TWO BIG CELEBRATIONS.

Fourth of July to be Observed by Mill People and at Battle Ground.

The fifth annual picnic given by the Messrs. Cone and their associates complimentary to the operatives of the Proximity, White Oak and Revolution cotton mills will take place Saturday at White Oak park and promises to be the most enjoyable of all the picnics held at this place. Extensive preparations are being made to care for the crowd and ample provision will be made for the comfort and amusement of the thousands of people who will throng the picnic grounds.

At intervals during the day there will be concerts by the White Oak, Proximity and Revolution bands, and at 11 o'clock in the forenoon there will be a brief address by Mr. Caesar Cone, to be followed by addresses by others connected with the mills.

A big picnic dinner will be served at noon. Great quantities of eatables will be prepared and the dinner will be served by 150 uniformed waiters. The dinner will be followed by a band concert and a vaudeville performance at 3 o'clock.

The usual Fourth of July celebration will take place at Guilford Battle Ground Saturday. Maj. Joseph M. Morehead, the indefatigable president of the Guilford Battle Ground Company, and his associates have labored earnestly for the success of the celebration, which is expected to be of special interest this year. The principal address of the occasion will be delivered by Dr. C. Alphonso Smith, one of the most scholarly and eloquent men the state has produced in a generation.

Trains will run from Greensboro to the Battle Ground on half-hour schedules, starting at 9 o'clock in the morning.