

Weather

Variable cloudiness with afternoon and evening showers today and Friday. Continued warm. High today, 87; low, 70.

Comment

No man is so ignorant as the one who is positive that he knows all.

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Bond Sale Leaders

Pictured above are officials of the drive now in progress, to raise \$85,000 by the sale of bonds, with which to build the building to house the new furniture plant scheduled to locate here. Left to right are: W. J. Benton, Industrial Development Director,

Jimmy Allen, Finance Committee member; Lloyd West, secretary of the Building Corp.; Raymond Burnette, member, and Harold Talton, Chairman of the Finance Committee.

-Times Staff Photo.

Bond Pledges Near Half Way Mark, Plant Head Due Here Tuesday

The local bond sale for the purpose of erecting a building for the new furniture plant has neared the half-way mark, according to a spokesman for the Finance committee. Raymond Burnette, member of the committee, reported that at noon today pledges to purchase bonds had reached \$41,200.00.

The committee, headed by Harold Talton, local bank official and assisted by Burnette and Jimmy Allen, was appointed last week to head a drive to raise \$85,000 as Franklin County's share of the cost of the building. The construction is expected to cost around \$225,000 with the major portion of the funds coming from the

Small Business Administration on loan.

Reports turned in at the breakfast held at Louisburg College Wednesday morning totaled \$39,400. Pledges reported since the meeting have raised the fund to its present figure. Around thirty local leaders attended the breakfast to report on the drive.

The drive started after a lease was signed last week between the Franklin Building Corp., of which Talton is president, and Gay Products, Inc., an aluminum furniture manufacturing firm of Clearwater, Fla. The firm is to locate near Louisburg with operations set to begin on Nov. 1, provided local funds are raised with which to build a building. The plant location is on the T. Kemp land on Highway 56 a short distance from U. S. Highway 401 south-east of Louisburg.

Burnette said this morning, "We are in need of several more workers. We particularly need workers in the county areas. This is a county project and not just the town alone."

He urged everyone to clip the revised copy of the pledge that appears on the Editorial Page of The Times today, to fill in the amount and mail or bring it to the local bank.

Another report breakfast is scheduled for Friday morning at 7:30 at Louisburg College and Talton and Burnette requested everyone interested in the new industry and future growth of Franklin County to attend. At the Wednesday morn-

ing meeting Talton disclosed that Roy Workman, Jr., President of Gay Products, Inc. will be in Louisburg next Tuesday. The Finance Committee said Talton, "Is anxious that we be able to tell Mr. Workman that we have raised the money and are ready to go." Another meeting, in addition to the one called for Friday morning, has been called for Tuesday morning at the College at 7:30.

Education Board OKs Budget; Teachers

The Franklin County Board of Education, in its regular meeting Monday, July 6, approved a budget for the fiscal year of \$412,140.10. Of this amount, \$199,508.43 will be used for current expense and \$212,631.67 will be used for capital outlay.

Included in the capital outlay fund is the total cost of the two cafeterias being built at Gold Sand and Riverside Schools, plus the completion of the Bunn Cafeteria.

On the county budget level, the school tax represents a .05 increase in current expense and a .02 decrease in capital outlay funds.

In other action, the Board hired Durwood Pegram, 25, of Bunn as Attendance Counselor for the coming year at a salary of \$405.00 plus travel on a nine-month basis. This salary will be made up from local and state funds, budgeted for that purpose. The Board also instructed County Superintendent Warren W. Smith to purchase a new 67 capacity bus, bringing to 92, the number of buses to be operated by the Board this coming school year.

The teacher placements for the coming school year were made public by the Board as follows:

LOUISBURG HIGH SCHOOL—Eugene Howard Stallings, Principal, Jeannette P. Arnold, Judith Parrish, Jewel C. Bartholomew, Albert Dean Fox, Eric J. Morgan, Marjorie G. Leonard, Mildred L. Madison, John Allison Wilson, Carolyn Ann Gardner, Judith Ann Butler, Jean H. Winn, Rebecca P. Stallings, Vivian Young Harris, Doris M. Wilder, Edith Kemp Frisbie, Gerald Turnage Perry, Mary Louise Nelson, Matelene McRee Chadwick, Betty M. Jones, Martha Ballard Yarbrough, Mary Lee Johnson Rose, Ruth Jenkins Best, Marybelle McMillan Davis, John Robert Watson.

EPSOM HIGH SCHOOL—Henry L. Meares, Principal, Virginia A. Journigan, Sally C. Murphy, William J. Matthews, Joe T. Griffin, Fairlylee D.

Coffey, Selema M. Mitchell, Florence Mustian Harris. GOLD SAND HIGH SCHOOL—James V. Marshall, Principal, Jimmie O. Neal, Jr., Mae P. Denton, James E. Boyette, Margaret R. Gupton, Susie A. Tharrington, Louise M. Bledsoe, Mildred S. Gupton, Eva Mae Smith, Carol H. Dement, Loraine C. Hayes, Nancy Gail Leonard.

