

Local Happenings

Cotton was worth 9 1-4 cents a pound in Louisburg yesterday.

MRS. JEFFRESS HONORED

Honoring Mrs. Thornton Jeffress, of Louisburg, whose wedding took place recently, Mesdames M. S. Clifton and L. E. Scoggin delightfully entertained at a tea at the home of Mrs. Clifton on North Church Street, on Friday afternoon from 4:30 to 5:30 o'clock.

The home was beautifully decorated with potted plants and a color scheme of yellow and green prevailed.

Little Miss Martha Gray King received the cards of the guests at the door and the guests were welcomed by Mrs. F. N. Egerton and introduced to the receiving line which was composed of Mesdames M. S. Clifton, Thornton Jeffress, and L. E. Scoggin.

Mrs. J. L. Palmer ushered the guests into the dining room where Mesdames S. J. Parham and B. B. Perry poured Russian Tea from beautiful old silver teapots and Misses Helen Leigh Fleming, Elizabeth, Sophia and Mary Anna Clifton served delicious sandwiches and mints. Mrs. James B. King met the guests as they departed from the dining room and bid the guests farewell.

ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Stapleton Allen, Jr., delightfully entertained the bridge club of the younger set of Louisburg on Saturday afternoon at her home on North Main Street.

The home was prettily decorated with flowers and evergreens, softly-toned with, beautiful shaded lights.

An afternoon of enjoyment and entertainment was had by the guests and the hostess served a delicious salad course.

The guests of Mrs. Allen were Misses Margaret Turner, Elizabeth Clifton, Elizabeth Timberlake, Lucy Clifton Boddie, Louise Joyner, Anna Fuller Parham, Mrs. F. N. Egerton and Mrs. Conrad Sturges, of Henderson.

MISS CALDWELL GOES TO IREDELL

It is with great regret that the people of Louisburg and Franklin County learn of Miss Daisy Caldwell's, the County Home Demonstration Agent, leaving the County at the first of the year. Miss Caldwell states that she leaves for Iredell County where she will hold the position of Home Agent in that County, her headquarters being at Statesville.

Miss Caldwell has served this County exceptionally well in her field of work, giving much to the improvement of the Home Agent work and deserves a great deal of credit for the raising and improvement of the rural standards of living in the County. Her service and work in the County is well pronounced and is infinitely appreciated by the people of the County.

She will be succeeded by Miss Frances Crafton, who comes from Madison County highly recommended by the Department and very efficient in this field of work.

CURRENT LITERATURE CLUB

On Tuesday afternoon December 9th the members of the Current Literature club met in the college parlor with Miss Anna Dennison as hostess. The meeting was presided over by Miss Lillie Letton in the absence of the president. After a short business meeting the following program was given.

Paper: Life and work of Debussey—Miss Letton.

Libretto of "Pellice et Melisande"—Miss Loulla Jarman.

Music—"In the village from the caucasian Sketches" by Mippolito-ironoff.

Of the Tailor and a Bear—E. MacDowell.

Talk: Mary Garden in Charpentier's "Louise"—Miss Betts.

Paper: The World's great Opera houses—Miss Mary Yarborough.

During the social hour delicious refreshments were served in two courses. The club then adjourned to meet with Mrs. McM. Ferguson on January 13th, 1931.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Little Eudean Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Young, celebrated her first birthday Saturday, December 6, 1930. Her grand parents, uncles, aunts and other relatives met at her home Saturday morning and entertained her through the day, thus causing her to spend a happy and joyful time. She received many beautiful and useful gifts.

Everyone left wishing her many more happy birthdays.

FIDDLER'S CONVENTION AND BOX PARTY

An old time fiddlers' convention and box party will be held at Edward Best High School at 7:30 Tuesday night December 16. A number have entered their names in the contest and others are expected to be added. A large number of boxes have been promised and an evening of fun is planned. No cash prizes will be awarded as the entire proceeds will be used in securing much-needed equipment for the girls' basket ball team. An admission charge of ten cents will be made for all under twelve years of age and fifteen cents for twelve years and over. Boxes will be sold at auction.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE METHODIST CHURCH

"False Prophets" will be the Sunday morning sermon subject of Rev. A. D. Wilcox, pastor of the Louisburg Methodist Church next Sunday at 11 o'clock. In the evening at 7:30 the services will be conducted by the Sacred Choir of Louisburg College. At this hour a full program of choruses and solos, both vocal and instrumental will be rendered. The public is cordially invited.

