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## Kershaw County Fair Commences Next Week

The various committees in charge of the County Fair are working very hard for the most successful Fair ever held in this County. It should rank high among any of the County Fairs of our State.

To review the program, which is being perfected to a point where everything will run without the slightest hitch shows that there will be no dull moments for the week.

The first big day is Wednesday. The big barbecue which is sponsored by the Merchants and Manufacturers of Camden will attract 5,000 of their County friends. John Wilson will have charge of the barbecue and he will be assisted by a large corps of able workers. Expert cooks will prepare the feast.

During the afternoon there will be some exciting free acts on the midway. The programme on that day will be largely for the benefit of children, with many trained dogs doing various tricks. These dogs were formerly used in star acts of the famous Hagenbeck-Wallace circus, and this part of the program will go on at 4 P. M.

At first dark will be the most elaborate display of fireworks ever seen in Camden. Part of the fair grounds has been set aside for this display and it will be witnessed by thousands from all parts of the County and nearby towns. Samuel Russell is Chairman of the fireworks display and he has selected a most varied programme which is printed in another part of our paper.

Not to be outdone with the Wednesday programme, the committee in charge of Thursday Agricultural Day are going to try to have their day the big one of the Fair. All candidates for Governor have accepted an invitation to speak at the athletic field and a stand will be erected for them. As some hot issues will be in the coming campaign, a large crowd will be on hand to hear the candidates.

At 3 P. M. will be the dog show. Samuel Russell, one of Camden's most patriotic citizens will have charge of the show. Mr. Russell is very experienced with dog and horse shows and he has assured us that this one will be well worth attending. The show is not a local one but is open to the world. A number of dogs from neighboring towns are expected to be on exhibition.

At 4 P. M. the horse and mule races take place. The rule races should afford a lot of fun.

At 8 P. M. The Fiddlers Convention will take place. This feature is in charge of Dr. W. R. Clyburn. It will be held in the Merchants and Manufacturers building.

There will be free acts both during the day and night on the midway.

The Committee in charge of School Day are also trying to make their day even better than the two preceding days, and Mrs. Watts, County Supt. of Education, General Chairman and her assistants are planning big things.

A mammoth parade will take place at 11 A. M. and all school children of the County will be in the line of march. Attractive floats will be in the parade also, and there will be brass bands to march by. The feature float of the parade will be the "floating fountain" which will be entered by the merchants and manufacturers of Camden. This fountain will feature the NRA new deal, and will be a big attraction of the parade.

A football game between Camden and Brookland-Cayce will take place at 3:30 P. M., and of course will be attended by an enormous crowd. Special free acts will take place at one P. M. and also at night. The school children will march direct to the athletics field for a special programme after reaching the grounds.

On Saturday will be the Negro Day of Fair Week and the negroes of the County are planning a big time. The negro school children will parade through the streets. A colored football game will take place at 2 P. M. between Camden and Chester. Free acts will take place twice daily.

Season tickets are on sale at all merchants. The tickets which have a value of \$1.20 will be sold for 50c each, and every citizen of the County is expected to buy one. They will

## CLUB MARKET REORGANIZED

At the business meeting last Saturday morning the Club Market was reorganized, and the following officers were elected: President, Miss Annie Keels; Vice-President, Mrs. E. B. Lorick; Secretary, Mrs. Mattie R. West. The executive committee members are Mrs. A. L. McLeod, Mrs. J. H. Haston, and Mrs. J. R. Raley. The report showed that the past year had been a most successful one. \$1,496.19 worth of products had been sold in the market by the members. This does not include general sales. Eight new producers have joined the market association this year, making a total of 25 members representing fifteen different communities.

The club market provides a place where the farmer can display his surplus garden, orchard, poultry products, etc., and the people of Camden can come for fresh, quality products. It is not an organization for a select few. Any member of a white farm family may become a member of the Club Market by agreeing to abide by the rules of the association and the rules are made by the members themselves.

Miss Craig, the Home Agent, wishes to thank both the members of the market and the people of Camden for their splendid cooperation in making the market such a success.

## TAXPAYERS ASK FOR INFORMATION

As a tax payer I would like to ask the Administrator of this RFC or Relief Council of Kershaw County to please publish for our information a list of the employees and salary paid each and expenses of cars, etc. for this work, and names of parties who own the cars and trucks being used. L. P. THOMPSON, Liberty Hill, S. C.

Liberty Hill, Oct. 4. Editor Messenger.—There have been rumors, criticism and no doubt a lot of misunderstanding about the RFC organization in Kershaw county and I have been requested to ask through your columns—by your kindness—that the head officials of the organization give the people through the press—a statement of the overhead expense—a list of officers and employers with their salaries paid. I hope this request will be complied with as rumor says—and some think the officers are drawing very attractive salaries—from a fund that was intended to relieve distress and not to promote extravagance. Thank you for space. I am yours G. R. Clements.