EDWARD BEST HIGH SCHOOL—Johnny H. Alford, Principal, Sybil H. Kerley, Earl R. Martin, Caroline M. Murphy, Melver C. Neal, Louise H. Strickland, Robert J. Sutton, Evelyn J. Williamson, Robert B. Fleming.

EDWARD BEST ELEMENTARY—Myrtle T. Parrish, Principal, Ollie W. Hinnant, Clarice D. Leonard, Marion L. Merritt, Lora T. Wheelless, Beryl S. Wood.

BUNN HIGH SCHOOL—William H. Kelly, Principal, Jerry W. Morris, Lavina E. Murray, Aubrey L. Hancock, William R. Reese, Martha Cline Richardson, Robert E. Wheelless, Janie Johnson White, Elizabeth McAshan Crawford, Nancy M. Moore, Jackie W. Frazier, Darrell P. Spann, Edith Ayscue Brantley, Rotha Murray White, Roberta Brantley Tunnell, Janet Harris Winstead, Kay Langdon Morris, Beatrice Dean, Evangeline C. Williams, Mozelle Ray, Billie P. Ethridge (Sp. Ed.).

YOUNGSHIRE HIGH SCHOOL—Turner E. Felton, Principal, Mary Lou McCall, Jack T. Ayscue, Jr., Francis C. Winston, Jr., Suzanne Beck, William H. Fleming, Lila T. Pearce, Barbara P. Hudson, Irene E. Mitchell, Ruth W. Medlin, Lula Wade Moss, Ruth Walters, Catherine P. Allen.

RIVERSIDE UNION SCHOOL—Carl A. Harris, Principal, Thomas E. Conway, James M. Ridley, Cora H. Hawkins, Florine McGhee, Katie L. Keck, Oliver T. Robinson, Cornelia E. Conway, Inez W. Foster, Nan A. Dueston, Mary A. Haw-

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Revaluation Contract Let

Microfilming Of County Records To Begin

All churches in Franklin County have been invited by an officer of the State Archives Department to bring in all their valuable records for microfilming while personnel of the department are in Franklin County for the next few weeks. There is no charge for the service stated the official.

Personnel from the State Department of Archives and History are in the process of making an inventory of documents in the Franklin County Courthouse in preparation to microfilming them later this week.

Admiral A. M. Patterson, Assistant State Archivist, is in charge of the project which is statewide. The Department of Archives and History is carrying out the project of microfilming all valuable documents in the counties of the state. The project was authorized by the 1959 legislature and is performed without cost to the counties.

The stated purpose of the program is to provide security for county records, according to Admiral Patterson. It was brought about because approximately one third of the counties have experienced serious fires which have destroyed valuable records.

Dr. Christopher Crittenden is Director of the Department of Archives and History and he and H. C. Jones, State Archivist, worked several years on the project before its approval by the legislature. The program consists of an inventory of all documents of every department of the county, plus towns and cities within the county and churches of the county; a repair or restoration service, which makes repairs through a lamination process, and the final stage of microfilming all documents of value.

In the inventory service, Archives Department personnel will help determine whether or not the document is of value or should be discarded. The repair service is performed in Raleigh, but the inventory and microfilming will be done here.

Two cameramen, W. R. Langston and R. D. Murray, will begin the microfilming here Friday and estimate that the job will take from four to six weeks. They will work in the courthouse. Admiral Patterson urged all churches in the area to avail themselves of this service. Documents will be taken to Raleigh if found in need of repair and returned safe. Those not in need of repairs, will be microfilmed here.

Surveyor Office Opens

A new land surveying office has recently opened in Louisburg on Tanglewood Drive, Earl R. Martin, a teacher at Edward Best High School for the past several years, made the announcement of the opening of his new office this week.

Martin, a native of West Virginia, has been in North Carolina since entering Wake Forest College in 1947. After graduating from Wake Forest, Martin entered the teaching field at Edward Best High School.

While at Edward Best High School, Martin met and became associated with Phil R. Inscoe, well-known Franklin County surveyor. Martin credits Inscoe with having caused him to take the State Board Exam for

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The Franklin County Board of Commissioners awarded the contract for the revaluation of all property in the county in their meeting Tuesday. The Board signed the agreement with Carroll and Phelps Co. of Winston-Salem, N. C.

The cost of the project, estimated in May at around \$75,000, is to cost considerably less, \$58,000. The money for the project is being raised by a five cent tax levy, which began three years ago. The Commissioners planned the levy so as to obtain the amount needed by the time the work was completed.

At the beginning of the new

fiscal year, July 1, the amount in escrow for revaluation was \$28,500. The five cent levy for this year would bring in \$15,088.07 with 100% collection, but is listed in the budget as \$13,924.86 based on anticipated percent of collections.

Work on the massive project is slated to begin on or about September 1 in the field. Actually, it is expected that the company will send researchers into the area in a short while. The project is expected to take 15 months to complete and the contract calls for the work to be based on "True value in money (of the property) as of January 1, 1966."

The contract calls for the county to get: original tracings of all maps; two sets of prints of all maps; all records and data developed during the mapping; all aerial photographs acquired in the project and the index cards.

