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ANNUAL BARBECUE
AT COUNTY HOME

Col. C. L. McGhee, Master of Ceremonies, Hon. Ben T. Holden, Supt. E. L. Best, Mr. W. L. Lumpkins Make Excellent Talks

A most delightful barbecue supper was served at the county home on Friday afternoon of last week at 6 o'clock to the county officials, township road officials, school committees, women's clubs and a number of invited guests. Supt. and Mrs. John Hedgepeth had prepared the best cook which was cooked by Messrs. Joel Z. Terrell and Noel Smith, one had eaten, with plenty of fine briswick stew, cake, pickle, pies, etc. All present partook of a most generous repast and were enthusiastic in their appreciations of the occasion. Col. C. L. McGhee, Commissioner from Franklin, was master of ceremonies and presided with much ease and dignity. Hon. Ben T. Holden, Supt. E. L. Best and Mr. W. L. Lumpkins made excellent talks, pointing with pride to the record of the present Board and the several units of government represented, especially the county home which now stood as a source of pride to each person in the county.

The entire occasion was one of great enjoyment to the visitors as well as the inmates.

Mr. R. T. Harris Wins Pig

At the drawing held by the Louisville Milling Company on last Saturday, Mr. R. T. Harris was the possessor of the lucky ticket and took home the pig. Several numbers were drawn before that held by Mr. Harris but the winners of these numbers were not present and another had to be drawn.

A second pig will be given away by this company on Saturday, September 1, and holders of the present tickets may yet be lucky enough to get this pig.

G. A. Meeting

The Girls Auxiliary of the Louisville Baptist church met with Atha Lee Boone July 26, 1923. The Juniors had charge of the program.

The following program was rendered: Song: We've a story to tell to the nation.

Watchword: Isaiah 60:1. Prayer by Mrs. Howell.

Business: Collection of dues and minutes of last meeting and roll call.

Topic: Japan. Devotional by Melba Dean Robertson.

Prayer by Elizabeth Newell.

Song: Orient for Christ.

Talks on Japan by Beatrice Godfrey.

Poem by Dorothy Wiggs.

Interesting things we have learned about Japan, by Class.

Poem by Lucy Leonard.

Special music by Christine Liles and Melba Dean Robertson.

Quiz by Mrs. Howell.

Dismissed with sentence prayer.

After the program delicious refreshments were served and we adjourned to meet with Eloise Simpson August 23rd.

"Of Royal Lineage"

The above will be the subject of pastor Daniel Lane at the morning service at the Methodist church Sunday.

The union service will be held at the Methodist church on next Sunday night at 8 o'clock. Rev. Daniel Lane, pastor, will preach from the text "Refreshing Christians."

All are invited to attend these services.

MRS. C. E. TIMBERLAKE
DIES AT YOUNGVILLE

Youngville, July 30.—Mrs. C. E. Timberlake died suddenly at her home in Youngville Sunday at 9:30 o'clock. She is survived by one brother, Frank Clements, and one sister, Mrs. Rosa Clements, both of Petersburg, Va. Mrs. Timberlake was a faithful member of Youngville Baptist church, and one of Youngville's most beloved and highly esteemed women.

Birthday Dinner

Mrs. J. W. Swanson, old in years, but young in spirit, enjoyed having a host of her friends and near relatives to help her celebrate her sixtieth birthday on Sunday, July 29th at the home of her son Mr. Walter M. Swanson near Red Oak. A table had been prepared for the occasion and it was burdened with the heavy load it carried to feed such a crowd. There was plenty of everything eatable and some left. The day was enjoyed by all and they wished Mrs. Swanson could have a birthday like this one every month and never grow older. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Griffin, Cedar Rock; Mr. and Mrs. June P. Leonard, Castalia R. 1; Mrs. G. D. Griffin, Wood; Mr. and Mrs. A. S. J. Hamlet, Wood; Mrs. C. T. Denton, Wood; Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Mitchell, Cedar Rock; Mr. Joe Hedgepeth, Castalia; Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Wiggs, Castalia; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lattie, Nashville; Misses Annie and Bliss Griffin, Castalia and thirty-one grandchildren.

GOOD PRICES FOR
GEORGIA TOBACCO

Sales Heavy On the Opening Day, With Record Season Freely Predicted

Macon, Ga., Aug. 1.—Tobacco made history in South Georgia today, record quantity and quality bringing a flood of gold from opening day prices, equalling, and in some cases better than those for previous seasons. Carnivals were enacted in the 22 towns where warehouses were humming all day with the cries of the auctioneers.

