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Haskell Deaton Tells Legion Of Complete Plans For Big Air Show

Program Will Be Held At Airport Sunday Afternoon

Haskell Deaton of Charlotte told members of Post 42 of the American Legion last night what to expect at the air show he is presenting for them at the Lumberton airport Sunday afternoon, starting at 2:30, and enlisted the aid of the Legionnaires in handling the parking and traffic problems coincidental with the crowd of thousands expected to jam the field for the show.

In addition to the Army's fastest fighters, the jet planes which will fly here from Langley field, Va., to demonstrate their speed of better than 300 miles per hour, the C-82's of Flying Boxcars stationed at nearby Pope Field, Fort Bragg, will be on display with some F-51 escort planes, he revealed.

The program of aerobatics, parachute jumps, and stunts will comprise more than a dozen acts in a two hour program that will top anything ever seen at the local airport, the Legionnaires are convinced.

Opening Event

Mr. Deaton stated that the "Star Spangled Banner" parachute jump, which has opened some of the nation's largest air meets, will be used for the Lumberton show and will take place promptly at 2:30 p. m. Mr. Edwards, originator of the beautiful and awe-inspiring act, will make the leap. While flying at approximately 2000 feet, Edwards will leap from the airplane, open his parachute immediately and unfurl a huge American flag which will wave from a cord attached to his ankle throughout his long descent. During this time, the band will play the National Anthem, and billowing smoke rings will be drawn about him by two powerful stunt planes.

The second act, according to Mr. Deaton, will be the high-speed, low-level stunting exhibition by Ben Huntley in the big pre-war fighter plane he calls the "Smoke-Writing Bumble-Bee." It was a P-12 which Howard Hughes, West coast millionaire sportsman, modernized to his own specifications to the end that it would be the most spectacular exhibition airplane of the day. Huntley was recently fortunate to purchase the plane and it is the most prized machine in the Air Circus.

To add thrills and acts never before seen in the Lumberton area will be the Shaver Brothers who will land an airplane on the top of a car; pick up a man from the top of a car with an airplane and replace him; demonstrate a daring act of solo and dual wing-walking; fly an airplane with no one in the cockpit; and other original and spectacular acts.

Two other stunt pilots will appear during the two-hour show in special-built stunt planes along with a series of comedy acts.

More Violence In Strikebound Coal Areas In France

Paris, Oct. 22—(AP)—Total casualties of the violence-studded French coal strike approached 200 today as the crippling walkout of 335,000 miners went into its twentieth day.

There were no incidents reported today, however, as scup kitchens were rolled out in eastern France, signifying the Communist-led strikers were pulling in their belts.

Yesterday's bitter fighting in which scores of police and soldiers were injured brought a threat of martial law. Some cabinet ministers were said to feel Premier Henri Queuille should not only declare a state of siege in the coal fields, but should send more troops there and call up reserves.

An announcement last night that a policeman had been killed at St. Etienne in south central France was retracted by police today. They said he was "near death."

Five hundred strikers surrounded a pit near Valenciennes today while their delegates influenced workers still on the job to quit work. Gendarmes stood by and took no action.

Drive Carefully 7 DAYS

Since a Fatal Motor Vehicle Accident in Robeson County. Careful Driving Will Keep This UP. Total Fatalities This Year:

15 KILLED
Careful Driving Will Keep This DOWN.

PLANE LIFTS MAN FROM AUTO



One of the more exciting stunts to be witnessed at the air show at Lumberton Municipal airport Sunday afternoon is the act in which a daredevil member of the troupe transfers from a moving auto to a plane. This stunt requires precision timing. The air carnival, offered under the sponsorship of the Lumberton American Legion post, starts at 2:30 p. m. Sunday.

Joe Barrington Jr., Heads New Safety Council Organization

Appoint Executive Secretary Robeson Red Cross Chapter

John Kisley, a veteran of World War II and a resident of Lumberton for the past year, has been appointed executive secretary of the Robeson county chapter of the American Red Cross, effective this week. Announcement is made by Dr. R. D. Wellons of Pembroke, chapter chairman.

The position of executive secretary had been vacant since the resignation of Miss Anne Coucoules to accept work in Durham on Sept. 1. Miss Marian McCormack of Rowland was first appointed, but was forced to resign because of illness before Miss Coucoules left. Mrs. Marian Everett, district representative of the Red Cross, has been supervising activities of the county chapter in the interim.

