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## ALL READY FOR BIG FAIR WEEK

Gates Open Tomorrow to Largest Fair in History of the County. Poultry and Livestock Exhibit to be Especially Attractive. Program for the Entire Three Days Show.

On Tomorrow the gates of the Greater Kershaw County Fair will be thrown open and if the weather man is good to us it is safe to say in advance it will be the biggest and best ever in point of attendance and exhibits.

The finishing touches are being put on the grounds and buildings today, the live stock exhibits are arriving and being housed and Secretary Little tells us that the exhibits will be larger by far this year than at any previous show.

The chief attraction in the way of amusements will be the aeroplane flights by aviator Terrill and the balloon ascensions each day by Prof. Raub and Mme. Lawrence. And this is not all—West DeKalb street presents a scene of activity among the various shows to hold forth during the week. Then there are the "weeny" stands where you get your "hot dogs" and just any old thing where both your curiosity and appetites will be satisfied.

But the purpose of a fair is not all enjoyment, it will be highly educational as well. The entries in the household departments will be especially interesting to the housewives. In the live stock department and field departments the farmer will receive hints that will doubtless be useful and highly beneficial to him ever afterward.

Kershaw county chicken fanciers are known far and wide for the quality of birds they raise and the poultry exhibits alone will be well worth a trip to see. There are over five hundred birds to be on exhibition.

In the farm product classes will be seen the largest variety ever entered before. The farmers are all taking more interest in exhibiting their products this year than ever. The ladies are filling up their classes with fancy work, sewing, knitting, preserves and other work.

A number of people have been misinformed regarding the aeroplane flights at the Kershaw County Fair. Some seem to think that this is an advertising scheme, and that no flights will take place. This is very erroneous, because the management has a contract with one of the largest booking agencies in America for Frank J. Terrill to fly twice each day, morning and afternoon with a genuine Curtiss 80-horsepower machine. Mr. Terrill is already in the city and will be present on the opening day and will make flights each day on schedule time, regardless of the weather. Mr. Terrill is one of the best known aviators in America today. He has made over 400 successful flights in the past two years. If for any reason Mr. Terrill is forced to cancel his contract thru accident the management will secure within twenty-four hours time another aviator with a reputation equally as great as Mr. Terrill.

**Reduced Rates on Railroads.**  
On account of the Kershaw County Fair the Southern Railway, Seaboard Air Line Railway and Atlantic Coast Line railway have issued individual tariffs publishing reduced fares; tickets to be sold November 11th-14th, inclusive, final limit November 15th.

**Wednesday, November 13th.**  
10:30 a. m.—Fair Opens.  
10:30 a. m.—Concert in grandstand by Italian Band.

11:00 a. m.—Aeroplane Flight by Aviator Frank J. Terrill, flying a genuine 80-horsepower Curtiss Machine.

11:30 a. m.—Balloon ascension by Prof. Raub, making a double parachute leap.  
12 m.—Address.  
12:30 to 1:45.—Dinner on the grounds.

2:00 p. m.—Horse show opens.  
2:00 p. m.—Class No. 1, best Kershaw County raised colt under one year old.

2:10 p. m.—Class No. 14, best Stallion shown under halter.  
2:20 p. m.—Class No. 4, Best Horse shown to buggy or runabout.

horse only to count. (Owned outside-incorporated city.)  
2:40—Class No. 2, best Kershaw county raised Colt, 1 to 2 years old.  
2:55—Class No. 9, best pair Horses, shown to buggy or runabout. Horses and appointments to count. (Open to world.)  
3:10—Class No. 10, best three-gaited saddle horse.  
3:25—Class No. 3, best Kershaw county raised Colt, 2 to 3 years old.  
3:35—Balloon ascension by Prof. Raub and Mme. Lawrence, making a double parachute leap.  
4:00—Aeroplane exhibition by Aviator Frank J. Terrill.