It has been estimated that present property in the county is taxed at an average of 20% of its value. Under the revaluation program, all real property will be given a full 100% value and the Commissioners, based on the tax needs of the county will set the percent to be taxed. Property in Franklin County is valued at around \$28,000,000.



Miss Louisburg Performs

Miss Louisburg, Sandra Goswick, is pictured above doing pantomime to the tune, "Hey Daddy" and was well received her talent in the Miss Louisburg Beauty Pageant. Sandra did a

pantomime to the tune, "Hey Daddy" and was well received in the Miss North Carolina Pageant in Raleigh last night.

-Times Staff Photo.

Miss Louisburg Does Well In State Talent Competition

Miss Louisburg 1964, Sandra Goswick, competed in the talent division of the Miss North Carolina Pageant in Raleigh's Memorial Auditorium last night, and was "very well received," as reported by Jaycee Ralph Knott.

Miss Charlotte won the swim suit competition Wednesday night and Miss Thomasville, Sharon Finch, won the talent division with a torrid Spanish dance number. Miss Louisburg did a pantomime to the

tune, "Hey Daddy," the same she performed at the local pageant.

Miss Goswick appeared in a black silk dress, which she made herself. Knott reported this to be the fourth pageant which he has attended, and that Miss Goswick did exceptionally well in the talent division. The contestants are given points in each of the three competitions: talent, swim suits and evening gowns.

There are ninety girls par-

ticipating in the contest this year, the largest held in the country. The Miss America Pageant in Atlantic City will have only 50 girls.

Miss Louisburg will compete in the swim suit division to night and the evening gown Friday night. The finals are slated for Saturday night and may be seen locally on Greenville and Raleigh television stations at 10 p.m.

Those wishing to send Miss Louisburg a telegram, may do so by addressing it to Miss Louisburg, Sir Walter Hotel, Raleigh, N. C.

Lions Install Tippet As Prexy

James T. Moss, a former Lions Club District Governor and a present International Counselor of the Lions Club, installed the new officers of the Louisburg Lions Club last Tuesday night. Before the installation ceremonies, Lion Moss praised the club for outstanding work the past year.

The official officers are as follows: Wallace Tippet, President; First Vice-President, Wilton Smith; Second Vice-President, Buddy Beam; Third Vice-President, Paul Mullen; Treasurer, M. G. Wilder; Secretary, Dean Moon; Lion Tamer, Warren Smith; Tail-twister, Alex Wood; Directors

for one year, Aubrey Tomlinson and Leslie Bullard; and Directors for two years, Russell Frazier and C. T. Dean. During the meeting there was a moment of silent prayer for recently deceased Blair Tucker, a charter member of the club which was organized twenty-two years ago.

Lion Moon reported that the Glaucoma Detection Clinic held in Henderson was a success. During the two days of the clinic, 1,785 people were processed, 69 referred for further examination, and 168 eye wills secured for the North Carolina Eye Bank.

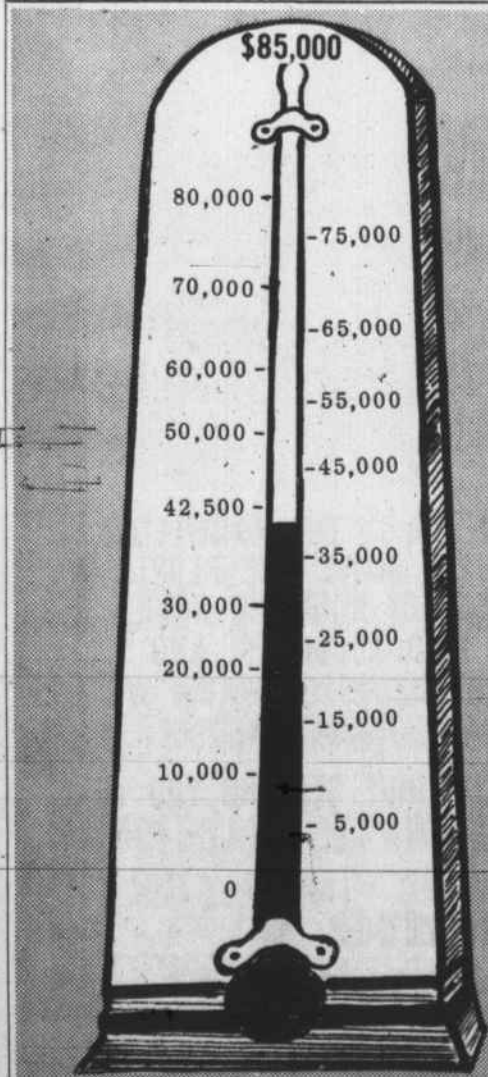
Bloodshed Boxscore

Raleigh--The Motor Vehicles Department's summary of traffic deaths through 10 A. M. Tuesday, July 7:

KILLED TO DATE 720

KILLED TO DATE LAST YEAR 614

In June 110 persons were killed on the highways. In June last year 121 persons were killed.



Industry Bond Sales