Miss Julia Harris of Lumberton has been employed for about a month as assistant to the executive secretary. The new chapter office is located on East 5th street on the rear ground floor of the McIntyre building.

Mr. Kisley is a native of Pawtucket, Rhode Island, and received his education in a high school and business college there. He served with the 82nd Airborne division for almost four years during World War II, three years of that time in the European theatre. Upon his return in 1945 he was married to Miss Doris McGill of Lumberton. They lived in Pawtucket for two years, then returned to Lumberton, where they built a home on East 16th street.

Two Acquitted In Baseball Bribery

Winston-Salem, Oct. 22—(AP)—Two used auto dealers were freed today—acquitted of charges of "fixing" a baseball game. A third man, pitcher-manager Bernard DeForge faced a year in jail. DeForge, 31, former field boss of the Reidsville, N. C. team in the class C Carolina league, pleaded guilty to throwing the game between his team and Winston-Salem the night of May 14, 1948.

A jury deliberated one hour and 37 minutes yesterday and acquitted W. C. Waters and Tommy Phillips, used auto dealers of Clover, S. C., who had pleaded innocent.

A fourth man indicted on the same bribery-conspiracy charges, Emmanuel Weingarten, former owner of the Florence, S. C. Tri-State league team, and the Leaksville, N. C. Blue Ridge league club, died before the trial.

BUDGET COMMISSION OPENS HEARINGS NOV. 3

Raleigh, Oct. 22—(AP)—The advisory budget commission which recommends to the legislature how much money to provide each state agency for its operating expenses, will begin hearings Nov. 3.

Nazi Prisoners Die On Gallows For War Crimes

Churchmen Make Ineffective Plea Against Hanging

Munich, Germany, Oct. 22—(AP)—Ten German war criminals were hanged today at Landsberg prison. Jesuit recent appeals of German Catholic and Protestant church leaders that further executions be halted.

Alex. Piorkowski, 44, one-time commander of the Dachau concentration camp, and former S. S. Col. Hans Trumner, 48, who passed out cigars to his troops after they killed parachuted aviators, were the best known of the ten.

The men went to their gallows under a gray sky in the courtyard of the prison where Hitler wrote "Mein Kampf."

All were convicted by American courts of shooting unarmed American fliers or torturing and killing concentration camp inmates.

The plea for suspension of the executions of 139 war criminals under death sentence was made by churchmen after 10 other Germans had been hanged at Landsberg last Friday for similar crimes.

In telegrams to U. S. Secretary of the Army Kenneth Royall, the church leaders asked that the hangings be halted until further investigation showed whether conviction of those involved had been properly obtained.

The other eight hanged were Arthur Fuhr, 39, Michael Raaf, 42, Karl Franz Stettin, 37, Emil Hoffman, 55, Herbert Kunze, 35, Fritz Dietrich, 50, charged with killing fliers; and Wladislaw Dopierala, 59, and Wenzel Wodak, 38, charged with killing inmates of concentration camps.

Youth Convicted In Murder Trial

Medina, O., Oct. 22—(AP)—A three-judge court last night declared Clark Hill, 19, guilty of first degree murder by poison in the death of Jeanette Weimer, pretty girl hop of Masadore.

Judges Windeor E. Kellog, Edmund H. Savord and Lynn B. Briffith recommended mercy in deciding Hill was guilty of causing the 17-year-old girl's death by slipping a heavy dose of a sex stimulant into her drink.

Defense counsel argued that the girl died of carbon monoxide poisoning in Hill's car. Prosecutor William C. Batchelder Jr. contended that the youth piped the fumes into the automobile after the girl became unconscious from effects of the stimulant.

S. PERRY BROWN IS COMMANDER OF LEGION

Miami, Fla., Oct. 22—(AP)—S. Perry Brown, the American Legion's newly-elected national commander, and about 70,000 other Legionnaires were on their way home today.

Star Attractions At Farmers Festival

Chief Thundercloud, better known to millions of youngsters as "Tonto" of "Lone Ranger" pictures, and the Tennessee Ramblers, popular radio artists, are two of the star attractions booked for the Farmers Festival in Lumberton next week.

