

MAKE BIG ADVANCES

PRICES ON TOBACCO STILL CLIMBING

Much of the Weed Being Brought In, and the Farmers Seem to Be Well Pleased.

The past week has recorded another big increase in the price of tobacco on the local market and much of the golden weed has been sold.

Mr. O. C. Gregory, of the American Tobacco Co.'s Richmond division visited the market the past week and added much strength to the bidding. Both the warehouses are enjoying splendid sales.

The Louisburg Market is becoming more and more popular among the planters and will do good by you should you come.

Good Roads Proclamation by the Governor.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
RALEIGH.

Whereas the modern highway is essential to material prosperity, and to the advancement of the social life of every community; every people that aspires to join the forward procession and that hopes for the opportunities of our time is beginning to realize the necessity of improved roads; all sections and all progressive citizens are demanding them and determined to have them; the whole country has awakened to their importance; everywhere there is a generous rivalry to have the best, and everywhere enthusiasm for them is apparent, and increasing; and

Whereas the people of North Carolina are losing, according to reliable estimate, twelve million dollars annually on account of bad roads—this vast sum paid as a tribute to mud:

Now, therefore, recognizing the universal sentiment for road improvement, and realizing the benefits which must result therefrom to all the people, I, Locke Craig, Governor of North Carolina, do set apart Wednesday, the 5th day of November, and Thursday, the 6th day of November, 1913, as GOOD ROADS DAYS, and do appoint these days as holidays and days of festival throughout the State, to celebrate the beginning of an era wherein improved highways shall be built in every neighborhood, that all the people of farm and city may enjoy the opportunities which they bring.

I call upon all patriotic people throughout the State to work upon the public roads and refrain from all other occupations on these appointed days; and I call upon every able-bodied man to shoulder his shovel, and march out and strike a blow for progress. Let the farmer, the merchant, the lawyer, the doctor, the minister of the Gospel, the rich and the poor, and the men of all the walks of life enlist as volunteers in this mighty army for grand accomplishment.

Let no man be above this work, nor forget his duty to himself and to his neighbors. It will be an honor to his fellow-man to banish from the country the curse of bad roads and the evils that accompany them.

Let all the people of every station, high or low, be moved by the same patriotic impulse to work for the common weal. To all the benefit will come. Let all participate.

I do appoint and set apart these days, the 5th and 6th of November, that the people may have an opportunity to give substantial expression to the universal desire and determination of the State, in action inspired by hope, and rejoicing that will resound in one unbroken chorus from the mountains to the sea.

I call upon all the women to participate. In every hour of danger they have inspired the men of North Carolina with faith and courage; in this day of realization, they with their children will come to lend to this noble cause the charm and the encouragement of their presence. They can provide good things to eat, and decorate every worker with a badge of honor.

Let every citizen do his duty, and these days will be long remembered for the impetus they give to the cause of good roads and a finer civic spirit.

I call upon the county commissioners of every county in the State to issue a proclamation urging the people to go out on the 5th and 6th days of November, and labor for the welfare of their respective counties and communities, as well as for the whole State of which they constitute a part.

I call upon the president of the Farmers' Union to issue proclamation to the farmers of North Carolina, and to their various local organizations, that

this great body of our citizenship, constituting as it does the bone and sinew of the State, may join with energy and enthusiasm in this movement. More than any other class of our people, they are dependent upon the country road. More attractive homes, better farming, and a finer rural life will result from the building of modern highways.

Let the work be completely organized so that it will reach to every neighborhood, and be conducted in a systematic and business way, to the end that at sunset of the second day there will be no community in all the State where the hand of progress and toil has not left its mark in permanent road improvement and the progressive spirit its impression in the hearts and minds of the people.

I call upon the ministers of the Gospel, the educators, and the press of the State to use their mighty influence for this work, which means not only material development, but moral and intellectual development.

I call upon all road overseers, good roads associations, boards of trade, chambers of commerce, and all associations and organizations for the public welfare and civic betterment to give to this movement the energy of their influence.

