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FARM AGENT CONTINUED

Two Cotton Weighers Re-Appointed

Many Reports Received—Clerk Instructed To Buy Desk For Court Room—Resolution Passed Concerning Roads.

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session on Monday with all members present. After approving minutes of previous meeting business as follows was disposed of:

Report of Supt. E. C. Perry, State Welfare, was received and filed. Upon his recommendation H. R. Harris and Rowena McKnight were stricken from outside pauper list—they being dead.

Report of John Hedgepeth, Supt. of County Home, was received and filed. He reports 6 white and 13 colored inmates.

Report of Miss Daisy Caldwell, Home Agent, was received and filed.

The Clerk was instructed to exclude any property from the Bunn Special Taxing School district that had been erroneously listed therein.

J. P. Moore was re-appointed Cotton weigher for Louisburg for a term of two years.

Report of T. W. Stokes, Justice of the Peace, was received and filed. He reports \$10 fines collected.

D. N. Neims was allowed drawback on \$370 worth of property, error in listing.

Report of T. S. Dean and J. R. Earl, Committee to investigate Nat Cannady's turkeys killed by dogs, was filed, that they had investigated the same and at the request of Mrs. Cannady the matter was dropped.

Report of J. R. Jones, Committee on Matthew Wilder's turkeys killed by dogs, was received and filed.

J. H. Cooke was re-appointed Cotton weigher for Franklin for a term of two years.

Sam Perry was assigned to Louisburg township roads upon payment of costs.

Mrs. Mollie Wood was placed on Mother's Aid list at \$12.00 per month.

Report of Cole Savage, Farm Agent, was received and filed.

Upon motion of Commissioner Jones the Farm Demonstration work was continued for another year to begin December 1st.

An election to vote off the special school tax in Epsom School district, in order to dissolve the district was granted.

The forty cent bond tax for Epsom School district was stricken off.

Report of J. A. Hodges, Auditor, was received and filed.

Chairman and Clerk were authorized to renew all notes falling due before the next regular meeting.

It was ordered that the County purchase a terracing machine for the Farm Agent, not to exceed \$25.

A resolution asking Granville County Road Commission to complete its road from Hester to Franklin County line, according to an agreement made with this Board some time ago so that the State can take it over was unanimously passed.

A resolution urging the State Highway Commission to build and hard-surface the road from Franklin to Louisburg first of anything else out of the funds due this County from the State was unanimously passed.

The Clerk of the Court was authorized to purchase a desk for the Court room.

After allowing a number of accounts the Board adjourned to meet again on call.

EARL UNDERWOOD CONVICTED HERE

Earl Underwood, well known Youngsville man, was found guilty of transporting whiskey when he appeared for trial in City Court yesterday before Judge Harris. Underwood was charged with possessing the liquor which was found in the home of Julian Woodall and his wife at 208 Parrish street on October 3. The Woodalls will be given a hearing today, their case having been previously continued on the ground of newly discovered evidence. Underwood was fined \$100 and costs. Judge Harris explained that the reason that a road sentence was not imposed was because of the records of Underwood's former good character and the fact that this was his first offense. He was a former Major in the North Carolina National Guard, and former deputy Register of Deeds for Franklin county.

Witnesses for the prosecution stated that they saw Underwood at the home of the Woodalls with whiskey on the 2nd and 3rd of October, and that he was seen taking orders for the hooch in a store in Watson's Field.—News-Observer.

MRS. McM. FURGURSON ENTER-TAINS.

On Thursday afternoon of last week Mrs. McM. Furgurson delightfully entertained at an informal tea, in honor of her sister, Mrs. T. C. Surber, of St. Paul, Minn., at her home on Sunset Avenue. Quite a large number attended between the hours of four and five o'clock.

The home was beautifully decorated and delicious refreshments were served.

EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD SALES

One Warehouse Sells 60,000 Pounds at Average of \$25.62—Louisburg Market Standing in Front Line.

With the Louisburg Tobacco Market standing in the front line blazing the way for others to follow in high prices many farmers are coming to Louisburg to sell their crop and are going away with the broad smile of satisfaction.

All Warehouses report heavy sales the past week and prices have been unusually high on all types. One Warehouse reports a 60,000 pound sale on Tuesday at an average of \$25.62. Considering the quality the sale was unusually satisfactory and the farmers were more than well pleased.

The prominence of the Louisburg market this season is demonstrated in the fact that you see farmers on the floor daily that have been selling their crop on other markets. They are free in their expressions that they realize that the Louisburg market pays as much, if not more, than neighboring markets.

The Warehousemen and business men in general are leaving nothing undone to make your visit to Louisburg profitable in every way, and will appreciate a visit from you at all times.

ORPHANAGE CLASS PLEASES LOUISBURG PEOPLE

With bright smiles, cheery songs and peppy recitations, a class from the Raleigh Methodist Orphanage gave an inspirational program to a packed house at the Louisburg M. E. Church, South, Sunday night. This program took the place of the regular evening services to which the Baptists gave way. Eleven orphans, with Miss Reece as chaperon, composed the party. They sang sweetly and recited cheerfully to the delight of the entire audience. Rock of Ages, in song and pantomime, filled the hearts present with joy. No collection was taken.