To Conduct Services At Christian Church



Dr. George F. Cuthrell

Beginning Sunday at 7:30 p. m. Dr. George F. Cuthrell, pastor of Hood Memorial Christian church of Dunn will assist Rev. E. B. Quick, pastor of the First Christian church in a series of evangelistic services to continue throughout the week.

Dr. Cuthrell announces the following sermon subjects: Sunday, "Who Are the Lost?"; Monday, "The Excellency of the Soul"; Tuesday, "Remember Jesus Christ"; Wednesday, "Human Need"; Thursday, "Joined to Christ"; Friday, "Where Will You Spend Eternity?";

On Sunday morning Oct. 31 Dr. Cuthrell will deliver the convention sermon for Mill Creek District Convention which will be entertained by the local Christian church.

Dr. Cuthrell is in his second successful pastorate at Dunn. His many years as minister and evangelist have been marked by notable achievements. Under his leadership the beautiful stone sanctuary of Hillier Memorial Christian church at Raleigh was constructed. As a result of his long and fruitful pastorate at Tyler, Texas, the membership was increased to 900. He has been active in the interdenominational work, serving as president of the ministerial association at Dunn and leading in many inter-church projects. He is also active in civic affairs. As president of the Rotary club of Dunn, he is promoting many community projects sponsored by Rotary.

Hoover Adams, editor of the Dunn Dispatch, in an unsolicited letter to Rev. Quick says: "With Dr. Cuthrell conducting your services, you are in for a real treat. There is no finer."

Citizens of Lumberton who are interested in the effective preaching of the Gospel of Christ are cordially invited to hear Dr. Cuthrell, states Rev. Quick. The singing of the old time Gospel hymns will be led by Leonard Platt, assisted by the church choir and Miss Lillian Beasley, organist.

Two Percent City Tax Discount Ends Oct. 30

A reminder is given by Miss Ruth Stuart, city clerk and treasurer, that October 30 is the last day on which the 2 percent discount for 1948 city taxes will be in effect. Beginning Nov. 1, for one month, the discount will be 1 percent.

BAKER-THOMPSON ALUMNAE WILL MEET MONDAY AT 8

The Baker-Thompson Memorial Alumnae association will meet Monday, Oct. 23, at 8 p. m. at Johnson house. A good attendance is desired.

Neutrals Ask Immediate Lifting Of Berlin Bars

Murder Trial Heads Docket In Court Here

Solicitor F. F. Carlisle will attempt to dispose of the urgent cases on the Robeson criminal docket at what is expected to be his last term of court here as solicitor before he resigns preparatory to taking his seat in U. S. Congress, representing the Seventh district.

Heading the 51 cases on the docket to be tried before Judge Henry A. Grady of New Bern, is the trial of Norman Lowry and Martin Chavis, Indians, charged with first degree murder in the fatal beating of an aged Midway farmer in an unsuccessful attempt at robbery. Solicitor Carlisle has set the case for trial on Wednesday.

From the crime of murder the alleged offenses range down to an appeal from a conviction on a charge of using profanity. Included in the docket are charges against Jim Love, Wilbur Floyd, Claude West and G. Rae Betha, who were labelled Robeson county's "elite" bootleggers in a previous appearance in superior court. Love was convicted of illegal possession and sale of intoxicating liquor, but an appeal to the state Supreme court gained him a new trial. The high court found an error in the court's charges to the jury in Love's case.

Korean Rebellion Is Under Control

Seoul, Oct. 22—(AP)—The Korean republic today appeared to be stamping out a two-day rebellion, and its president said the Korean people have the protection of Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

The U. S. Army said it had been advised heavily armed Korean troops almost unopposed had pushed into the southern port of Yosu, the first of two cities seized by Communist-led rebels Wednesday.

A high official source predicted early recapture of the second city, Suncheon, 20 miles northwest of Yosu. Three loyal battalions were said to be fighting encircled rebels there. Korean regulars opened a mortar and machinegun attack on other rebel bands in Korea's southern mountains.

President Syngman Rhee told newsmen MacArthur had assured him: "Personally, I will do anything I can to help the Korean people and protect them. I will protect them as I would protect the United States against aggression."

87th Birthday



Miss Josephine Breece of Lumberton, who is celebrating her 87th birthday today.

Miss Breece was born in Fayetteville on October 22, 1861. She came to Lumberton in March, 1881, and worked in the millinery business for 46 years and 8 months. She worked in her cousin's store, the late Mrs. Fannie Peterson, until December, 1900. On January 1st, 1901, she formed an equal partnership with Mrs. Peterson.

