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A son of Cocke county, Governor Ben W. Hooper, is to attend the Appalachian Exposition at its opening September 11, and will make the address publicly declaring the second exposition's gates open. Cocke county is pretty sure to send a large delegation of her citizen's down to Knoxville to attend the exposition opening, and hear it formally declared so by one of their fellow countians.

One of the biggest drawing cards of the exposition will be the live stock exhibit and horse show. The latter is to be held three nights of the first week of the exposition. No less than \$15,000 in cash premiums has been hung up for the different events in this show, one class having a purse of \$1,000 suspended, said to be the highest premium ever offered at any horse show in the country. Cocke county has some excellent stock, and many of her citizens are interested in stock raising. Naturally, they will be interested in these features of the exposition.

The annual exposition poultry show will be held the last week of the exposition, in the live stock building. East Tennessee is the greatest poultry producing section in America, and East Tennesseans will be interested in this feature of the exposition.

One of the distinguished visitors at the second Appalachian Exposition will be President Wm. Howard Taft, who will be accompanied on the visit to Knoxville by Mrs. Taft. This will be the President's first visit to Tennessee since his inauguration, except that he once touched at Memphis during a Mississippi trip, and his presence will attract thousands to the exposition.

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BOY OF THREE MET DEATH

When a Gun in the Hands of His Uncle, a Lad of Eleven, Accidentally Exploded.

Hampton, Tenn., Aug. 16.—A three year old son of Earnest Casey was accidentally shot by his uncle, Tyler Casey, a boy of eleven years, here Saturday. The unfortunate little child was sick and the older boy had brought in some medicine. While the mother was gone to a spring for water the older boy began to fool with a gun, which was lying across a bed. It fired and the entire charge entered the back of the child's head blowing away the whole posterior part of its brain. Death was instantaneous.

Kyker's will again be in the field with the old familiar line of Hart, Schaffner & Marx clothing for Fall. As this is a well known line of clothing, it needs no explanation as to its quality.

Taylor Susong a well known young man of Greene county, has been visiting friends in this county for the past several days.

KNOCKED FROM MULE BY LIMB OF TREE

Clearance Scott, a well known young man of the Parrottsville section was knocked from his mule while en route to church last Sunday night, and sustained an injury to his face in the vicinity of his left eye. The mule ran away with him and plunged through some woodland and a limb knocked him off the animal's back. He held on to the reins, however, and after being dragged a short distance, brought the animal to a standstill.

SEVERAL ACCIDENTS ABOVE CRESTMONT

A series of accidents are reported from Crestmont, and it is said that four men received injuries in the woods above the works on Monday, one of which was badly hurt when a tree fell on him. No names could be learned, and with the exception of the one, the others suffered injuries of slight nature.

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