**Thursday, November 13th.**  
10:30 a. m.—Fair opens.  
10:30—Concert in grandstand by Italian Band.

11:00—Aeroplane flight by Aviator Frank J. Terrill, flying a genuine 80-horsepower Curtiss machine.  
11:30—Balloon ascension by Prof. Raub and Mme. Lawrence, presenting their red, white and blue parachute act.  
12:00 m.—Address.  
12:30 to 1:45.—Dinner on the grounds.

2:00 p. m.—Horse show opens.  
2:00—Class No. 5, best Horse shown to buggy or runabout, to be driven by lady, horse and appointments to count 50 per cent. each.  
2:20—Class No. 15, best Kershaw county raised Mule colt, one to two years old.

2:30—Class No. 17, best Mule shown to buggy or runabout. Mule only to count. (Owned outside incorporated city.)  
2:45—Class No. 16, best Kershaw county raised Mule colt, under one year old.  
2:55—Class No. 13, best Brood mare, shown under halter.  
3:05—Class No. 11, best five-gaited saddle horse.  
3:25—Balloon ascension by Mme. Lawrence with novelty parachute leap.  
4:00 p. m.—Aeroplane exhibition by Aviator Frank J. Terrill.

**Friday, November 14th.**  
School Day.  
10:30 a. m.—Fair opens with musical concert by Italian Band.  
11:00—Aeroplane flight by Aviator Frank J. Terrill.  
11:30—Balloon ascension by Mme. Lawrence making a double parachute leap.  
12:00 m.—Address.  
12:30 to 1:45.—Dinner on the grounds.

2:00 p. m.—Horse show opens.  
2:00—Class No. 8, best horse shown to buggy or runabout, both horse and appointments to count. (Open to world.)  
2:20—Class No. 7, best pair horse shown to buggy or runabout, and driven by lady. Horse and appointments to count 50 per cent. (Owned outside incorporated city.)  
2:40—Class No. 19, best Mule shown to buggy or runabout. Mule only to count. (Open to world.)  
3:00—Class No. 6, best pair horses shown to buggy or runabout. Horses only to count. (Owned outside incorporated city.)  
3:20—Class No. 20, best pair Mules, shown to buggy or runabout. Mules only to count. (Open to world.)  
3:40—Class No. 21, best Jack kept for service.  
4:00—Aeroplane exhibition by Frank J. Terrill.

4:30 p. m.—Balloon ascension, with bomb act by Prof. Raub.

The verdict in the case of W. S. Frierson, administrator of the estate of L. V. Brown, against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, W. P. Holman and J. W. Johnson, came to a close Friday night in the court of common pleas at Sumter, when the jury returned a verdict of \$10,000 in favor of the plaintiff.

**Escaped From City Gang.**  
Chief of police Kirkpatrick, of Hartsville, was here Tuesday for the purpose of carrying back to Hartsville, Kerrison Campbell, a young white man who had escaped from the city chain gang at that place.

## LABORER LEFT HIS JOB AND BROUGHT SUIT FOR PENALTY

First Case Under New Law Providing Penalty Against Corporations.—Case to be Appealed.

A case of unusual interest to cotton mill laborers thruout the state was that of John Champion against the Hermitage Cotton Mill, of this city, tried several days ago before Magistrate H. M. Fincher. The jury decided in favor of the plaintiff, finding a penalty of \$100.

This is one of the first cases under a new law passed in 1911, providing "that where one is employed by a corporation for wages, payable at certain fixed periods beyond the time during which time the labor is performed, and is for any reason discharged, the wages become due immediately and a penalty of five dollars per day is imposed for failure to pay such wages, after the lapse of twenty-four hours."

The case will likely come up at the sessions court this week, and should the Mill Company lose it is certain that the company will carry the case to the supreme court as some very interesting questions have been raised concerning the contentions of the law.

Champion who was employed in the card room of the mill, brought suit for a penalty under this law, claiming that he had been discharged and the company had failed upon demand, to pay him. On the other hand the mill company does not deny owing the wages, contending that Champion had voluntarily left its employment while fleeing from a warrant about to be served upon him for selling whiskey, and that it was ready to pay the wages as soon as the plaintiff vacated the premises.

