

Local Happenings

—Merry Christmas.
 —Next Thursday is Christmas Day.
 —Are you a good little boy or girl?
 —The kiddies are anxious for Wednesday night to come.
 —The snow Wednesday made automobiling very hazardous.
 —Cotton was worth 8 1-2 cents a pound in Louisburg yesterday.
 —The weather this week is calculated to be profitable to garages.
 —Rural Free Delivery mail carriers evidently had a tough time Wednesday.
 —Frank Layton, of Cedar Rock, reports killing three hogs weighing 325, 284, 280.
 —Dr. W. P. Jacobs, has accepted the Secretaryship of the State Board of Health.
 —The schools of the County generally will close today for the Christmas holidays.
 —C. C. Murphy, of Gold Mine township, reports killing two hogs weighing 400 and 314.
 —The Stores in Louisburg are all decorated and in shape to accommodate the Christmas shoppers.

—W. S. Tharrington, of Dunn's township, reports killing four hogs weighing 315, 296, 248, 246.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Wiggs announce the birth of a daughter, Daphne Gray, on December 4.

—The town officials and individual citizens were busy Wednesday removing snow from the sidewalks.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Finch, of near Ingleside, announce the birth of a fine ten pound girl on Friday night.

—In the list of applicants for law license is noticed the name of Stacie Lee Bowen, principal of Bunn High School.

—R. S. Jones reports killing a hog weighing 319 and his brother Zack Jones, killing two weighing 313, 306. These gentlemen live in Cedar Rock township.

—The metal awning in front of A. W. Perry, Jr., store on South Main Street fell from the weight of snow Wednesday morning. No damage was done only to the awning.

—The First National Bank in Louisburg will be closed on Thursday and Friday, December 25th and 26th to observe the Christmas holidays, according to announcement.

—Quite a large number of young ladies and gentlemen, who have been off at school, and teaching, will return home today to spend Christmas at home, with their parents.

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

MONDAY AND TUESDAY WILL BE SEAL TAG DAYS

On those two days a special drive to sell Tuberculosis Christmas Seals will be conducted down town and throughout the Community.

Children will cover the downtown and near residential sections, ladies will cover wide territory in cars.

The Tuberculosis Red Cross pins are very attractive and every citizen should be proud to wear one.

Buy a nickel's worth. Entitles one to a pin as much as a \$5.00 purchase. However, remember the cause; buy generously and so aid in the fight against Tuberculosis.

Put a stamp on every card and package. Bear in mind the sale of Tuberculosis seals draws near. Just five more days.

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

MT. ZION B. Y. P. U.

The Mt. Zion B. Y. P. U. will meet on Sunday, December 21, and at that time give the following program:

- Topic—Making Christmas Christian.
- Group Leader—Miss Lillian Robertson.
- Scripture Reading—Luke 2: 8-20, Matt. 2: 1-12.
- Introduction—Leader.
- Making Christmas Christian—Leslie Harris.
- What Christmas Should be (six talks).
- 1. A Time to Glorify God—Thomas Speed.
- 2. A Time of Joy—Frances Joyner.
- Duet, Silent Night—Irma Gupton and Esther Kennedy.
- 3. A Time of Peace—Irma Gupton.
- 4. A Time of Worship—Linwood Murphy.
- 5. A Time of Giving—Turner Matthews.
- 6. A Time of Witnessing—M. E. Watkins.

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

The "Ritty lucre" is the money that the other fellow has.

The best way to lift the failures is to provide a way for them to lift themselves.

Cotton Joins the Animal Fair



SHOPPING for Christmas toys or making them at home is like visiting the "animal fair." The birds and the beasts are there. But they're all dressed up in gay new costumes this year.
 One of the interesting new ideas that is being emphasized nowadays is the washable toy. Many mothers know from experience how difficult it is to keep Junior's playthings or Betty's doll family as

clean as they would like them. And so they have welcomed the bright suggestion that animals and dolls can be made most attractively of fabric. Oilcloth or chambray, gingham and calico are fabrics favored for this purpose. Some of these can be obtained in special finishes so that they can be easily washed. Pattern companies now have patterns so that the mother who likes to make toys for a special purpose can do so readily.

Strange Pet



Ever see a tame woodchuck? Miss Eva Blaine of New York has one which she brought to the annual Pet Show. Some folks call them "ground-hogs."

Personal

Mr. E. H. Malone visited Raleigh Tuesday.