I call upon the mayor of every town and city of North Carolina to issue his proclamation that his people may enlist in this organization and in the building of roads upon which the prosperity of town and city depends.

Let every North Carolinian show by his work that he is for the improvement of his State. "Let us labor that we may enjoy the fruits today, and our children a fuller fruition tomorrow."

Done at our city of Raleigh, this the 27th day of September, in the year of our Lord, 1913, and in the one hundred and thirty-eighth year of our American independence.

LOCKE CRAIG,
Governor.

By the Governor:
JOHN P. KERR,
Private Secretary.

Mr. Willis Joyner Dead.

The announcement of the death of Mr. Willis Joyner which occurred at the hospital in Raleigh Monday, will be received with sorrow by many of Franklin's people. His remains were brought through town Monday evening and taken to his home in Sandy Creek township where interment was made on Tuesday.

Dowry-Taylor.

Mr. Shirley Dowry and Miss Zeta Taylor made quite a romantic get away on last Saturday night and were married in Washington City on Sunday. They left from here on an automobile and took the Atlantic Coast Line for Washington. They are of Louisburg's popular young people and have many friends who wish them well.

Cotton.

Both the demand for cotton and cotton seed is exceptionally strong on the market at present. The price of cotton is 14 cents per pound and cotton seed is bringing 40 cents per bushel. Owing to the lateness of the crop no large number of bales have been received here this season.

Preparing for Big Sale.

Mr. W. Z. Morton, with the Atlantic Coast Realty Co., of Greenville was in Louisburg the past week making preparations for a big sale of lots at Woods store. This sale will take place in the near future, as can be seen from their big advertisement which will very likely appear in the Times next week. The property is well situated and will furnish a nice investment, it being in one of the best sections in the county and is a development move which will mean much to that section.

Perry-Abbott.

We acknowledge with pleasure the receipt of the following announcement: Dr. H. G. Perry and Isa Marie Abbott married at Buckingham, West Virginia, Tuesday, September the twenty-third nineteen hundred and thirteen. At home after October the first, Baltimore, Md.

The bride is one of Buchanan's most popular and accomplished young ladies and is admired by a host of friends.

Dr. Perry is the son of one of Franklin's most popular citizens and is a brother to Dr. E. M. Perry of this place. He is a young man of splendid character and ability and has a host of friends who extend to him and his bride the heartiest congratulations.

DR. COVINGTON SPEAKS

ON HEALTH CONDITIONS TO MANY.

Gives Startling Statistics That Can be Reversed by Preventive Medicine.

According to announcement Dr. Covington, of the State Board of Health, Raleigh, made a most interesting speech to an audience of Franklin's representative people in the court house here Tuesday. His subject was the establishment of a real health department in the county to take the place of the old time county physician. In his arguments he used some statistical facts that were convincing and described the working of the proposed department together with the support that would be given by the State Board of Health in a most interesting manner. He showed that, in accordance with the general statistics, Franklin County had five hundred deaths each year and of this number one hundred and seventy-five were from preventable causes, that of nine hundred sick each day of the year one hundred and ninety-two was from consumption. He contrasted the value of human life as a financial loss to show why the county should take further steps by showing that if the same money value of animals were dying each year from a preventable cause immediate action would be taken. He endorsed the whole time health officer and that he be furnished with an automobile, and gave a broad explanation of his duties, which if properly attended to would require the major part of the time of such an officer. The entire scheme is well built and will no doubt within a few years become general all over the State. After the address several impromptu responses were given and the meeting was adjourned with a few happy remarks from our efficient county physician, Dr. J. E. Malone.

Tar River Association Next Week in Warrenton.

The Tar River Association will hold its eighty third annual session with the Baptist Church, of Warrenton, next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. This is one of the oldest and largest associations in the State. It ranks fifth in the number of churches composing it, 54; fifth also in number of church members, 7,604; and eighth in the amount of contributions to the different objects fostered by the denomination, \$5,550. Until six years ago when this Association was divided and the Roanoke was organized, which now has 58 churches, it enjoyed the distinction of being the largest of the sixty-four associations in the State, which honor is now held by the Chowan and the West Chowan Associations.

