TONIGHT

WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Madaline Traverse in
"THE HELL SHIP"

Report of the Condition of THE GREENVILLE BANKING AND TRUST CO.

at Greenville
in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, September, 8th, 1920.

Resources.	
Loans and discounts	\$1,722,212.52
Demand loans	28,817.97
Overdrafts	14,380.23
United States bonds and Liberty bonds	349,550.00
North Carolina State bonds	4,000.00
All other stocks, bonds and mortgages	9,130.00
Banking houses, furniture and fixtures	\$37,200.00
\$9303.44	46,503.49
Cash in vault and net amounts due from banks, bankers and trust companies	301,928.57
Cash items held over 24 hours	1,984.60
Checks for clearing	28,811.85
War Stamps	1,040.58
Total	\$2,508,660.11

Liabilities.	
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	40,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	30,027.15
Notes and bills rediscounted	140,609.93
Bills payable	820,000.00
Deposits subject to check	620,761.29
Bond Deposit account	347,000.00
Time certificates of deposit	331,823.52
Cashier's checks outstanding	5,008.40
Certified checks	1,027.75
Due to State Banks, bankers and Trust Co.	72,252.37
Total	\$2,508,660.11

State of North Carolina—County of Pitt, Sept. 20, 1920.

I, T. J. Moore, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

T. J. MOORE, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
N. Q. WARREN,
J. L. STARKEY,
A. M. MOSELEY,

Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20th day of September, 1920.

ANDREW J. MOORE,
Notary Public.
My commission expires March 31st, 1921.

18 Years
With
"Old Reliable"

The Mutual Life Insurance Co.

Sales still light. Prices improving daily. Orange color with body showing up strong. Common tobacco still low. Bring us your next load we will get you the "High Dollar".

Wed. 1st sale
Friday 3rd
2nd Monday
1st Tuesday

CENTRE BRICK WAREHOUSE

BRINKLEY AND

SPAIN, Proprietors.

WELCOME FAIR VISITORS!

Pay the Reflector a visit
while in the city, you will
be given a hearty welcome

*Let us have your Subscription
now*

Visit Reflector Office While Attending the Fair



Welcome Here!!

Pay us a visit while attending the Fair. We have the newest in styles and materials now on display in ready to wear—Shoes and Furnishings for the whole family.

C. T. Munford

"THE SAME FOR LESS."
404 EVANS STREET

PLUMBING AND HEATING
GENERAL REPAIR WORK PROMPTLY DONE.
L. G. CONGLETON
417 Cotanch Street.
Phone 550.

Bad Colds
Can be "nipped in the bud" if you will, right at the start, use

RAMON'S LIVER PILLS

FOUND at LAST!
SELF-ADJUSTING
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BRASSIERES

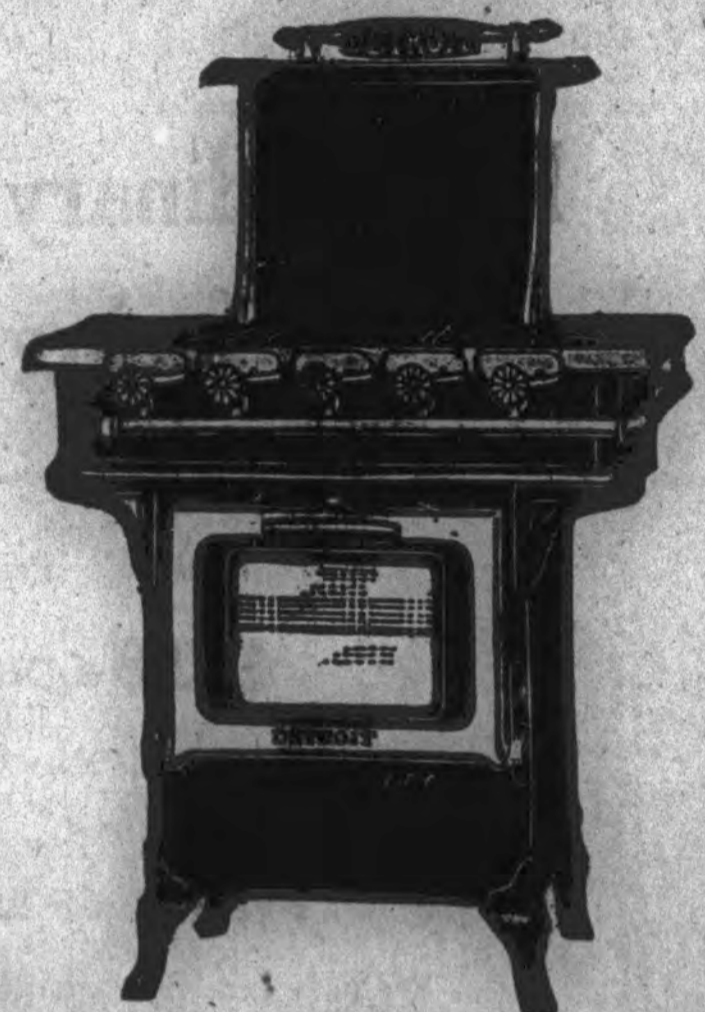
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THEY FIT AS YOU FASTEN PERFECTLY AND WITHOUT ALTERATION

ASK YOUR DEALER FOR THEM

If your dealer doesn't carry them, send money and we'll mail you one for trial. Postage prepaid. No return charge. 100% satisfaction.