## METHODIST CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday School will convene at 10:00 A. M. We invite our men to the Men's Bible Class which meets in the S. S. auditorium, and all the young people to the Willing Workers Class which meets in the Parsonage Hall, taught by Mr. Green. The school will assemble at 10:50 in the church auditorium for closing exercises, and chalk talk by the pastor. Preaching at 11:15. Theme: "Preparedness."

No service at night, and no prayer-meeting during the special revival services at the Baptist Church. We trust our people will avail themselves of these services.

C. P. WIMBERLY, Pastor.

also be on sale at the Fair grounds on Monday and Tuesday afternoons between the hours of four and nine P. M.

Bunts Carnival shows will be in the fair grounds all week. A large tent sixty feet by one hundred and twenty feet will be erected to house the exhibits of the merchants and manufacturers.

T. V. Walsh is general chairman. John T. Mackey is Chairman of Merchants & Manufacturers day; Henry D. Green will be Chairman on Agricultural day; and Mrs. Watts, Chairman of School Day. A. E. Miller is Chairman of Grounds and concessions.

## Camden Plays Chester Here Friday

Two strong football teams will open the season locally on the Zemp field Friday of this week at 8:30 P. M. Chester furnishes the opposition again with what apparently is an even stronger team than they had last year. Their game Friday with Newberry resulted in a score of 33 to 0 in favor of Chester. Since last year Chester has been placed in Class A football along with Columbia, Charleston, Greenville and others because of the larger number of students enrolled. Though the two teams have no chance to battle it out for B Class honors this year the rivalry is always keen.

The Camden Team played its first game of the season with the Bantams of Charleston on Saturday and though outweighed fifteen or twenty pounds to the man fought the heavy boys to a standstill. It seemed for a time that Camden would win as the first half ended 7 to 6 in her favor. Every man who entered the game showed the old Camden spirit of fight to the last ditch. To those who saw the game the material showed up surprisingly well. With the return of several regulars who were out Saturday on account of injuries Camden is expected to show the strength of other years.

Those football fans who love to see real honest to goodness hair raising thrilling football should see Chester and Camden in action Friday afternoon.

## MRS. H. V. FILLINGIM PASSES AWAY

Early Saturday morning Mrs. H. V. Fillingim passed away after a brief illness.

Mrs. Fillingim has lived the greater portion of her life in Macon County and has many friends throughout this section of the county who are sincerely grieved by her death.

She had many close friends made in Tuskegee where she received her education at the Alabama Conference Church. She did a useful work through her connection with the Missionary Society. She was a member of the U. D. C. and took an active part in this organization.

A good wife, mother, neighbor, friend there are many who mourn her passing.

The funeral services were conducted Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the residence by Dr. H. C. Threadgill, pastor of the Methodist church.

Surviving are her husband, five sons, Henry and Leon Fillingim, Tuskegee; Van Earl Fillingim, Macon, Georgia; Dana Fillingim, San Antonio, Texas; Roscoe Fillingim, Atlanta, Georgia; three brothers, Hicks Fort, Columbus, Georgia; Eugene Fort, Fort Davis, Ala.; Bruce Fort, Tallahassee, Florida, one sister, Mrs. Frank Howard, Freedom, N. Y.

Interment was made in Tuskegee cemetery.—Tuskegee (Alabama) News.

Mrs. Fillingim will be remembered by many here in Camden as Miss Terah Fort who as a young lady spent quite a long time in Camden with her sister, Mrs. Beulah McDowell, first wife of Mr. Robert A. McDowell.

## WHY I GO TO CHURCH

This will be the subject of the address given by Dr. Wimberly at the Men's Bible Class next Sunday morning. This is one of a series which he is now giving. The men greatly enjoyed his address last Sunday morning—"Why I Stand By The Church." The next subject will be: "What is Wrong With The Church?" We want all our men to be at these addresses. JACK MOORE, Secretary.

## PENNY CARNIVAL ON SATURDAY NIGHT, OCTOBER 7TH

If you want to enjoy life, come to the Penny Carnival at the Mt. Pisgah high school building on Saturday night, October 7th.

The main attractions are as follows: ten first class side shows, musical numbers, stunts, cake walks, auctions and plenty of real fun. We will meet you at the Carnival.

## 4-H Club To Have Leader Training Meet

The first local leader training meeting for 4-H clubs for girls is to be held next Saturday afternoon, October 7, at 2:30 o'clock. This meeting will be held in the Court House in the office of the Home Demonstration agent, Mrs. Harriet F. Johnson, State girl's club leader from Winthrop College, will be in charge of the meeting.

4-H clubs are organized in rural communities and the members range in age from 10 to 18 years. Each club member carries on a project under the direction of the extension agent and a volunteer local leader. The project is a demonstration of how to do some piece of work in the farm home such as canning fruits and vegetables, making clothing, preparing food or raising poultry.