THE FACULTY OF LOUISBURG COLLEGE ENTERTAINS STUDENTS

The faculty of Louisburg College delightfully entertained the students at a Hallowe'en party given Saturday evening, October 31st. As the guests went down the steps and through the hall ghosts, witches and other spooks stepped forward to increase their fright. The library was artistically decorated in autumn leaves and Hallowe'en phantoms. Contests were enjoyed by all present. John Brown's body, guarded by a ghost who told gruesome tales about the dead man, was a great success.

For refreshments, apples, hot chocolate, cakes and sandwiches were served.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT AT PARTY

A Hallowe'en party was given on last Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Howell for Mrs. Howell's sister, Miss Juanita Bunn.

The rooms were decorated with ferns and yellow and black crepe paper, shades were made for the lights of yellow crepe paper, black cats, witches and pumpkins were also used for decorations.

The guests began to arrive about 7 o'clock, were met at the door by Miss Doze Upchurch. While the guests were being served, the wedding march was sounded, and Master Thomas Wheless and Miss Jean Fleming dressed as bride and groom, presented each guest with a little white bell bearing the following announcement: Bagwell-Bunn, 12-25-'25, announcing the engagement of Miss Juanita Bunn to Mr. Leo H. Bagwell, of Raleigh.

Punch, ice cream and cake and salted peanuts were served during the evening. Games were played and music furnished throughout the evening. There were about 35 guests present.

ELECT GRADED SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

The regular election for three Trustees for the W. R. Mills Graded School was held in the Court House on Saturday. The vote was especially small only 186 votes being cast. The final count resulted as follows with the first three being elected:

Mrs. W. E. White, 118.
T. W. Watson, 109.
F. J. Beasley, 102.

Dr. H. G. Perry, 85.

D. G. Pearce, 84.

W. B. Tucker, 45.

Mrs. White and Mr. Watson were re-elected, having been members of the board their time expiring at this time. Mr. Beasley was elected to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. T. W. Rufin moving to Raleigh.

AT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Pastor J. D. Miller, announces the following services for St. Paul's Episcopal church for next Sunday:

Sunday School, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

Evening Prayer at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

All are cordially invited to attend these services.

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LOUISBURG BAPTISTS DEDICATE ANNEX

Pr. T. J. Taylor Preaches Consecration Sermon For S. S. Addition.

With Dr. T. J. Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Warrenton, preaching the dedication sermon to a county-wide audience Louisburg Baptist church dedicated its new four-room, brick, Sunday School addition Sunday. It was dedicated to the memory of two Louisburg Baptists who have long and faithful records as members of this church, Judge C. M. Cooke and the late Dr. W. B. Morton. Both were noted Sunday School teachers in their day and both were personal friends of Dr. T. J. Taylor.

People from Franklin, Cedar Rock, Epsom, Flat Rock, Moulton and Centerville were in attendance. The ladies of the church served a spread dinner to all in the Sunday school basement, making it an all-day affair. Reports of church committees were received in the afternoon.

TO THE PATRONS OF RURAL ROUTE NO. 1, BUNN, N. C., EAST SIDE OF TAR RIVER

I have been informed by a member of the Board of County Commissioners that they would meet Saturday, Nov. 7th, 1925, at Anderson's bridge to have torn away one half of wing of Anderson's bridge on Tar river west side, this wing being about 400 ft. long and extends out to the edge of hill on west side and then building a short abutment. The freshet of 1924 covered about 20 ft. of this wing last four days.

On the East side of Tar river I serve ninety-three boxes and one hundred twenty-nine families. Now if this wing is taken away then during high water these patrons on East side may expect to do without mail delivery from one to four days.

My suggestion is this, instead of taking away the wing at Anderson's bridge, build a wing three hundred feet long on the East side of Ferrall's bridge as I have already driven over one thousand miles doubling back in the past 21 years to deliver mail during freshets in the river.

Should some one ask how I served previous to the building of this wing on Anderson's bridge? At that time I drove a horse and when I could not ford at Anderson's I left my route and drove four miles up the river to Mulford's bridge, sometimes being able to ford there.

Since I drive a Ford car now that cannot be done.

H. H. HOGBOOD,
Rural Carrier, Bunn, N. C.

RECODER'S COURT

Judge G. M. Beam, assisted by Mr. M. C. Pearce, as prosecuting attorney, disposed of the following cases in Franklin Recorder's Court Monday:

State vs Louis R. Southall, assault with deadly weapon, probable cause, transferred to Superior Court.

State vs James Wright, non-support, not guilty.

State vs Lawson Taylor, assault, guilty, prayer for judgment continued upon payment of costs.

State vs John Egerton, house breaking and larceny, transferred to Superior Court.

State vs E. B. Franklin, removing crops, no pros with leave.

EPSOM NEWS

The Parent-Teacher's Association of Epsom school had a very successful meeting on Friday afternoon. Mrs. W. G. Kearney, the president, called the meeting to order. The following program was given:

Trip, Autumn Lullaby, Misses Brown Woodell and Mrs. Wilson.