The Woman's Missionary Union of this Association, which held its annual session last week with the Baptist Church at Wise, will meet in this city a year hence. Misses Edna Allen and Annie Green were delegates from the local Union to the Wise meeting. Mr. Ivey Allen, Dr. D. T. Smithwick and Rev. W. M. Gilmore and perhaps others from this place will attend the Warrenton meeting.

Louisburg and Rocky Mount Railway Incorporated.

The bill for the incorporation of the Louisburg and Rocky Mount Railway Co., was introduced in the House of Representatives on Tuesday. The incorporators of this road are Messrs. J. A. Turner, J. M. Allen, W. H. Allen, F. B. McKinnis, W. H. Yarborough, Jr., K. P. Hill and E. S. Ford. The charter will provide elasticity enough that the road may be extended to Durham or most any other point most desirable. The scheme is a splendid and popular one and will no doubt be gone into, at once. The incorporators tell us they will proceed to issue bonds and build the road immediately upon the passage of the bill.

Buys Fowler Property.

Messrs. D. F. and Malcolm McKinnis have purchased the old Fowler farm within about two miles of Bunn and inform us will cut same up in small farms and sell same off to good responsible parties.

The Show.

Downie & Wheeler's Shows performed here Wednesday to quite a large crowd. The performance was good and was witnessed by many. They left at nine o'clock for Burlington giving only one performance.

Mayor Turner Appointed.

Mayor James A. Turner on Monday received an appointment as a delegate from North Carolina to the Fire Prevention Conference to be held at Philadelphia on October 13th to 18th. The appointment was made by Gov. Craig, and is worthily bestowed.

Change in Game Law.

As will be seen by reference to page 1181 session 1913 public local laws the game laws for Franklin county has been changed as follows:

Squirrels from November 15th to March 1st.

Turkeys from November 15th to March 1st.

There was no change in the laws governing other games.

List of Letters.

Remaining in the post office at Louisburg uncalled for, Oct. 3, 1913.

Lizzie Carnes, P. J. Carlton, Mrs. A. R. Cook, Pattie Hawkins (2), George Hawkins, Sarah Hill, Lillie Johnson, Mary A. Love, Cagle Moore, Louis Olive, Markey Sessoms, G. D. Terrell.

Persons calling for any of the above letters will please say they saw them advertised.

M. W. YARBOROUGH, P. M.

Candler-Crowell's Opening.

We extend our heartiest apologies to Messrs. Candler-Crowell Co., for the omission in our last issue of a write up of their opening, which we are sure was another great step forward in their record as expert caterers to the ladies desires in dress goods and headwear. Their opening was held on Monday and Tuesday of last week and the display was beautiful. The many new fabrics and designs shown were of especial interest and the ladies attended in large numbers. The entire occasion was a great success and was especially satisfactory to the proprietors.

Says Thaw Will Return.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Sept. 28.—John F. Ringwood, of counsel for Harry K. Thaw, upon his return to this city tonight from Concord, N. H., gave out a statement by Thaw in which he said:

"Thaw will consent to waive extradition from New Hampshire and discontinue all the proceedings now pending and will voluntarily come to Dutchess county and answer the alleged indictment, if there be one in existence, if Mr. Jerome will make good the statement he made at the hearing before Gov. Felker that 'An indictment was found and signed,' by producing said indictment or a certified copy and forwarding the same to Gov. Felker."

The Legislature.

The legislative mills have been continually grinding the past week—in some instances holding night session.

The constitutional amendments were taken up Tuesday. We notice Mr. Ruffin, Franklin's representative has introduced bills as follows:

To prohibit the sale of quail and partridges in Franklin county.

To incorporate Joyner's Chapel in Franklin county.

To exempt mortgage bonds and other debts of educational institutions from taxation.

To incorporate the Louisburg and Rocky Mount Railway Co.

To regulate the hunting of foxes in Franklin county.