Champion was represented by Mendel L. Smith and I. C. Hough, and the cotton mill by W. B. deLoach. The case will be watched with great interest by cotton mill operatives over the entire state.

## ATTRACTIVE EXHIBIT Will Be That of the Tomato Club Girls at County Fair.

A new feature for the Greater Kershaw County Fair is the attractive booth of the Girls' Tomato Club. The room is about twelve by fifteen feet, and is filled with a tempting display of canned and preserved fruits. A large banner bearing the inscription "Kershaw Girl's Canning Club" is stretched across the top of the entrance, the words being written out in large red tomatoes joined by bands of red and green ribbon. At each side of the door are dainty cream curtains, slightly drawn aside.

Across one of the back corners is a small three cornered table on which is shown a miniature canning demonstration. The tiny demonstrators are dressed in full club uniform and are using a Carberry steam canner. Across the other corner is a similar table showing the educational feature of the club work. Some very pretty and attractive booklets are on display, also recipe booklets and government reports. This part shows that the club members are as well trained in their English and mathematics and have a sense of the artistic as they are in the real canning and growing of tomatoes. The results of these two phases, the manual and educational, of the club work are shown in the large display of canned tomatoes, banked on a long table across the back of the booth. Then as an outgrowth from the tomato canning is the octagon shaped steps in the center of the booth on which is shown a hundred and two varieties of canned fruits, vegetables, preserves, jellies, pickles, etc. Bands of ribbon separate each girls exhibit.

Pictures showing different phases of the club work are shown. Cut flowers and ferns are used for decorations.

**To Rent For Tourist Season.**  
An eight room cottage, completely furnished. Electric lights, hot and cold water. Pantry with kitchen adjoining. Southern frontage. Apply P. O. Box 325, Camden, S. C. 28-29-30-31

**FOR RENT—Three large unfurnished rooms with all conveniences, on Laurens street. Apply at The Chronicle office. 27tf.**

## FUNERAL OF MR. LEGGE

Held at Grace Episcopal Church on Saturday Afternoon.

Funeral services over the remains of the late C. L. Legge, who died Friday morning, were held at Grace Episcopal church Saturday afternoon conducted by Rev. F. H. Harding.

The school children attended in a body to pay their last respects to their beloved teacher. The following gentlemen acted as pall bearers: Honorary, Capt. W. M. Shannon, C. J. Shannon, Jr., Rev. J. C. Rowan and W. Gelsenheimer; active, L. T. Mills, G. C. Bruce, F. M. Zemp, C. H. Yates, J. B. Wallace and J. L. Williams.

The remains were carried to Charleston where the funeral took place Sunday. The News and Courier of Monday contained the following:

"Escorted by representative citizens of Camden, the remains of Mr. Claude L. Legge, who died suddenly in Camden on Friday morning, arrived in Charleston yesterday afternoon, the interment taking place immediately afterward at Magnolia cemetery, where many sorrowing friends had gathered to pay their last tribute.

"For many years Mr. Legge was connected with the public schools of this city, and as principal of the Bennett School was closely identified with the educational advancement of Charleston. For several years he taught in the Porter Military Academy, resigning that position in 1912 to accept a call to the superintendency of the city schools of Camden, in which capacity he was serving at the time of his death.

"That which above all things has characterized Mr. Legge's long and useful career as a teacher is the high regard and esteem in which he was held by his pupils. As children they loved him and later in life when they had grown to manhood and womanhood their affection was undiminished. Many a man and many a woman of Charleston has been inspired to loftier thought and higher ideals as a direct result of his tutelage.

"That he had met with continued success with his work in Camden, and that he was held in the same high regard there is evidenced by the public sorrowing in that town. Mr. L. T. Mills, prominent attorney of Camden, and one of the escort who accompanied the body to Charleston, in discussing Mr. Legge's death, said: "I consider his death one of the most serious losses our community has sustained in many years. His work in Camden has been of inestimable value. In a comparatively short time he had so closely identified himself with our affairs and had become so genuine a factor in our community that now to us he seems indispensable. Few deaths have ever caused such general sorrowing in Camden."