Mr. Hill Yarborough visited Raleigh Saturday.

Supt. E. C. Perry went to Henderson Friday.

Clerk of Court J. J. Young visited Raleigh the past week.

Dr. T. O. Coppedge, of Nashville was a visitor to Louisburg Tuesday.

Mrs. E. M. Bragg, of Oxford, visited her sister, Mrs. E. C. Perry, Saturday.

Miss Hilma Perry left Saturday for Dothan, Ala., to visit Miss Eugenia Perry.

Mrs. R. B. Beasley, Mrs. R. M. Beasley, Mr. R. P. Beasley and Mrs. D. B. Cash, of Apex, visited friends and relatives in Louisburg Sunday.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. A. D. Wilcox announces that his sermon for the morning service at 11 o'clock will be "The Religion of the Creedless."

Also, he states, that at the evening hour, seven o'clock, a Christmas tree service will be held to provide gifts of food, clothing, toys and money for the poor. All members of the church and Sunday school are asked to bring gifts for the destitute of the city and county.

LOUISBURG BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Jas. A. Ivey of Raleigh will preach at the Louisburg Baptist church next Sunday morning.

At 3 P. M. Mr. Ivey will speak to the B. Y. P. U. organization of the Baptist church.

All are cordially invited to both these services.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

According to the announcement made by Rev. J. D. Miller, Holy Communion services will be held Sunday morning at eleven A. M. at St. Paul's Episcopal church. This is the only service to be held Sunday in this church. Services, however, will be held on Christmas Day at eleven o'clock in the morning.

CHRISTMAS SAVINGS

Nothing has ever appealed to the American's sense of thrift quite like

a Christmas savings club.

The idea has been criticized because it persuades people to save to spend. But even so, investigation has shown that only forty-five per cent of the money saved in this manner is spent for Christmas gifts and other luxuries and twenty-eight per cent is redeposited in saving or checking accounts. The balance goes for essentials.

If none of the money saved in Christmas savings clubs were actually saved, they would promote the spirit of thrift and teach those who participate what can be accomplished by persistent saving.

The Christmas savings clubs will do more than all of the preaching on frugality and thriftiness conceivable. They give a realistic demonstration of what can be done by putting by a fixed sum each week.

Once convinced of what regular saving will do, the average person is going to strive to save for whatever objective he may have in life.

RE-SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of an order of re-sale made by the Superior Court of Franklin County in that action brought for the purpose of foreclosing a tax sale certificate, entitled "County of Franklin vs. J. M. Allen and wife, Annie Webb Allen, and W. H. Allen, and wife, Annie Wilder Allen", the undersigned Commissioner will on

MONDAY, JANUARY 5TH, 1931 at or about the hour of noon, at the courthouse door in Louisburg, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash those certain tracts or parcels of land situate in Louisburg Township, Franklin County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Fourth Tract: That lot beginning on the N side of Nash St. in the Town of Louisburg, N. C., at the southwest corner of the First Nat. Bank, being a point 71.5 ft from the northwest intersection of Main and Nash Sts.; and runs along the N side of Nash St. 236 ft., 4 inches to P. S. and K. K. Allen's corner; thence along the line of P. S. and K. K. Allen in a northeasterly direction parallel with Church St. 131.25 ft.; thence in a line parallel with Nash St. 236 ft. 4 inches to the center of a party wall owned jointly with the Farmers & Merchants Bank, S. P. Burt, First National Bank and others; thence in a southerly direction with the center of said party wall 131.5 ft. to Nash St., the point of beginning, containing 1,342.5 sq. ft. as shown on a plat made by M. S. Davis, C. E. July 2, 1925, and being that portion of the lot of land described as "first lot" in deed from T. W. Bickett, Trust. to J. M. Allen dated Feb. 15, 1919, which said deed is duly recorded in the office of Register of Deeds of Franklin County in book 241, page 297; but from the said "first lot" has been cut off the 1-story bldg. now occupied by Lazarus Dry Goods Store fronting on Main St., and there has been cut off from the western end of the said lot and conveyed to P. S. and K. K. Allen at the corner of Church & Nash Sts.; a lot about 129 ft. on Nash St. and about 127 feet on Church St., which said last 2 lots are not included in this conveyance. (Taxes due on this property for years 1926 and 1927, as set out in affidavit of G. L. Cooke herein.)