Mr. Ruffin has been put on several important committees and is proving himself a most efficient Representative.

From Mapleville.

For the first time in over a year, Mapleville Academy suspended school, Friday, September 26th, on account of a contagious disease. Gertrude Boone was the victim of a slight case of dyptheria. The case has been well handled by Dr. Newell and every necessary precaution to prevent the spreading of the disease has been used. Gertrude will soon be back in school and there seems to be no signs of other cases.

At the Friday morning exercise, Rev. G. M. Duke made an interesting and instructive talk on "The Battle of Gettysburg." After his talk, Mr. Duke explained to the students the importance of closing school for one day.

At the suggestion of Miss Arrington, all pupils not having an individual drinking cup were requested to get one before the opening of school on Monday.

The honor roll in Miss Brown's room for the week ending Sept. 26th, was Bessie Clarke, Ruben Strange, Mary Wilson, Susie Reams, Mamie Reams, Neppie Wilson and John Yarborough.

THE MOVING PEOPLE

THEIR MOVEMENTS IN AND OUT OF TOWN

Those Who Have Visited Louisburg the Past Week—Those Who Have Gone Elsewhere

Mrs. Otho Lyon, of Oxford, is visiting at Mr. R. P. Taylor's.

Mrs. John Marshall, of Clayton, is visiting Mrs. Anna Collier.

Mrs. P. G. Perry, of Norfolk, is visiting her son, Mr. C. T. Esary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reid, of Kittrell, visited her people here Sunday.

Mr. J. W. Griffin left Saturday to visit his son in Washington City.

Mrs. W. M. Fuller, of Neuse, was a visitor to Louisburg the past week.

Mrs. H. E. Joyner and children arrived Saturday from Bluefield, W. Va.

Mr. Aaron Deitz left Monday for Baltimore where he will purchase a lot of new goods.

Mrs. A. J. Cooke, of Mason, Tenn., was a visitor at the home of Mr. H. A. Matthews recently.

Mrs. Willis Allen and daughter of Enfield, visited Mrs. H. A. Matthews, near town, the past week.

Mr. O. B. White, of Clarksville, Va., visited his daughter, Mrs. J. J. Holmes, near town the past week.

Mrs. B. T. Bailey and brother, Mr. Charlie Clarke, returned from a visit to Clarksville Wednesday.

Mr. P. W. Wheelless left Monday for the northern markets where he will replenish his already large stock of gents furnishings.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Britt returned Sunday from Garner where they had been to attend the funeral of Mrs. Britt's sister.

Messrs. F. S. Clarke, of Danville, Va., and Nathan C. Clarke, of Buffalo Lithia Springs, Va., are visiting their sister, Mrs. B. T. Bailey.

Mr. S. A. Newell, a prominent attorney, of Williamston, was a visitor to his people here the past week. While here he looked over the field with a view to locating in Louisburg.

Rev. — — Durham, a student at Trinity College, Durham, was a visitor to Louisburg Sunday and preached two interesting sermons at the Methodist Church.

A Week at the Moody Bible Institute.

It was the privilege of the writer to spend a week at the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago and to attend the opening exercises of the last term of its twenty-sixth year, which is marked by the largest enrollment of its history.

Almost every State is represented as well as many other countries, among them Australia, Norway, Sweden, Japan, Canada and the British Isles.

From his wide experience and observations as an evangelist, Mr. Moody was convinced that there were many men and women who would be enlarged in their Christian lives and become efficient workers at home and abroad if only they could receive proper training in the English Bible, Gospel Music and Practical Methods of Christian Work.

The plans suggested by him were approved by men and women who were close to him and funds necessary to start the work were contributed by these earnest Christian friends.

The Institute began in a small way; but from its beginning until the present there has been a gradual and healthful growth, under the blessing of God, and because of Mr. Moody's vision, there comes today from all over the world this call for trained workers such as he away back in 1886, had prayed and planned for.

Notwithstanding the crowded condition, an Italian department has been opened, the object of which is the training of young Italians so as to reach the Italians of this country, and also to reach those in their own country. One of the most zealous of students was an Italian who went from the Institute back to Italy and is now working with one of the regular denominational Boards here.

