

THE FRANKLIN TIMES

A. F. JOHNSON, Editor and Manager

TAR DROPS

Cotton sold for 11 cents a pound in Louisburg yesterday.

It is to be hoped the cold snap did not kill the fruit.

Mrs. B. W. Ballard and Miss Kate Ballard, of Franklinton, were guests of Mrs. R. F. Yarborough Saturday.

Mr. F. N. Spivey is fitting up a portion of the old building on Main Street next to the Union Warehouse, where he expects to set ice.

AMONG THE VISITORS

Mr. D. F. McKinnis visited Norfolk, Va., the past week.

Mr. T. W. Ruffin returned the past week from a trip to Winston-Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Andrews, of Louisiana, are visiting her sister Mrs. A. W. Person.

Mr. Maury Cralle, of Richmond, Va., was a visitor to friends in Louisburg during the Easter holidays.

Dr. D. T. Smithwick and son Ollie, and Messrs. W. M. Person and John King, Jr., visited Raleigh Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. F. Yarborough and Richard F. Yarborough spent

Sunday in Raleigh guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Bickett.

Mrs. Geo. A. Cralle, formerly of Louisburg, now of Richmond, Va., is visiting Mrs. Wm. H. Ruffin, and is delighted to be with her many friends again.

Constable J. E. Thomas returned Monday from a trip to Norfolk, Va., where he had been to take Parker D. Robbins, a deserter from the Navy, who was caught in Louisburg on Saturday, to be turned over to the Naval authorities.

FRANKLIN COUNTY SCHOOL COLUMN

Items of Interest to Teachers, School Committees, Betterment Associations and People Interested in Public Schools of Franklin County.

Edward L. Best, Superintendent

1. On Wednesday March 23rd, the town of Hillsboro voted \$100,000 in school bonds for a new high school building.

2. The teachers have been notified to send to the office immediately the number of pupils that will attempt the Seventh Grade Examination on the 14th and 15th of April. If I do not hear from a school I will know there are no pupils in that school to take the examination and no questions will be mailed to them. The teachers are requested to read again the rules and regulations concerning the Seventh Grade Examination which may be found in the School Column of January 28th.

3. The following report of the Superintendent's meeting in Greensboro last week comes from Superintendent

dent Hoy Taylor of the Franklinton Graded School. The County and City Superintendents of the state met in Greensboro last week for a study of the school legislation enacted by the recent legislature. The same salary schedule that was adopted last year is to be continued in force, and such restrictions are to be thrown around the administration of the schools as to make it difficult to vary from the legal salary in any community. The effect of this will be to guarantee that the well trained and experienced teacher will receive a very materially higher salary than the teacher with little training and experience. The counties must levy

a tax sufficient to maintain the schools for six months provided that the tax for salaries shall not exceed 30 cents on the \$100 worth of property. Any deficiency after the above tax has been levied is to be made up from the state equalizing fund. The legislature also provided a loan fund of \$5,000,000 to be used in erecting consolidated school buildings in communities where they are needed. This will enable needy communities to obtain money on easy terms without the formality of issuing bonds. New provisions in the law will make it easier for the counties to purchase trucks and pay transportation costs where necessary. Trucks are put in the same class with buildings and equipment and maintenance cost is put with the teachers' salaries.

Dr. Brooks reported that the legislature was entirely friendly to the schools and that all school laws enacted were along the line of progress.

4. The following teachers from the Youngsville and Franklinton Reading Circle Group passed the work satisfactorily according to the report of the Group Leader Mr. J. J. Rose: Mrs. Elizabeth Winston, Miss Gertrude Winston, Miss Burma Perry, Miss Effie Tharrington, Miss Mary Van O'Bryant and Miss Mary Lowery.

5. Through mistake the name of Miss Musa Harris was omitted from the list of teachers in the Cedar Rock and Cypress Creek Reading Circle Group. Miss Harris attended all the meetings and passed a satisfactory examination and will receive full credit for the work.

6. I will be glad to confer with any teacher, who expects to attend a summer school, in regard to the course she should take. This matter should be decided upon before the opening of the summer school. All teachers holding second grade and provisional certificates should attend a county summer school and not a state summer school. The course that a teacher, attending a state summer school, should choose depends upon the following:

- 1. The grade of work she expects to do.
2. Whether or not she is trying to renew her certificate or raise it to a higher class.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912.

Of The Franklin Times published weekly at Louisburg, N. C., for April 1st, 1921. State of North Carolina, County of Franklin, ss:

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared A. F. Johnson, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor of The Franklin Times and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443 Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

- 1. That the name and address of the publisher, editor, managing editor and business manager is: A. F. Johnson, Louisburg, N. C.
2. That the owners are: A. F. Johnson, Louisburg, N. C.
3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: None.

A. F. JOHNSON, Editor. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of March, 1921. H. M. STOVALL, Notary Public. My Com. Expires Jan. 17, 1923.

Not Necessarily. Isn't funning for office something of a contagious disease? I don't know about that; it isn't always catching. Of Course Not. Editor—When you send manuscript madam, always put in a stamped envelope with it; otherwise you won't get it back. But I don't want it back.—Life.

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Experiences Compared. Were you hazed when you were at college? Yes, replied Senator Sorghum; but it wasn't anything like the heckling I have gone through since.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LAND. Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust made Sept. 21, 1917, by Mrs. Ina Mana Harris, to T. W. Ruffin, Trustee, and recorded in Book 210 at page 279, Registry of Franklin Co., N. C., default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, and demand for foreclosure having been made on said trustee by the holder of said indebtedness, the undersigned will on MONDAY, MARCH 28, 1921 at or about the hour of noon at the Court House door in Louisburg, N. C., offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash a certain tract or parcel of land situate in Franklin Co., N. C. and described as follows: Bounded on the North by the old Louisburg-Nashville road; on East by Henry Smith, on South by the new Louisburg-Nashville road, and on West by Mrs. Bud Murphy, containing about six acres, more or less, it being the land conveyed to Mrs. Ina Mana Harris by E. L. Harris and wife, This Feb. 21, 1921. 2-25-21 T. W. RUFFIN, Trustee. The above sale was continued by consent of all parties to MONDAY, APRIL 12th, 1921, at about the hour of noon. This March 28th, 1921. 4-1-21 T. W. RUFFIN, Trustee.



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I GOTTA SCHEME THAT BEATS THAT ALL HOLLER! WHAT?

WHY SHUT DOWN TH' BIZNESS 'N CUT OUT ALL TH' EXPENSES? WHO TELL EN- YOU GOT TH' IDEAS?

If You're Goin' to Be Foolish, Why Not Go the Limit?