Fifth Tract: That certain piece of land lying and being in Louisburg Township, containing 204.3 acres more or less and being part of the original Ballard Home Place, situate on Lbg.-Nashville Rd., adjoining lands formerly owned by Sarah E. Cooke, J. Henry Smith, et-als, and being the identical lands conveyed by deed from Frank Ballard to J. M. Allen and W. H. Allen dated Oct. 10, 1910, as described in deed in book 173, page 67, Franklin Co. Registry, less the 132.1 acres released and conveyed to Maggie E. Gathis by deed recorded in book 249, page 252, said Registry. (Taxes due for year 1927, as set out in affidavit of G. L. Cooke herein.)

This, 17th day of December, 1930. G. M. BEAM, Commissioner.

CHRISTMAS OFFERINGS

- 15 oz. Sun-Maid Raisins, per package 10c
- No. 1 Select Brazil Nuts, per pound 25c
- 2 lbs. 3 Crown London Layer Raisins for ... 25c
- English Walnuts, New Crop Selects, lb. 25c-30c
- Best Grade Stick Candy, per pound 15c
- Florida Oranges, per dozen 25c-40c
- Florida Grape Fruit, large size, 4 for 25c
- Florida Tangarines, Sweet, per dozen .. 25c-40c
- Emperor Grapes, Rich and Sweet, 3 lbs. for . 25c
- Christmas Bananas, smooth and bright, doz. 20c
- Jumbo Celery, Fresh and Crisp, per bunch .. 10c
- 2 lb. can Cocoa, best grade for cakes 20c
- Selected Cream Cheese, per pound 25c
- Fat Back Meat, lb. 12½c — 8 lb. Bkt. Lard for 95c
- Complete Stock Christmas Fruits & Vegetables
- Attractive Display Christmas Candies & Fruits
- Daily Arrivals Christmas Cakes and Breads
- Mince Meat, Plum Pudding, Chrystalized Fruits

Plain and Salted Nuts, Figs and Dates

OUR FRESH GROUND COFFEE:

The Crowning Drink of Christmas Cheer!

- Brighten your home with our Aladdin Lamp
- Visit or call Our Sanitary Market for Best Meats
- Cake Covers, Cake Dressings, Extracts & Spices
- Christmas purchases wrapped in Holly Paper

L. P. HICKS

"On the Busy Corner"

Louisburg,

N. Carolina

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

SALE OF VALUABLE TOWN PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the power contained in a certain deed of trust executed by Mozelle M. Wiggs and husband A. S. Wiggs on the 16th day of March, 1927, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Franklin County in Book 250, page 238, I will on Monday the 19th day of January, 1931, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, sell at the courthouse door in Franklin County, at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described town property:

That certain tract or parcel of land, situate in Louisburg Township, Franklin County, State of North Carolina, and described as follows: Situate in the Town of Louisburg, County and State aforesaid, located on a street on King Square, said lot being 50 feet x 150 feet and being the Southern 50

feet of the near end of the present home place of D. F. McKinnis and being the lot conveyed to A. S. Wiggs by F. J. Beasley and wife by deed recorded in book 249, page 336, Registry of Franklin County, N. C.; the said lot having this day been conveyed to Mozelle M. Wiggs by deed of R. G. Bailey, Trustee, reference being here made to all of said deeds and records for a more particular description of said lot.

This 17th day of December, 1930. F. J. BEASLEY, Trustee. Yarborough & Yarborough, Att'ys. 12-18-3t

SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of that power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Susie G. Fuller and husband, W. B. Fuller to E. H. Malone, Trustee, dated Nov. 10th, 1928, recorded in Book 281, page 7, Registry of Franklin County, N. C., default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and demand for foreclosure

having been made upon the undersigned trustee by the holder of the bond representing said indebtedness, the undersigned trustee will on the

12TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1931, at or about the hour of Noon at the Courthouse door in Louisburg, N. C., offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described tract or parcel of land situate in Goldmine Township, Franklin County, State of North Carolina and described as follows: Bounded on the North by the Gray and Wynne land, on the South by F. M. Denton and R. R. Denton, on the East by the Gray and Wynne land, on the West by the Gray and Wynne land, known as part of the old Dr. Davis land, containing 25 acres, more or less, and being the land conveyed to the said Susie G. Fuller by deed of F. W. Ruffin, Executor of Wm. H. Ruffin, Dec'd, Trustee, dated March 22nd, 1928.

This 12th day of December, 1930. E. H. MALONE, Trustee. 12-13-3t