Talk, Mrs. P. C. Sellars, President of Henderson P. T. A.

Duet, The Great Divide, Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Gill.

How the Parents Can Help the Teachers, Miss Johnson.

What the Parents Expect of the Teachers, Mrs. Weldon.

It was decided that the Association should give a bazaar before Christmas. The fourth grade mothers served cake and pickle which proved a pleasant surprise for the other members.

The fifth grade had the most mothers present.

The many friends of Mrs. G. W. Marion will be glad to know that she is at home, after having undergone an operation for appendicitis.

Miss Brown's fifth grade conducted chapel Monday morning. The program was on smiles. A most appropriate subject for a rainy Monday. Every reading and song carried out the idea of the program. The jokes by Wallace Edwards and the jumping jacks added brightness to the gloomy morning.

George Medlin, a former student here from Wake Forest was called upon in chapel. He responded in his usual clever manner with a bit of humor, and then gave a beautiful poem on the Old North State.

CEDAR ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH

Services, Nov. 8. Preaching, Saturday, 3 o'clock. Sunday School, 10 o'clock. Preaching by Pastor Downey, 11 o'clock. B. Y. P. U. 6:30 o'clock.

EPSOM DISTRICT SURRENDERS CHARTER

Financial Report Received and Order Published—Petition For Election In Gold-Sand District Received, Action Postponed.

The Board of Education met in regular session Monday with A. F. Johnson, T. H. Dickens, J. H. Joyner and W. A. Mullin present. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

The Financial Report and audit for the school account for 1924-25 was received and the Superintendent was instructed to have the audit published.

The superintendent was instructed to investigate the advisability of adding additional transportation for some of the children in the Seven Paths District.

The following petition from the Epsom School District was presented and the Board granted the same and therefore assumes the complete control and full jurisdiction of that portion of said Epsom School District situated in Franklin County:

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees of Epsom School District, the same being a special charter joint school district, hereby respectfully petition the County Boards of Education of Franklin and Vance Counties to assume full jurisdiction of said special charter district, the County Board of Education of Franklin County to assume complete control and full jurisdiction of that portion of said special charter district situated in Franklin County and the County Board of Education of Vance County to assume complete control and full jurisdiction of that portion of said special charter district situated in Vance County, and be it further resolved that the Board of Trustees of said Epsom School District hereby authorize and empower the Chairman and Secretary of said Board of Trustees to convey all of the school property to good and sufficient deed to the County Boards of Education of Vance and Franklin Counties, and to that end the Chairman of said Board is authorized to execute such deed as may be necessary in the name of said Board of Trustees to be attested by the Secretary, and to deliver the same to the said County Boards of Education of Franklin and Vance Counties.

This the 21st day of October, 1925.

Signed by

W. L. Duke, Chairman.

A. A. Medlin, Secretary.

G. T. Ayscue.

J. T. Weldon.

G. W. Finch.

Trustees of Epsom School District.

A petition from that part of the Epsom School District situated in Franklin County with the required number of qualified voters, was presented to the Board, asking for an election to be held in this territory on the question of revoking the special tax and abolishing the district. The petition was approved and the County Commissioners were requested to order the election.

A petition from the proposed Gold Sand Special Taxing District asking for an election on the question of a 50 cents local tax was presented to the Board. The Board deferred its approval of this petition until the first Monday in December.

W. B. Privett was appointed a school committee man for the Riley's School District.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned to meet again the first Monday in December.

FRANKLIN COUNTY'S FORMER FARM AGENTS.

Franklin County farm demonstration history is summed by Dr. C. B. Smith, chief of the Extension Service, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., as follows:

"Mr. Thomas J. Harris was the first county agent in Franklin County, being appointed November 22, 1910, at a total salary of \$60 per month, \$30 per month being by the county and \$30 by the General Education Board, of New York. This Department paid Mr. Harris \$1.00 per annum at that time. He resigned January 31, 1915. When first appointed Mr. Harris was employed for ten months of the year and worked five days each week. At the time he resigned Mr. Harris was receiving \$50 per month from this Department and as far as we know, \$30 per month from the county. His successor, Mr. John A. Boone, was appointed on February 22, 1916, and resigned December 31, 1916. At the time of his resignation his total salary was \$100 per month, \$20 being paid by this Department, \$30 from Smith-Lever funds, and \$50 by the county. Mr. Charles H. Stanton was appointed January 1, 1918, at a total salary of \$150 per month, \$117 of which was paid by this Department and \$33 by the county. He resigned September 30, 1919, at which time he was receiving a total salary of \$165 per month, \$50 from the Department, \$65 from Smith-Lever funds and \$50 from the county."

An added feature will be the final game on American soil this year between the original American and British auto polo teams, who are leaving for a twelve week tour of Australia in December. These teams enjoy the distinction of playing before crowned heads in Europe and Asia and before the leading fairs and expositions in America. Armistice day is to be a Gala event here and much activity is planned to entertain the thousands of visitors expected in the city. The auto racing program will start at 2:00 p. m. following the big military banquet and demonstration.

AUXILIARY AND THE BOYS