Red Star Stove Detroit Vapor Oil Stove



Now on display at our booth at the Pitt County Fair. See this wonderful stove, it saves time, trouble and is cheaper.

Quinn Miller Co.

SELL YOUR TOBACCO WITH

FORBES & MORTON

Pays Others—It Will Pay You—Up to Saturday, September 18th. Forbes & Morton had sold one fourth of the tobacco sold on the Greenville market. This fact speaks for itself.

We Are Getting The Price

Come to see us with your next load and you will go home with a good sale.
Thursday 3rd sale, Friday 2nd sale, Monday 1st sale.

ASK THE MAN WHO SELLS WITH US

SELL WITH

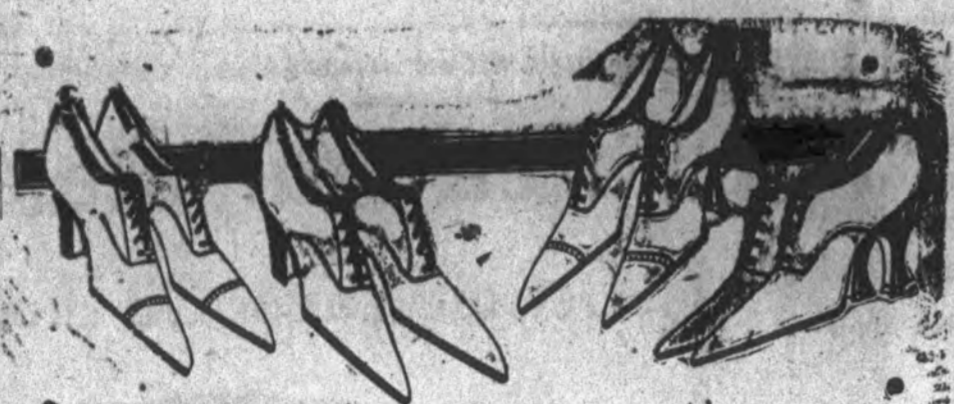
Smith & Sugg at the Star

SALES SCHEDULE

Thursday, September 23rd	3rd sale
Friday, September 24th	2nd sale
Monday, September 27th	1st sale
Tuesday, September 28th	3rd sale
Wednesday, September 29	2nd sale

OUR SALE TODAY WAS VERY SATISFACTORY AND HIGHLY PRAISED BY THOSE SELLING WITH US. A NUMBER OF VISITORS EACH DAY ON OUR SALE SAY THAT WE ARE HIGHER THAN ANYTHING THEY HAVE SEEN.

You will make money by selling with us, Marketing Your Tobacco Slowly



Extraordinary Shoe Offering

ALL PUMPS and OXFORDS

Especially Priced at

\$2.98 a pair

While they last

Formerly priced from \$7.50 to \$12.00

EVERY PAIR BRAND NEW

We have put this ridiculously low price on them in order to move 'em QUICK to make room for our big Fall stock, which are arriving daily.

Gather in savings here, folks. This is an opportunity. Come early while assortment of sizes are complete.

Willard-Smith Co.

"Greenville's Biggest & Best Store."

HUNDREDS THROG MIDWAY AT OPENING OF NOON FEATURES

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noon's activities. The airmen drew expressions of wonderment in a daring stunt one thousand feet in the air, when walking out upon the wings of the machine, waving at the crowds below who watched successive intrepid features breathlessly.

Hundreds of people were also attracted to the fair grounds last night by the splendid performances of the Krause Greater Shows, and while of course there were not quite so many entertaining features in evidence as during the day, nevertheless, the evening passed away pleasantly, featured by unusually good order considering the large crowd, and general good spirit on the part of all. The night performances consisted solely of midway attractions, in which the carnival bands and other sources of music played a principal part, keeping interest at proper height and the spirit of the fair in ascendancy during the entire evening.