Besides Mr. Legge's family and Mr. Mills, the remains were accompanied to Charleston by J. C. Rowan, of the board of trustees, and Prof. Simpson, of the faculty of the Camden High School.

"Conspicuous among the profuse and beautiful floral tributes which covered the grave was an offering from the board of trustees of the Camden schools.

## PICTURES THIS WEEK.

**Program For The Week at The Opera House Picture Show.**

Don't forget the Motion Picture Show at the Opera House this week. The program is fine for the entire week, and we are sure that an hour spent looking at the pictures will never be regretted. We operate pictures on the guarantee plan and we have never had one to call for their dime back since we have been in business. Don't fail to pay us a visit this week and see for yourself.

For Tuesday: "For the Flag," in two reels; "Peg of the Polly."  
Wednesday: "Girl Spy's Atone-ment"; "One Round O'Brien Flirtation"; "Baby Days, help Industry."  
Thursday: "The Mada" in 2 reels "Unromantic Maiden."

Friday: "Frizzled Finance," "Portals of Despair," "Social Secretary."  
Saturday: "Green Shadow" in 2 reels, "Mutual Weekly."

Douglas & Brown.

Let The Chronicle sell you your carbon paper and legal blanks.

## REVIVAL MEETING TO BEGIN AT CAMDEN BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. C. B. Arendall to Assist the Pastor in a Series of Protracted Services Beginning Nov. 23.

It is a source of much interest and joy to the congregation and friends of the Baptist church to learn that the pastor has succeeded in procuring the services of Mr. C. B. Arendall to lead in a campaign for Christ beginning in that church Sunday, November 23rd.

Mr. Arendall is at present pastor of the Baptist church at Madison, Ga., but soon to take up his duties in Portsmouth, Va., to one of the large churches of which city he has recently accepted a call. He is one of the most consecrated and aggressive members of the younger class of ministers in the Southern Baptist Convention, and by maintaining a firm grip on God, bids fair to become one of the greatest powers for righteousness in our day.

All the christians of the town and community are earnestly invited to lend their co-operation and prayers in the efforts to be put forward to win souls for Christ under Mr. Arendall's leadership. The services will be conducted for at least ten days and it is especially desired that the town and community regard this meeting as in a peculiar sense their own.

In speaking of his resignation the Madisonian, of Madison, says:

"Mr. Arendall is a native Virginian and came to Madison about 18 months ago from Richmond to become pastor of the church he now serves. His short term of service to the church marks an epoch in its career. His energies, enthusiasm and consecration to the great work in which he is engaged has found expression in the unprecedented growth of church membership, growth in church attendance, in the Sunday School attendance, in collections, and in awakened interest in all the enterprises allied to the church. He is a great worker, and has the faculty of inspiring those about him to renewed interest and effort. His native ability, his culture and careful preparation for his work, his consecration to the cause he represents and his courage in the pursuit of his duties are fundamental assets that make him a preacher of great power.

"His influence for good has not been confined to this city, but has been felt thruout this city and section, and there is very general regret at his departure."

## DeKalb News Notes.

DeKalb, Nov. 7.—School opened here on Monday the 3rd, with Mrs. Mattie Lorick and Margie Croxton in charge.

Those who attended the fair in Columbia last week from here were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Clyburn, Mr. N. J. Workman, Misses Annie B. and Lottie Clyburn, Mr. and Mrs. San Truesdale, Miss Sue Kirkland and brother, Mr. Tommie Truesdale and Mr. McNealy.

Mrs. Bennie Clark, of Rock Hill, spent a day last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Clark.

Miss May Horton spent the week end with Miss Bessie Spears.

Mrs. M. R. Workman, who has been on an extended visit to Rock Hill, has returned home.