Mrs. Harriet F. Johnson will come into the County once every three months and conduct training meetings for the leaders. These leaders have been selected because of their interest in extension work, their willingness to give time to it, their personal qualities of leadership and good standing in the Community.

Miss Craig, the Home Demonstration agent, urges all the leaders to attend this first local leader training meeting next Saturday afternoon.

## MRS. K. G. WHISTLER DIED SUNDAY

Mrs. Charlotte Brown Whistler died at her home near here at an early hour Sunday morning. Mrs. Whistler was born in Minneapolis, Minn. in 1860. She came here about 35 years ago and was instrumental in making Camden a tourist center. She first owned and operated the large Major Canteen home on Camden Heights which was later sold to the late T. Edmund Krumbholz, who remodeled the house and changed it into the Kirkwood Hotel, visited by thousands in recent years as winter guests of Camden.

Of late years she had resided at her home, Paint Hill, and had been in declining health. She is survived by her husband, K. G. Whistler and one brother, Clem C. Brown and another brother residing in California.

The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock and burial was in the Quaker cemetery.

## LAD DIES AS RESULT OF INJURIES

Coleman Shirley died Monday morning from injuries received in an automobile accident about a week ago. The car in which he and Andrew Trapp were riding overturned badly crushing young Shirley's leg. Blood poisoning set in and the leg had to be amputated, but the effort to save his life was of no avail.

## CONCERNING OPTIONED COTTON

The following letter has been received by County Agent Green from Mr. C. A. Cobb, Chief, Cotton Section, Agricultural Adjustment Administration, Washington, D. C.:

"This letter is being written to you in compliance with a request from Mr. D. W. Watkins, Assistant Director of the 'Cooperative Extension Work' in your state. In your letter of September 19, you request to be informed in regard to the dispositions that have been made for the sale of cotton on which farmers have options under the Administration's acreage-reduction program.

"It is the purpose of the Administration to give all producers subscribing to the 'cash with option' plan a uniform opportunity to request the sale of the cotton that they have in the custody of the Secretary of Agriculture. With this end in view, 'option' contract blanks will be sent as soon as practicable to the County Agents and delivered to the producers concerned. The execution of these blanks will indicate which producers desire to accept delivery of their optioned cotton and which want the Secretary to sell it for their account."

## Owner's Name Lost

History makes no mention of an owner of the Mayflower. The expedition was financed and equipped by a group of interested merchants, and the ship's captain was one Thomas Jones.

## Liberty Hill News

Liberty Hill, Oct. 2.—Next Sunday, Oct. 8th will be rally day at the Presbyterian Sunday School here at 10 o'clock A. M. An appropriate program will be presented with the principal address to be made by Dr. Patterson Wardlaw of the S. C. University. We hope that a large audience will be out to hear him.

"Our ladies" gave a moonlight ice cream party at the tennis court Thursday evening honoring the boys of the C. C. Camp located here. Some twenty in number and many of our citizens attended.

Ice cream was in abundance and all present seemed to have enjoyed a pleasant evening, the young people played games and late in the evening enjoyed a moonlight truck ride.

Master John Henry Clements passed his 8th birthday last week and his mother gave him a party on the lawn in honor of the occasion, many of his school mates and little friends were present to help him "make merry" over the event. He received a number of nice little gifts. Ice cream and wafers and grape juice were served and the little folks seemed to enjoy themselves very much.

Prof. Wallace and Vincent and two lady teachers of the Great Falls High School were here Sunday evening calling on the parents of their pupils from this place.

Miss Charlotte Wardlaw left on Sunday for Augusta, Ga., to resume her duties as teacher in the schools of that city.

Miss Louisa Drennan, student in Queens-Chicora College spent the weekend at home with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Drennan.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Jones, Jr., of Lancaster were guests last week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Jones.

Mr. N. S. Richards expects to leave on Wednesday for a trip to Washington, D. C. At Lancaster he will be joined by his son, Congressman Richards and a number of others from that city. He expects to be gone for a week or more.

Our suave County Health Officer, Dr. Humphries was here one day last week, professionally.

Mr. Jimmie Jones, who is a professional bridge worker has gone to Greenville, where his Company has a contract for bridge work. Mr. Jones married a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Hilton and conducted a farm this year with very good success, but expects now to take up his trade.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Higgins and Mr. L. P. Thompson made a business trip to Charlotte on last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cunningham of Charlotte were Sunday guests in the home of his uncle, Mr. C. D. Cunningham.

