

Neithan and Sea Gift.

The Nineteenth Anniversary of these two Literary Societies of the Louisburg College was celebrated at the College on Friday night of last week, and quite a large and appreciative audience was present to hear the literary address of Mr. J. W. Bailey, of Raleigh. He took for his subject "Elizabeth Barrett Browning," and for about an hour he spoke eloquently and in a very entertaining manner of the life and beautiful character of this great woman. The introductory remarks of Miss Frances Thomas, President of the Sea Gift Society, and the speech of thanks to the speaker at the close by Miss Mamie Wilder, President of the Neithan, were most tastily and elegantly performed. Before and after the address very choice selections were rendered on the Piano by Miss Sallie Williams and a number of young ladies of the music class, which added much to the enjoyment of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen had a number of their friends to join them in light refreshments after the exercises had concluded, and the young people had their usual social "chats" which are generally allowed them on these occasions.

Food Election in Sandy Creek.

In compliance with a recent act of the legislature the County Commissioners has called an election upon the question of "good roads" in Sandy Creek township to be held Saturday, April 3rd. J. R. Parrish is Registrar, with E. T. Alston, A. T. Wilson as poll holders. The books are now open. The election will be held under the same rules and regulations as those governing regular elections for members of the General Assembly.

What Jefferson Said of Washington.

Perhaps the strongest feature in his character was prudence, never acting until every circumstance, every consideration, was maturely weighed; refraining if he saw a doubt but, when once decided, going through with his purpose, whatever obstacles opposed. His integrity was most pure, his justice the most flexible I have ever known, no motives of interest or consanguinity, of friendship or hatred, being able to bias his decision. He was, indeed, in every sense of the word, a wise, a good and a great man.—Thomas Jefferson.

Out in California.

Mr. June J. Edwards, who moved from this county out to California, about Christmas, has written a short letter to the editor of the TIMES from Fowler California, the place at which he has located. He says they have frost there but no freezes. He can see the mountains east and west, any clear day, and they are covered with snow, winter and summer. He says that all fruit does well in his immediate section except apples. Raisins seem to be the main crop, a ton being raised to the acre. But he says they are very cheap, only 13-4 cents a pound. Says the farmers are endeavoring to organize to get a better price, but they have it there like it is North Carolina with cotton. Everything seems to be working against the farmers. He says that figs are another industry, some trees growing as high as 60 feet, and making a ton of dried figs during a season. He says that he is feeding raisins to his mules, and that he has not yet seen corn fed to horses or mules since he arrived there. He thinks he will like his new home.

A Common Cold.

We claim that if catching cold could be avoided some of the most dangerous and fatal diseases would never be heard of. A cold often forms a culture bed for terms of infectious diseases. Consumption, pneumonia, diphtheria and scarlet fever, four of the most dangerous and diseases, are of this class. The culture bed formed by the cold favors the development of the germs of these diseases, that would not otherwise find lodgment. There is little danger, however, of any of these diseases being contracted when a good expectorant cough medicine like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is used. It cleans out these culture beds that favor the development of the germs of these diseases. That is why this remedy has proved so universally successful in preventing pneumonia. It not only cures your cold quickly, but minimizes the risk of contracting these dangerous diseases. For sale by The Boddie-Perry Drug Co.

Report of Medical Depository For February.

The report of the Manager of the Louisburg Medical Depository for February shows that he filled during the month 87 prescriptions, the gross sales amounting to \$67.25. This is an increase of \$11.00 over the month of January and \$39.50 over the month of December.

The Twin Wedding.

On Christmas Sunday Dec. 27th 1908 at the home of the bride's father Mr. Eli Wheeler, his twin daughter "Mattie" was happily married to Mr. Joe Pearce, a twin son of Mr. Billie Pearce, both residing near Flat Rock. The wedding day was still and calm and all seemed so serene. At the bride's residing home the wedding did convene.

The day rolled on, and half past ten the waiters took their stand and happily gazed at Mat and Jo. March in "hand in hand."

As waiters stood face to face and every voice was stilled. To witness this solemn ceremony each room was largely filled.

While every anxious eye was turned and every word did cease. Save the solemn ceremony from the "Justice of the Peace."

In holy wed lock joined together To march along through life Extended cheers to the happy couple And pronounced them "man and wife."

A FRIEND.

Items From Bunn.

After a prolonged illness, Mr. Meek Mullins, one of our oldest citizens, died at his home Saturday evening. The funeral was conducted by Rev. G. M. Duke, and the body was laid to rest in the Mullen cemetery.

The literary society postponed its meeting from Friday night until Monday night on account of the speaking at Pine Ridge Academy. Among those who went to Pine Ridge were Principal J. H. Nanny, Misses Minnie Nanney and Etta Alford and Messrs. Gus Alford and C. H. Mullen. They report a pleasant time.

The literary society met Monday night in a very interesting session. The question of "Woman Suffrage" was discussed, and the committee decided that the negative had proved that suffrage should not be extended to the women.

Misses Pippin and Barnes, teachers in the Pine Ridge school, were visitors here Sunday.