Mrs. J. F. Clark and Louis Truesdale were in Camden last week shopping.

Miss Annie Kirkland, who has been taking a course at the Malet School in Columbia, has finished and is at home for a short while before accepting a position.

Mrs. Glasscock, of Rock Hill, visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Workman.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Rush and Master G. C., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Owens, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Clark spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. L. L. Clyburn.

The road thru here is being put in good shape by the hired gang. All washouts are being filled in and sandy places relayed.

Messrs. H. G. Carrison, Henry Savage and L. L. Guilan were in Columbia Saturday, in response to a call from the Columbia Chamber of Commerce to lay plans for the eradication of cattle tick in the counties of South Carolina. They went as representatives of the Camden Chamber of Commerce.

## COURT IN SESSION.

Judge R. W. Memminger Presiding At This Term.

Court of general sessions for this county opened Monday morning with Judge R. W. Memminger presiding, and Solicitor Cobb looking after the state's interest. Very little work was accomplished on the first day.

The following cases had been disposed of up to yesterday afternoon: O. H. Watson, murder, continued. Irby Freshley, assault and battery with intent to kill, continued. Thos. H. Elliott, seduction, was not prossed.

Joe English, Sr., called for violating dispensary law, but was not present. Tried in his absence and adjudged guilty. Sealed sentence.

John Collins, the negro janitor at the court house, was tried for violating dispensary law and found not guilty.

Will Taylor, plead guilty to burglary and larceny. A jury was empanelled who recommended him to mercy of the court. Sentenced to five years at hard labor.

W. M. Outlaw, charged with assault with intent to kill. Guilty—\$100, or thirty days.

It is expected that the case of Russie Currie, a negro, charged with the killing of another negro, will come up Wednesday, and the case of Joseph Simpson, charged with the killing of Henry Sessions, will likely come up Thursday. Capt. M. L. Smith is representing the defense in both of these cases.

Other cases likely to come up this week is the several blind tiger cases, chief among whom is the six different cases against K. S. Villepigue, court crier, game warden and wealthy land owner of this county. A good deal of interest is likely to center around this case, owing to the boldness with which the alleged tiger has been conducting his trade. Besides the long list of criminal cases the court has an unusually heavy civil docket for this term.

## GEORGE R. REMBERT DEAD

Candidate For Governor Succumbs To Long Illness.

Columbia, S. C., Nov. 9.—Geo. R. Rembert, representative in the general assembly from Richland county, and a candidate for governor, died at his home here to-night after an illness of several weeks. The funeral will take place here Tuesday at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Rembert was 38 years of age. He was born in Sumter County, but came to Columbia several years ago. He worked first as a mail clerk, then read law, and after being admitted to the bar rose rapidly in his profession. He served several terms in the Legislature being a member of that body at his death. Since the election of Gov. Bleasie Mr. Rembert had been administration leader in the lower house.

Mr. Rembert married a daughter of Mr. Allen Jones, and a niece of Gen. Wille Jones. She, with five children, survive him. He is also survived by two half brothers, Mr. Ed. Rembert of Sumter county, and Prof. A. C. Rembert of Wofford College, and one sister, Mrs. Lawrence, who lives in the North.

Mr. Rembert entered the race for governor last spring. As the result of strenuous work in behalf of his candidacy and the severe strain of making speeches in various parts of the state he suffered a breakdown, which confined him to his home.

From the first fears were felt for his recovery, and for the past week his family had abandoned hope. The end came at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Rembert was well known thruout South Carolina, and had many friends, who will mourn his death. He was popular in Richland county and Columbia, which always elected him to the legislature no matter who opposed him. He was an alumnus of the University and a member of the firm of Rembert and Montiehl.

It looks natural to see Mr. Rembert in his blue suit as a member of the city police force again. He has held this position at various times for the past thirty years or more, and has always proven himself a highly efficient officer. His friends are glad to see him back on the force and also to know that "Bob" still has his famous dog which played such an important part in the last municipal campaign.