Business felt the keen stimulus of prices that averaged between 15 and 20 cents for the initial day of a tobacco season which is expected to see total sales approximating 68,000,000. Most of the tobacco offered today consisted of sand lugs, but was declared to be of the best quality in years, bright in color and light in weight, making for prices above the usual level for the grade of the weed.

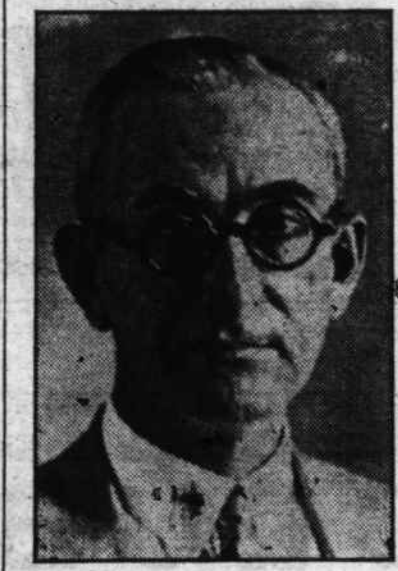
SCHOOLS TO BEGIN
ON SEPTEMBER 3RD

Supt. W. E. Howard, supervising principal of the Gold Sand School District schools, announces that the schools of the Gold Sand School district, composed of Gold Mine and Sandy Creek townships, will open Monday, September 3. On Saturday, August 25 all the teachers of the district will meet at the Gold Sand School and arrange to be in their respective communities during the week preceding the opening of school.

The parents and teachers of each school will meet at their schools at ten o'clock on Friday, August 31st, for discussion of local school problems. At twelve o'clock on the same day the teachers will meet the children and give out book lists so that the children may get books on Saturday before the opening of school.

He also stated that he would be in his office at Gold Sand from 9 to 12 a. m. and from 1 to 4 p. m. on Wednesday and Thursday, August 29 and 30 to help the high school students arrange their courses for the year. All students should have courses definitely arranged before school starts.

The Parent-Teacher Association of the Gold Sand School will hold its regular meeting Wednesday night, August 15. A regular program will be presented and refreshments served. This is the last regular meeting before school starts and many topics of interest will be discussed. All patrons of the school should be present.



MR. THOMAS WAYLAND WATSON

Who was nominated with a big majority in the recent Democratic primary for County Commissioner from the Fifth District, composed of Cypress Creek and Louisville townships. Mr. Watson is thoroughly conversant with financial matters in Franklin county, having served as cashier of the First National Bank for a number of years and is now enjoying a successful insurance business. He is also a Director of the First National Bank, and served Franklin county in the capacity of Tax Supervisor. He has served the Louisville school district as trustee several years in a most capable manner.

His many friends are enthusiastic in that his ability will serve Franklin county well in this time of strenuous finance.

Samuel Henry Perry Dead

He was born July 1st, 1910, and died July 21st, 1923, age 13 years and 20 days. He was the youngest son of Mr. W. G. Perry. He had been sick for but a short while and confined to his bed for but little more than two weeks. All that was done for him was to no avail. His condition in no measure heeded medical aid and he died a victim of typhoid fever. He leaves an aged father and several brothers and sisters, one sister having died only 16 days before. The entire community extends deepest sympathy in the bereavement of the family.

A man in Russia claims to be 132 years old. Probably living there, makes it seem that long.

With the Smith Family at Albany.



"Congratulations, All Shake!" or words to that effect, seem to be what "Jeff" Governor Alfred E. Smith's prize Great Dane, was attempting to get across to his master as this picture was snapped on the grounds of the executive mansion, at Albany, N. Y., while members of the governor's family looked on. Left to right are Alfred E. Smith, Jr., Mrs. Alfred E. Smith, Jr., James A. Warner, son-in-law of the governor; Mrs. John A. Warner, Governor Smith, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Arthur Smith and Arthur Smith.

Baptist Church Services for
Sunday

The union services of all the churches in Louisville will be held at the Methodist church Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Intermediate and Senior B. Y. P. U. will meet at the Baptist church at 7 p. m. sharp next Sunday.

Sunday school will be held at the Baptist church at 9:45 a. m.

The R. A. will reorganize Friday night at 7:30 o'clock and start on its fall and winter program. Every boy between the ages of 9 and 15 are invited to join.