## BAPTIST CHURCH SERVICES

The following services are announced at the First Baptist church:

Sunday school at 10 o'clock with C. O. Stogner superintendent in charge, Public worship conducted by Dr. John A. Davison at 11:15 and 8 P. M. Men's prayermeeting Sunday morning at 9:30, B. Y. P. U. Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Dr. John A. Davison a former pastor is now conducting a series of revival services. Preaching twice each day at 10 A. M. and 8 o'clock at night. It is hoped that every body in Camden and surrounding communities may attend these services and reap the benefit of the wonderful sermons Dr. Davison is delivering.

The public is cordially invited to attend all the services of this church.

## GRANGE SPONSORS COMMUNITY BOOTH

The Mt. Pisgah Grange is sponsoring a community booth at the County Fair. The entire community is urged to do everything possible in collecting the exhibits for this booth. Exhibits should be at the high school by Monday night.

## Goat's Milk

The composition of goat's milk and cow's milk varies little, says Hygeia. The small globules of fat in goat's milk renders it somewhat more digestible, though cow's milk assumes a similar quality when it is homogenized.

## Discovery of Tea

According to a Chinese legend, tea was discovered by the Emperor, Ching-nung, 2737 B. C.

## Magnificent Display of Fireworks at Fair

The display of fireworks at the Kershaw County Fair this year will be the largest and most magnificent ever seen here before.

With a crash and bang, twelve nine inch Aerial Flash Salutes will be projected high into the night in salvos of two, where they break into luminous spreads of silver fire and detonations that can be heard for miles around. This announces the display is about to begin. Then follows the Grand National Color Flight, Discharge of one Fifteen Inch "Old Glory Shell", two nine inch "Skyland Carnival" Shells, two nine-inch "Yankee Doodle Shells", two nine-inch "American Beauty" Shells, two nine-inch "Silver Comet Shells", one twelve-inch "Liquid Silver Shell", one twelve-inch "Magnesium Shell", one twelve-inch "Blue Eyed Susan Shell", one twelve-inch "Spiderland Shell", two nine-inch "Weeping Willow Shells". Next will be presented the following devices: Statue of Liberty, Lattice, Diamond, Five Vertical Wheels. Then the discharge of more shells: two nine-inch "Peacock Plume Shells", two nine-inch "Radium Shower Shells", two nine-inch "Aerial Bouquet Shells", one fifteen-inch "Glittering Diamond Shell", one fifteen-inch "Selma Lee Shell of Shells", one fifteen-inch "The Giant Spider-Web Shell", one fifteen-inch "Mount Vesuvius Shell", one fifteen-inch "Special Paramount Shell". Then the showing of more devices: The Universe Wheels, Bombardment Wheel, The Tropical Sun. The discharge of one fifteen-inch "Shell of Shells", one eighteen inch "The Crater Shell", "Serpent Shell", one twelve-inch "Whistling Rufus Shell", two nine-inch "Rose Garden Shells", one eighteen inch "Silver Threads Among the Gold Shell", Niagara Falls Device, Mammoth American Flag Device. Then comes the Grand Finale consisting of three devices, Electric Flash Curtains, which will be fired in rapid succession.

"Good Nite" a beautiful set device in 24 inch letters of colored fire is a fitting close for this magnificent display.

DR. JOHN A. DAVISON TO DELIVER SERIES OF SERMONS

Dr. John A. Davison, a former pastor of the Camden Baptist Church, will deliver series of sermons here this week, his theme being "Is Life Worth While?" It is hoped that all will hear this series from the beginning in order to get the full benefit of the sermons. The subjects of Dr. Davison's sermons for the different nights follow:

Tuesday evening: "Is Life Worth the Living?"

Wednesday evening: "The Glory of the Life Worth While."

Thursday evening: "On Growing A Soul."

Friday evening: "The World's Challenge."

Sunday morning: "Conquering the World for Christ."

Sunday evening: "The Up-lifted Christ."

## MT. PISGAH NEWS

The Mt. Pisgah School opened its 1933-34 session on Monday morning, September the 25th at eight o'clock. Superintendent R. M. Foster announces the following faculty: Mr. R. H. Bishop, University of South Carolina; Miss Lula Lee Williams, Winthrop; Miss Gornelia Gardner, Limestone; Mrs. W. F. Byrd, Winthrop; Miss Eva Irby, Winthrop; Miss Marie Sellers, Limestone; Miss Mattie Louise Appleby, Winthrop; Miss Grace Brown, Georgia State Teachers College; Miss Ottie Lee Robinson, Winthrop and Miss Mamie Lou Hilton, Anderson College.

The following are members of the Board of Trustees: Chairman, S. M. Carnes; Secretary, W. P. Sowell and Mr. E. J. Catoe.

## Ornamental Tableware

Knives and forks that look like gold, but are much more durable, have been produced by a British manufacturer, using an alloy of aluminum and copper.

## Nerve-Shattering

No wonder Presidents age quickly. Take the way you are affected by back-seat driving and multiply it by 120,000,000.—San Francisco Chronicle.