LOUISBURG BAPTIST CHURCH

Dr. — Lynch, of Wake Forest, will preach at the Baptist Church in Louisburg next Sunday morning, according to announcement, at the regular 11 o'clock service. A cordial invitation is extended all to go out and hear Dr. Lynch.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The only service to be held at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, according to announcement of Rev. J. D. Miller, rector, next Sunday will be Evening Prayer, at 7:30 o'clock at which time the pastor will discuss the subject "Ministers and Sacraments." The public is invited.

Miss Perry Wins Prize

Miss Juanita Perry of Bunn High School was declared winner of the Franklin County High School League oratorical contest which was held at the Youngsville High School Friday night, December 5. All seven high schools in the county entered the contest and were awarded placings in the following order—Miss Juanita Perry, Bunn; Miss Clara Belle Goswick, Youngsville; Howard Williams, Edward Best; Thomas Speed, Gold Sand; Miss Mary Ethel Winn, Epsom; Miss Louise Layton, Franklinton; and Miss Tempe Yarborough, Louisburg. The subject of all orations was, "Educational Opportunities and Limitations in Franklin County". Much instructive material was presented by these young orators. The contest was in charge of E. T. Parham, principal of the Youngsville district schools.

In addition to the oratorical contest the Franklin County High School League has completed contests in both boys' and girls' playground baseball. The next contests to be taken up will be basketball for both boys and girls. Following these will come music, essay, boys' and girls' track, reading, declamation, glee club, and tennis.

The League offers a trophy for the best all-round school. All contests are given the same rating and a score card showing the standing of schools is kept. This trophy was won by the Franklinton school last year, but this session Bunn has taken the lead with Franklinton, Gold Sand and Edward Best close on her heels. Separated from this group by only a narrow margin are Youngsville, Louisburg and Epsom. Any of the seven schools has a chance at the county championship as points are awarded for all seven places and only a few points separate any of these schools.

USE N. C. MADE GOODS

The State Department of Conservation and Development is beginning a campaign this week to urge people to "Give Something Made in North Carolina for Christmas". Letters have been sent out to merchants and manufacturers groups by the Department asking them to cooperate in making North Carolina made goods available to the public. The suggestion is made that retail stores set up a North Carolina made goods counter in a prominent location so that Christmas shoppers will have an opportunity to inspect the merchandise that is made in this State. The Department plans to reach the public through the press, over the radio stations and through the various civic and women's clubs in North Carolina.

In discussing the purpose of such a campaign, the following reasons for it were advanced:

"First, the gifts would be useful and serviceable and would do the maximum amount of good to those who receive them.

"Second, gifts to people both within and without the State would serve to acquaint the home-folks and those in other States with goods manufactured in North Carolina.

"Third, Christmas money spent for North Carolina made goods would be kept at home and could be used over and over again in paying debts and making other purchases, and

"Fourth, the spending of several million dollars for North Carolina made goods at this time would stimulate the production of goods somewhat, give employment to a few more people and help increase all commercial activity within the State. Such a program as this would help everybody.

"North Carolinians ought to take pride in giving and wearing something made in North Carolina this Christmas", it was said.

P. L. Bryan of Garner, Wake County, made six bales of cotton on 18 acres in 1929 and 13 bales on the same 18 acres this year by using calcium arsenate to control the boll weevil, he reports to county agent John C. Anderson.

Beginning Sat. Dec. 13 we will keep open nights until the Holidays.

F. N. Spivey

Personal

Mr. Hill Yarborough visited Raleigh Tuesday.

Mr. W. H. Yarborough visited Raleigh Monday.