A native Rumanian missionary will speak at the Baptist church Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

The public is invited to attend all these services.

Motor Sales Co. Opens
Branch At Henderson

The Motor Sales Co. of Warrenton, dealers in the popular Pontiac and Oakland automobiles have opened branch sales rooms and service station in Henderson. This is an important move on the part of this well established company and their new location will not only add much to their sales end, but will be of a great convenience to the owners of these cars who may be in need of service.

This company is contemplating opening a sales and service rooms in Louisville in the near future.

Junior B. Y. P. U. Program

Every mother and father of the Juniors are invited to be present Sunday night. Come out and see and hear what the boys and girls are doing.

President: Glenn Hudson in charge.

Song: America.

Sentence prayer.

Song: Faith of Our Fathers.

Records, business, new members, etc.

Bible reading and memory work drill, Miss Godfrey.

Group 2, Melba D. Robertson captain.

Subject: Our neighbors from other lands.

Scripture reading Luke 10:29-37.

Dorothy Wiggs, Edna Perry.

Jesus teaching about our neighbors.

Melba D. Robertson.

Why the foreigner came to America.

Gertrude Foster.

How we receive them, Glenn Hudson.

What the home mission board is doing for the foreigner, Laura Wiggs.

Good will centers, Edith Toone.

Our neighbor, the negro, Jimmie Person.

Sword drill, Miss Godfrey.

Leaders ten minutes, Mr. Williams.

Wood News

Mrs. W. D. Fuller and Arch H. Perry attended the women's short course at Raleigh last week.

Misses Irene and Pearl Guppton, Leona Raynor and Mary Sturges spent last week in Rocky Mount.

Mrs. L. H. Shearin spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Noah Williams, at Cedar Rock.

Mr. Joe Mabry, of Hollister, spent Saturday night with J. Raymond Shearin.

He was accompanied home Sunday morning by J. Raymond Shearin and Austin Fuller who spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Wester spent several days last week visiting their son, Guss Wester and wife, of Rocky Mount.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Denton, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Guppton and daughter, Elsie, returned Sunday from a visit to relatives at Petersburg, Va.

Messrs. Wilbur Raynor and Ned Guppton went to Rich Square the past week end.

I. C. J.

Tunney Knocks Out Heenev
In The Eleventh Round

Yankee Stadium, New York, July 26.—Blinded and staggering, his face a bloody smear, Tom Heenev, the hard rock from down under, collapsed and fell a victim of the technical knockout in the 11th round of his world's heavyweight championship battle with Gene Tunney.

Heenev, born and bred in New York, and defending his title at home for the first time, cut the sturdy, courageous New Zealander to pieces, subjecting him to one of the worst beatings a challenger ever received.

50,000 See Battle

Upward of 50,000 spectators saw Heenev wade into unbroken slaughter through round after round as Tunney, the master boxer, lashed his face with left hooks and pounded his heart with vicious solid rights.

Heenev came charging in like a bull, but the elusive Tunney, cool and collected, evaded his wild rights to the jaw and stabbed him with lefts to the face until the thud of the gloves against Heenev's cut and bruised face almost became monotonous.

The Associated Press score card showed Tunney winning at least nine out of the 11 rounds, with Heenev winning the first and dividing honors with the title holder in the second.

Heenev's major offense was the first round. After that he was a badly pounded target who, although boring in with tireless energy, could never escape Tunney's masterful attack.

The crowd, estimated in excess of 50,000 with gate receipts approximating \$750,000, was the smallest to witness a world's heavyweight championship battle since the fiasco at Shelby, five years ago when Jack Dempsey ruined the banks of the boom town by defeating Tommy Gibbons.

Mrs. Kate Perry Patton Dead

She was born in 1902 and married to Willie Patton March 26th, 1917. She was the daughter of W. G. Perry and Della Harris Perry. She leaves the aged father and brothers and sisters as follows: S. W. Perry, Knoxville, Tenn.; D. G. Perry, of Durham, B. E. W. G. S. W., J. R. Perry, of Zebulon, Mrs. J. O. Vaughan, of Franklin and Mrs. L. H. Strickland, of Zebulon. She was a good sister, a loving wife and a faithful mother of four children, Everett Glenn, Nannie Lee, Bruce Clinton, Margaret Olivia Patton. And was called from earth to heaven June 6th, 1923.

The community joins in sympathy with her loved ones in their sad bereavement.