The entire grounds were brilliantly lighted and presented quite an attractive appearance, in fact, the many pleasing features of midway were heightened considerably by the spirit of gaiety, brilliantly illuminated grounds, adequate music and the surging crowd in which people from many sections of the country participated. The afternoon and night, too, probably marked one of the most auspicious openings which promoters of any attraction of the kind could possibly desire. The fair was a distinct success in its very first day, and this fact alone predicts unusual success for the first Greenville fair in eight years, but which, even in its infancy, may be classed with the largest and most elaborately conducted spectacles produced in this section of the state.

HIGH SCHOOL WORK ON AN INCREASE IN MANY TERRITORIES

(Continued from page one.)
224,367 in 1918. Considering the increase in population during this period, it is found that American youths are becoming over six times as well educated as they were.

The state of Texas leads in percentage of high school graduates who continue their studies in preparatory school or college. North Carolina and Kentucky are second and third respectively.

The average high school principal, the statistics show, receives \$1,272 a year, or about \$100 a month for the entire year. Principals of the district

of Columbia, California, Arizona, Massachusetts and New York receive the highest salaries in the order named, while Nebraska pays the lowest average salary.

In 1918 there were \$1,034 high school teachers, as compared with 9,120 in 1890. Since 1902 there has been a steady increase of women entering the profession and today only 34 percent of all high school teachers are men.

The largest high school in the United States is the Polytechnic Evening High School, Los Angeles, Calif., with an enrollment of 8,440.

ENGLAND EXTENDS ITS DOMINION INTO JORDAN LOCALITY

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In an address, Sir Herbert explained to the chiefs that since the French had fully established their influence in Damascus, it would be necessary to separate the Arab's district from the Damascus administration. Great Britain, he said, would help them to organize defense against attack from outside. Sir Herbert developed a program of road improvement, the building of schools and the provision of medical aid.

There would be, he promised, complete freedom of trade with Palestine, and the people across the Jordan would be supplied with petroleum, rice, sugar and other commodities on the same footing as the peoples of Palestine. Moreover, facilities would be given them for the marketing of the produce they might wish to sell. A bank would be established to assist commerce, and postal communications would be opened.

FIFTEEN HUNDRED NEW CASES OF CHOLERA IN KOREA ARE REPORTED

Tokio, Sept. 22. — Fifteen hundred new cases of cholera have been discovered in Korea, making twenty thousand cases and nine thousand deaths.

MAYOR MAC SWEENEY SUFFERS DECIDELY SERIOUS SETBACK

London, Sept. 22.—MacSweeney has suffered a setback, according to the Irish self-determining league. No reference was made to the prisoner either accepting or refusing nourishment.

ENTRANCE TO BOSTON CITY HALL GUARDED BY TROOPERS TODAY

Boston, Sept. 22.—The entrance to the city hall was guarded today after receipt of the second threatening communication by Mayor Peters.



Ladies Walking Shoes in Black and Brown Kid and Brown Calf \$12.50 values at \$8.95.

Stephenson Shoe Co

W. E. WEBB, Mgr.

SALE OF TOWN LOTS.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Edgecombe county, in an action entitled O. A. Thorne et als, vs. Bettie Phillips et als. I will on Saturday, September 18th, 1920, at 12 M. in front of the Post Office in Fountain, N. C. sell at public auction for cash, the following described realty, to-wit:

Situate in Fountain, N. C., and being Lots 7 and 8 in Block A. on map of property formerly belonging to H. W. Webb recorded in Book of Maps 1, Page 4, Pitt county registry, to which reference is hereby made.

This August 20th, 1920.

W. O. HOWARD,

Gentry & Gorman

SALES finished before dinner Tuesday. Our sales of 64084 pounds was the largest sale in town, as usual. Prices showed stronger than they have been on all grades. There is a much better feeling in the tobacco situation and we feel confident that prices will continue to advance on all desirable grades, provided judgment is used in selling and this means that the crop be spread out in selling, and not dumped on the market by Xmas as it has in the past several years.

Gorman's sold up to last Friday night a third more than any house in Greenville and this in the face of our having only one first sale the first two weeks. We are adding new customers daily and others who have sold their first load at some other house are now coming, they say, back home to stay.

THE LEADERS OF GREENVILLE

Name	Pounds	Price	Amount	Average
B. Harris	748—55, 49, 46, 40, 40, 30, 28, 18, 17, 7 1-4		\$36.09	
Tell & Harris	518—55, 48, 46, 32, 18		\$37.76	
G. H. Crawford	746—49, 36, 34, 20, 104		\$35.13	
J. B. Smithwick	400—60, 55, 49, 45, 41, 23		\$45.15	
H. & Willoughby	1046—56, 45, 24, 19 1-2, 14 1-4		\$36.73	
Moore & House	334—48, 24, 15		\$35.38	
McCray & House	684—48, 33, 22 1-2		\$37.20	

GENTRY PULLS AND GORMAN PUSHES— THE STEAM PLANT DOES THE REST