Messrs W. E. Beasley and M. S. Beasley visited Durham Friday.

Messrs. W. W. Neal and J. P. Timberlake, Jr., visited Raleigh, Tuesday.

Mesdames B. N. Williamson, E. C. Perry and W. B. Tucker visited Raleigh this week.

Messrs Bennie Cooke and M. S. Beasley left Tuesday for Memphis, Tenn, to accept positions.

Mr and Mrs. Thornton Jeffress returned the past week from their bridal tour to Rochester, N. Y.

Miss Miller Yearby, who has been visiting Miss Pearl Pearce has returned to her home in Raleigh.

Mr. C. C. Collins left Sunday for Memphis, Tenn., to receive treatment at the U. S. Soldiers Home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Thomas and little daughter, Talmadge and Miss Max Allen spent the week-end in Richmond.

Mr. S. T. Wilder and J. A. Newell left Saturday for Greenville, Tenn., to be at the opening of the Tennessee tobacco market.

Miss Rosetta Journing and Mr. Phillip Gatewood, of Richmond, Va., were visitors to her sister, Mrs. J. S. Marshall, over the week-end.

Mr. "Pete" Hoffman, who has been traveling in Tennessee and Kentucky, arrived in Louisburg via Washington, D. C., to spend the holidays.

Capt and Mrs. E. F. Griffin and little daughter, Nancy Carlyle, and Mrs. Julia P. Scott, returned Sunday from Baltimore, Md., where they were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Emil Novak.

Mr. R. H. Gilliam, who received serious injuries in an automobile accident near Louisburg in early October returned home from the hospital at Rocky Mount Friday, much improved and well on the road to recovery.

G. W. SPENCER DIED IN FLORIDA NOV. 21

Was Native of Louisburg, and Ex-Mayor of Sanford, Florida.

The following clipping from the Sanford Herald, Florida, of Nov. 21, 1930, will be of interest to friends in North Carolina where Mr. Spencer is well remembered. He was born and reared in Louisburg, where his mother is now buried; and he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. A. C. Everett of Rockingham, and Mrs. George Brandt of Florence, S. C.

"Suffering from an illness which has been recurring at intervals for the past few years, G. W. Spencer, Sr., for years one of Sanford's most prominent and public-spirited citizens, died early this morning at his home in Sanford Heights. He had been in a critical condition for the past 10 days, and while his life had been despaired of, the news of his death will come as a shock to his many friends not only in Sanford but throughout Florida.

Always a leading figure in matters pertaining to the general welfare of his chosen city, Mr. Spencer reached possibly his greatest honor when he was elected as mayor of Sanford, an office which he filled for one term. By a queer coincidence, his death this morning occurred on the 19th anniversary of his election as mayor, for on Nov. 21, 1911, after as stirring an election as this city had ever seen, he was the successful candidate over his fellow-townsmen, W. H. Holden.

While Mr. Spencer's interest in behalf of Sanford were varied, possibly no one interest occupied as much of his time as his great love of the outdoors. He was an ardent hunter, angler and dog fancier, and not a season passed that did not find Mr. Spencer engaged in some form of active outdoor sport. He was a great lover of baseball and for two years was the guiding figure in the organizing of local teams, earning for himself the name, "Father of Baseball in Sanford."

However, Mr. Spencer did not spend all his energy in those direction for, through his church and fraternal connections, he was ever found at the head of the list of those who were aiding in numerous causes. He at one time held various high honors in local and state Masonic circles, and is beloved of many of his old friends in that order.

Garland Wesley Spencer, Sr., was born in Louisburg, N. C., May 20, 1875. He was educated in the schools of his home state. Having a desire to travel, he came to Florida in 1895 and settled in Sanford. Not long after his arrival here, he became a clerk in the office of the American Railway Express Co., and remained with that firm in various positions for over 10 years. In 1905 he became the owner and operator of a bakery and for more than 12 years he followed that trade. In 1918 he sold his interests and took over the Union Depot which, in connection with a produce commission business, he operated for some time. During the past eight years he has been in the dairy business.