Baptist Encampment For
Tar River Association

Boys and girls from nine to sixteen are urged to come to the encampment for R. A.'s from August 13 through the 17th. The place is Laurel Mill near Mount Zion Baptist church, Franklin county. The houses are as nice as can be the pond is ideal for swimming. What could be more fun or more help than a week spent in camp studying for our Master and living in His great out of doors.

Bring the things with you that were listed in last week's Franklin Times.

Notice

There will be no services at Leah's Chapel or Prospect on Sunday, August 5, due to the fact that the pastor will be away in a revival.

There will be a union service at the Bunn Methodist church Sunday at 8 p. m. Rev. R. T. Brown, the pastor of the Bunn Baptist church will preach.

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NEGRO KILLED
NEAR FRANKLINTON

Edwin Pender Goes To Home of Al Harris and Shoots Him

Edwin (Jumbo) Pender shot and killed Al Harris, both colored, at the latter's home about one and a half miles east of Franklinton, at 1:30 o'clock Sunday morning.

Pender was given a hearing before Mayor J. O. Pernell Sunday, who after hearing the evidence bound him over to the Superior Court under a \$500 bond. The bond was promptly given.

Constable Wiggs, at the request of Sheriff F. W. Justice was in charge of the prisoner and says that the evidence showed that Pender heard Harris and Harris' wife having trouble and he (Pender) after putting his pistol in his pocket and eating supper late went down to Harris house, almost half a mile, and asked admittance, being refused he started away, and Harris opened the door, when Pender shot Harris.

The ball took effect in the right shoulder ranging to the neck, death coming almost instantly.

Harris was an employee of Pender and about a month before they had had trouble, resulting in Pender ordering Harris to move telling him he needed his house.

Pender bears the reputation of being a progressive, hard working negro, while Harris is described as of the worthless class.

Recorders Court

Most of the cases before Franklin Records Court Monday were continued to a future date. Several, however, were tried. The docket as disposed of was as follows:

State vs Willie Jeffreys, carrying concealed weapon, guilty, 4 months on roads.

State vs William Green, operating automobile intoxicated, guilty, fined \$50 and costs and revoked driving license for 6 months.

State vs R. W. Woodlief, worthless check, guilty, 28 days in jail, not to execute upon payment of check and costs. Appeal.

State vs J. W. Woodlief, worthless check, guilty, 28 days in jail, not to execute upon payment of check and costs.

State vs Claude Wrenn, violating prohibition law, guilty, prayer for judgment continued upon payment of costs.

The following cases were continued:

State vs George Hartsfield, distilling.

State vs Ira Mabry, abandonment.

State vs Charlie Glover, assault with deadly weapon.

State vs Charlie Glover, violating prohibition law.

State vs Robert E. Perry, false pretense.

State vs Otho Steed, carrying conviction law.

State vs Otho Steed, carrying concealed weapon.

State vs C. E. Wilson, operating automobile intoxicated.

The Welfare Board Meets

The Welfare Board met in Supt. E. C. Perry's office Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Those present were Messrs. R. C. Beck, J. L. Palmer, R. F. Yarborough of Louisville, Messdames S. C. Williams, George Gilliam, Hubert Utley and T. W. Whedbee, of Franklinton and Mrs. T. H. Dickens of White Level, and Supt. E. C. Perry.

The report of Mothers Aid in the county proved how splendid and helpful this organization. Severe sickness in several families reported relieved. Clothing sent to several.

The Franklinton committee reported several lines of progressive work. The Board decided to ask the public for clothing for children and grown ups. There is a large call for clothing.

The Board unanimously voted the purchase of a cow in welfare work. Efforts to raise funds will begin.

Child's Good Citizens League

In interest of the little folks of Louisville Mrs. R. F. Yarborough is undertaking the organization of a Good Citizens League for children of age from 6 to 10. There are no dues or difficult obligations. The motto, creed and pledge show the object of organization.

Motto: Responsibility.

Creed: I live in one of the best countries in the world and wish to do all I can to make it better.

Pledge: Every day I will do at least one thing to show that I am a good citizen.

The last obligation is not tedious but will require assistance of parent or older member of family.

Childs name and age at the top of a sheet of paper or in book. Then each day record deed or deeds for that day. The honor roll will include those who make 25 points during month.

The simplest service counts where little hands help mother and father at home or elsewhere.

The children are invited to meet on Mrs. R. F. Yarborough's lawn Saturday morning.

Milk from contented cows is advertised, but so far no one has mentioned anything about gasoline from contented oil wells.