They rented the store now occupied by M. Schaeman for 14 years, the rent being \$17 per month for five years; after that time the rent increased each year until it reached \$100 per month. They then moved to the building now occupied by Efrid's Department store which was divided in two stores at that time, the late John T. Biggs occupying the store on the north side and Miss Breece on the south side, being here for 14 years.

Following Mrs. Peterson's death Miss Breece purchased her interest from her brother, R. S. Bond, to whom she had willed her interest. She carried on the business for 20 years in her own name. Every season she had two milliners from Baltimore to come to Lumberton to assist her. For eight months she worked for the firm which rented the store she had occupied.

Improved Property
In 1908, along with her millinery business Miss Breece began buying real estate, houses and lots, and to remodel and build new ones. In 1928 she built the Breece apartment house, and so far as is known, she is the first woman to build an apartment house in Lumberton or Robeson county. Her last building project was an eight room residence erected on 13th street, which was finished in December, 1946.

Miss Breece has rented apartments and houses for 38 years. In recent years she has disposed of a great deal of her property. She is still active, looks after the upkeep of her property, collects her rentals, and pays her bills.

She is a member of the Chestnut Street Methodist church, a member of the Society of Christian Service, and a charter member of the Business and Professional Woman's club.

Russian Mark Is Approved As Sole Exchange Medium

Paris, Oct. 22—(AP)—The six "neutral" powers on the United Nations Security Council called on Russia today to lift the Berlin blockade at once.

The meeting was delayed nearly an hour by last minute conferences among the Big Four delegations directly concerned in the issue. The United States, Britain and France have accused Russia of endangering peace by blocking Berlin.

Russia has asserted no blockade exists and that the council has no jurisdiction. The neutral powers—Argentina, Belgium, Canada, China, Colombia and Syria—drafted a compromise solution which the Western powers accepted.

Recommended One Currency
The neutrals put before the council a joint resolution which said the four military governors of Germany should adopt the Soviet mark as Berlin's sole currency before Nov. 20, in exchange for lifting the blockade.

The resolution also provided that the Foreign Ministers Council of the U. S., Russia, Britain, and France meet to seek a solution of all questions at issue over Germany.

Foreign Minister Juan A. Bramuglia, of Argentina, acting council president, presented the resolution and then addressed the delegates.

"We have reached the hour of decisions, harmonious decisions, x x x of benefit to all peoples," Bramuglia said.

Andrei Y. Vishinsky, deputy foreign minister of Russia, attended, but there was no indication at the start of the Soviet attitude toward the Little Six proposal.

The Little Six resolution called on the big four to avoid any incident which might aggravate the situation in Berlin. The Russians blocked the plan, and approached to the city-day in the Soviet occupation zone—last June 23, soon after the Western powers introduced their reformed currency into Berlin. The West installed the air lift to feed and supply the 2,000,000 or more Germans in western Berlin and clamped a counter blockade on the Russian zone of Germany.

I. A. Fowler Rites To Be Saturday

I. A. Fowler, 78, died yesterday afternoon at 3:30 at his home on Dresden avenue, East Lumberton, following an illness of more than a month.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 4 p. m. by Rev. Tom West from East Lumberton Baptist church of which he was a member. Burial will be in the New Hollywood cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Tompkins Fowler; 2 daughters, Mrs. Lula Scott of East Lumberton, and Mrs. Gertrude Hayes of the Elizabethtown road; 11 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren.

Plans Outlined To Expand State Fair

Raleigh, Oct. 22—(AP)—A group of agricultural and political leaders met here last night and laid plans for making the annual state fair the finest of its kind in the East.

Tomorrow Marks Registration End

Registration books will be open at all precinct posts in Robeson tomorrow for the final day of registration before the November 2 election.

Saturday of next week, October 30, is the final Saturday before the election and thus will be observed as challenge day.

When riding your bike, think of yourself as a driver rather than a pedestrian on wheels. Learn to be a top-notch cyclist by driving like a skillful motorist. Watch how a good driver operates. Notice that he is alert to all traffic conditions. He doesn't "play around" in traffic, because he knows how serious an accident can be. TODAY'S BICYCLISTS ARE TOMORROW'S MOTORISTS.

American Legion Sponsoring Big Air Show Here Sunday Afternoon