In 1898, Mr. Spencer married Miss Carrie Agnes Evans, member of a prominent pioneer Sanford family, and to them were born eight children, seven of whom still live. He

survived by his wife, Carrie Evans

Louisburg Theatre

"The House of Perfect Sound" LOUISBURG, N. C.

THURSDAY and FRIDAY, Dec. 11th-12th

Ramon Navarro and Dorothy Jordan

"Call of The Flesh" Comedy

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13th

Richard Dix and Mary Lawlor

"Shooting Straight"

MONDAY and TUESDAY December 15th-16th

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AN ALL STAR CAST COMEDY BOMBHELL "Leather Necking"

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17th

Grace Moore and Reginald Denny and Wallace Beery

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JOHN McCORMACK

"Song of My Heart" and Laurel and Hardy Murder Case

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Louisburg Theatre

LOUISBURG, N. C.

C. M. RUMLEY, MANAGER

Spencer; four daughters, Mrs. Paul Redfern, Mrs. George C. Harden, Emma Spencer and Ella Spencer; three sons Morris H. Spencer, G. W. Spencer, Jr., and C. E. Spencer; and two sisters, Mrs. A. C. Everett of Rockingham, N. C., and Mrs. George Brant, of Florence, S. C.

He was a Shriner and a member of the Woodman. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Methodist Church with the Rev. C. H. Summers, of Orlando, an old friend, as officiating clergyman, assisted by the Rev. Carroll Varner.

Don't Forget the special SALE now on at F. N. Spivey's. 12-12-2t

Stokes County tobacco growers continue to be greatly interested in the formation of a cooperative tobacco marketing association and recent meetings called by County Agent J. E. Trevathan are being well attended.

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constipation

"I HAD a stubborn case of constipation after a very severe spell of grip," says Mr. John B. Hutchison, of Necohe, Mo. "When I would get constipated, I'd feel so sleepy, tired and worn-out."

"When one feels this way, work is much harder to do, especially farm work. I would have dizzy headaches when I could hardly see to work, but after I read of Black-Draught, I began taking it. I did not have the headaches any more."

"When I have the sluggish, tired feeling, I take a few doses of Black-Draught, and it seems to carry off the poison and I feel just fine. I use Black-Draught at regular intervals. It is easy to take and I know it helps me."

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Suppose Dad is fond of reading, what better gift could the children make him than an Aladdin lamp? Or if Mother is fond of crocheting or knitting or reading in the evening after the day's work is done, what better gift than the Aladdin could the children or Dad make her? Or from Dad to the entire family? Or from the young folks n town to the "old folks" back on the farm?

Think it over, come in and inspect these beautiful, useful lamps and it will help solve your gift problem.

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The drink with a lasting thrill!

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"On the Busy Corner"

Louisburg, N. Carolina

WATER REPORT

The following is a report on the condition of the city water of Louisburg:

Reported—12-9-30. Sediment—0. Color—5. Turbidity—0. Odor; Cold—0. Odor, hot—0. Alkalinity—17 parts Per Million. Alum—0 parts Per Million. Chlorides—4.5 Parts Per Million. Nitrates—0. pH—8.6. B. coli in 1 c.c.—0. B. coli in 10 c.c.—0. B. coli in 50 c.c.—0. Total bacterial count per c.c. at 38°C.—10. Count on lactose litmus agar per c.c.—0. Acid-producing bacteria per c.c.—0. C. A. SHORE, M. D., Director. M. L. S., Analyst.

Good canvas leggings for 19c pr. at F. N. Spivey's. 12-12-2t

Boys' Suits and Overcoats 1-2 price at F. N. Spivey's. 12-12-2t

Leather leggings and lace leg pants at F. N. Spivey's. 12-12-2t

T. D. Temple of Scotland Neck made an average net profit of \$15 a head from 22 baby heeves of the Hereford breed which he raised and fattened on his home farm and sold in Baltimore recently.

Big lot of sweaters for men and boys 79c at F. N. Spivey's. 12-12-2t

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