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The annual horse show is being held at Pell City Post No. 1000, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Building, a two-acre tract of both city and county land. The show has been working hard for several months to insure success for the horse show.

The show is expected to attract upwards of 2000 visitors. The show will begin at 7 p. m. on the evening of August 6.

The show is receiving able assistance from the Joe McKnight and Dr. Williamson. The vets are set to donate the profits of the show to a high school Pell City High School.

Family Reunion At Cook Springs August 3

The annual Inzer family reunion to attract 200 to 300 members of this large and influential family will be held at Cook Springs August 3rd.

Byrne Inzer, Edna, President of the Inzer Reunion Organizing Committee and in charge of arrangements for this year, said they hoped about 300 people present.

The Inzer family, being one of the prominent in Alabama, the South started their family reunions together on a large scale.

The largest gathering to date was in Edna in 1948 when 500 attended. Rev. Inzer said they hoped to equal or top that this year. More than 11 states are expected to be represented.

Robert, manager of the Inzer hotel and a Klansman, said he will arrange the food. The show will be in the hotel room. Mrs. Floyd Baird,

the approval of The National Horsemen's Association and a competent corps of judges have been obtained. Sherrill Moore, Birmingham, and Carson Whitson, Talladega, both nationally known, will be the judges. Hal Allen, Birmingham will be the ringmaster, and Pete Klyer, also of Birmingham, will be the announcer.

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Miss Ann Bayer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bayer, of Ragland, and Birmingham, an experienced horsewoman, has been lending assistance in technical phases of getting the show underway. Miss Bayer is a nationally known horsewoman, has shown her fine horses throughout the Southeast for several years. The Bayer family are owners of Little Bear Ranch near Ragland, where the home stable for their horses is located.

Black said the merchants of Pell City had been very liberal in donations toward making the show a financial success and expressed deep appreciation on behalf of the VFW Post and himself.

Tickets for the shows will be 75 cents for adults and 25 cents for children.

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J. T. EDMUNDS

BURIED HERE SUNDAY . . . Mr. Edmunds, a long time resident of Pell City, died at his home in Sylacauga last Saturday. He was 64 years old. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at four o'clock at Pell City's First Baptist church. The body lay in state for one hour immediately preceding the funeral services.

A native of South Carolina, Mr. Edmunds came to Pell City in early life and was employed by the

of his legs after moving to Sylacauga and his health has not been good for the past several years.

During his life in Pell City, Mr. Edmunds was prominent and active in many phases of civic and political life. He was a member of the Pell City Civitan Club and a life member of Ben M. Jacobs Masonic Lodge. He served for a year as Worshipful Master of his Masonic Lodge.

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M. D. McRoberts, retiring president, presided at the meeting. New officers elected are Hoyt Hamilton, president, H. D. McRoberts, 1st vice president, and Oscar Rankin, 2nd vice president. Members of the nominating committee were J. T. Holladay, H. E. Eubanks and C. C. Carlson. The fox hunters told of plans for their annual fox hunt being held this week end at Springville, and W. F. Jackson reported on the fishing derby.

R. G. Galbreath was awarded the prize for the biggest bass, weighing 6 pounds, 8 ounces. Ten year old Glenda Galbreath reported the largest bream, weighing one pound. H. L. Eubanks made the fishing committee report.

New president Hoyt Hamilton called for a constitutional amendment permitting each sporting group to have a representative on the Board of Directors. H. L. Eubanks, M. D. McRoberts, and Dennis Reeves were appointed on a committee to work on plans for



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After serving as a general manager of the Pell City plant for a number of years, Mr. Edmunds was retired in 1941. Since that time he has lived at Sylacauga and operated Avondale's Cotton Bolls. He suffered the loss of one

of his legs after moving to Sylacauga and his health has not been good for the past several years.

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Rev. J. W. Fagan and C. H. Lane officiated at the funeral. Members of Ben M. Jacobs Lodge held graveside services. Interment was in Valley Hill Cemetery. Killebrew was in charge.

He is survived by the widow, Mrs. Eunice Bain Edmunds, three sons, Foster, Calvin and Larry, and two daughters, Miss Mary Edmunds and Mrs. John Munnell, and four sisters, Mrs. T. S. Culbreth, Mrs. H. S. Hamey, Mrs. Guy Osburn and Mrs. R. E. Johnson.

Enslay Choir To Be Featured At Baptist Church Correction

The Chancel Choir of Enslay Baptist Church, Birmingham, will present a program at the First Baptist Church in Pell City, Wednesday evening, July 30 at 8.

The Choir is under the direction of Mrs. Walter Jacobi, with Mr. Harris at the organ. The program

Last week the News-Aegis stated that George Lovell, who was struck by an auto near Eden two weeks ago, was not seriously injured. In checking with the local infirmary, we found that young Lovell suffered a fractured ankle, five broken ribs and a punctured lung. The News-Aegis is sorry this error happened.

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Inzer, manager of the hotel and a kinsman will organize the fund raising will be in the hotel room. Mrs. Floyd Baird, Eden, will be in charge of musical service.

John V. Inzer, noted real estate minister from Sylacauga will offer the devotional program. Mr. Roper, leader of the family and their friends at Cook Springs and Rev. Inzer will welcome the out-of-town relatives to Alabama.

Inzer Kelly, solicitor of County (Abundant Georgia, historian of the organization will make his annual report, a member and every relative of the family is urged to plan and the reunion which has rapidly to be one of the largest groups of its kind in the South. Any other information can be had by writing Rev. Inzer, R-1, Eden, Ala.

CLUB WILL MEET MONDAY NIGHT Pell City Lions Club will meet Monday night at the Black White. "Ladies Night" will be held at the club.