During the first few days of the opening of the term the students were privileged to hear Rev. G. Campbell Morgan, D. D., of London, who spoke to them on the theme "Going out after Soul." He warned the students not to place side by side with Jesus any other such as Confucius or Buddha. "Follow Jesus only, and follow him by way of the cross to the resurrection life. Then only can you shepherd the sheep."

Best wishes to the TIMES and its readers.
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Death of Miss Rebecca Lancaster.

Miss Rebecca Lancaster died last Sunday night in the 57th year of her age, as a result of old age and a fall which she had some ten days before, when attempting to sit in a chair, missing it she fell on the floor. She suffered intensely, but her wound was not considered serious.

Her body was laid to rest in the Harris burying ground, near the residence of Mr. A. J. P. Harris Monday afternoon, Rev. W. M. Gilmore, of Louisburg, officiating.

"Aunt Becky," as she was tenderly called, has made her home with Mr. James Young, near Harris' Cross Roads, for the past thirty years, keeping house for him and rearing his children since his wife's death. She was a most estimable lady, and was beloved by all who knew her. She was a member of the Harris Baptist Church for a number of years. No near relatives survive her.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses were issued to the following couples during the month of September, by Register of Deeds Yarborough:

WHITE—Andrew Williams and Ester Kate Holden, Walter Pleasant and Mrs. W. H. Bunn, C. M. Ayescue and Willie Ball, J. T. Alford and Claude Murray, W. S. Murray and Hattie Conn, E. E. Wright and Hattie Bunn, Eugene Bobbitt and Annie Louise Dean, Ruffin Williams and Cora Morgan, W. L. Burnett and Pearl Conn, Tommie Williams and Sallie Gardner, Vance White and Mattie Jeffreys.

COLORED—Zebudae Cradup and Lucy Smith, Ed. Broddie and Viola Lewis, Lawrence E. Thomas and Viola Williams, Ellis Whitley and Irvie Williams.

Franklinton News.

Mrs. A. S. Kearney, of Raleigh, is visiting her people.

Everybody and his wife and all the kids attended the show last Tuesday.

We saw only one arrest on show day and that was a colored boy from Oxford who ran away from home with the show.

Mrs. G. L. Whitfield, who has been in the Sarah Lee Hospital at Norfolk for a month under treatment, came home last Saturday much improved.

Mr. Jim Nowell, a down on railroad street merchant, while on his way to town from home was bitten by a mad dog last Tuesday. He went to Raleigh Wednesday for treatment.

The mad dog created a lot of excitement Tuesday by his mad career biting chickens, dogs and played havoc generally. The dog belonged to Robt. Collins and is a very large one.

The series of meetings which were held at the Methodist church for one week closed last Sunday night. The doors of the church will be opened next Sunday, October 5th, for the benefit of all who wish to connect themselves with this church.

Bunn Items.

Work is pushing on the erection of Mullen Bros. large brick store on Main Street, and it will soon be completed.

A large crowd was out at the academy last Friday night, and the exercises rendered by the pupils were splendid. After the exercises refreshments were sold by the ladies. A sum of about thirty dollars was raised. This will go to help buy a new piano for the school.

Plans are now being made for the erection of a large sales stable building on Main Street, as a live stock company is being organized.

Many of our people attended the show at Louisburg on last Wednesday. All report a fine time.

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U. D. C.

The Joseph J. Davis Chapter of the U. D. C. will meet Wednesday, Oct. 8th, at 4 o'clock. This will be an especially important meeting, being the last meeting before the unveiling of the Confederate Monument. Many details have to be settled and it is almost impossible to attend to this important business unless we have a full attendance of the members of the Chapter. So it is very earnestly urged by the President that every member be present next Wednesday. Let us all show our interest and enthusiasm by coming out. The place of the meeting will be designated later.

Mrs. J. P. WINSTON, Pres.
Mrs. W. E. UZZALL, Sec'y.