Miss Tuna White returned Sunday after visiting her aunt, Mrs. Clifton, who has been very sick for some time. J. H.

Castalia Items.

Many of the best thinking people in all portions of the county are of the opinion that Nash county should issue bonds to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars to mature in thirty years to aid in building and maintaining good roads. The wear and tear of teams and vehicles in the winter mudholes is greater than the taxes to improve our public highways.

Washington's birthday was fittingly observed here and a large crowd came, and were highly delighted with the patriotic address by Rev. G. M. Duke, who held the audience for more than an hour with his magic force and power.

Hon. T. W. Bickett, of Louisburg, who is widely known in the State, and of whom you should feel justly proud, has been invited and will deliver the annual literary address before the societies of the Castalia High School, on the 28th of April. Mr. Bickett is an orator of high rank, and a rare treat is in store for all who may hear this distinguished North Carolinian.

Rev. G. W. May assisted by Rev. Mr. Duke, who delivered the charge, ordained the newly appointed deacons of the Baptist church here Monday night, Messrs. Frank May and Oscar Cruch.

For a long time Nash county had only three to compose our Board of Commissioners. We have grown in population and wealth to be second to none in the State and now we are asking and demanding two additional commissioners to be chosen from different sections of the county.

PLAIN TOM.

Card of Thanks.

The family joins me in thanking all our friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses in helping us during the illness of our mother and father, they will be ever remembered. We also thank them for the many words of sympathy, written and spoken, to us since our father's death.

NOVA K. CLIFTON.

In sickness, if a certain hidden nerve goes wrong, then the organ that the nerve controls will also surely fail. It may be a stomach nerve, or it may have given strength and support to the heart or kidneys. It was Dr. Shoop that first pointed to this vital truth. Dr. Shoop's Restorative was not made to dose the stomach nor to temporarily stimulate the Heart of Kidneys. That old-fashioned method is all wrong. Dr. Shoop's Restorative goes directly to these failing inside nerves. The remarkable success of this prescription demonstrates the wisdom of treating the actual cause of these failing organs. And it is indeed easy to prove. A simple five or ten days test will surely tell! Try it once, and see! Sold by The Boddie-Perry Drug Co.

Dissolution Notice.

The firm of Strickland & Wheelless has been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by F. W. Wheelless, who assumes all debts due by the firm. Accounts due the firm will be placed in the hands of an Attorney for collection.

D. C. STRICKLAND,
F. W. WHEELLESS.

I am now prepared to furnish the public with ICE regularly. Call phone 47 and give your orders.

J. W. KING

Fine Cows For Sale

I have several fine Milch Cows for sale. Will sell out right, or will trade for dry cattle.

W. H. ALLEN,
Louisburg, N. C.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

OFFICE COMMISSIONERS OF FRANKLIN COUNTY.

In accordance with Act of General Assembly, and in obedience to a petition presented to this Board on the 1st inst., an election is hereby ordered to be held on Saturday, April 3rd, at the usual voting place in Sandy Creek township, when and where the question as to whether a tax of 30 cents on property and 90 cents on the poll, shall be levied for the purpose of improving the roads of said township.

The election will be held under the same rules and regulations as elections for members of the General Assembly. The following are appointed Registrar and Poll Holders for said election: Registrar, J. R. Parrish; Poll Holders: A. T. Wilson and E. T. Alston. Those favoring the tax will vote a ticket upon which shall be written or printed, the words "For Good Roads" and those not favoring will vote a ticket upon which shall be written or printed the words "Against Good Roads."

By order of the Board.
T. S. COLLIE, Chairman
W. M. BOONE, Clerk.

Notice of Change in Firm of Youngville Lumber Co.

Notice is hereby given that T. H. Whitaker has retired from the partnership doing business in Youngville, N. C., under the firm name and style of the "Youngville Lumber Co.," having sold his interest therein to W. C. Whitaker and the firm is now composed of Geo. T. Whitaker and W. C. Whitaker who will continue the business under the name and style of the "Youngville Lumber Co."

This 27th day of February, 1909
T. H. WHITAKER
Geo. T. WHITAKER
W. C. WHITAKER

Sale of Valuable Real Estate

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage deed executed to the undersigned by John H. Cooke, Linwood Cooke and Everard Cooke, duly recorded in the Register of Deeds for Franklin County in book 142, page 381, I will on Monday, the 5th day of April, 1909, at 12 m, sell to the highest bidder for cash, a certain piece or tract of land lying and being in Franklin County, State aforesaid, in Sandy Creek township, and described and defined as follows, to wit: Lying on the Warrenton and Louisburg road 5 miles from Louisburg, bounded on the east by the lands of the estate of Dr. P. S. Foster and the lands belonging to the county, used for the Home of the Aged and Infirm, on the north by the lands of Jno. R. Williams and the lands formerly belonging to Medicus Edwards; on the west by the lands belonging to the estate of Mrs. A. A. Hayes, deceased; and on the South by the lands of Mrs. Little Cooke Foster and Miss Gussie Blackhall; containing 200 acres, more or less, known as the Virginia Cooke home place, and being the same tract of land conveyed by F. S. Spruill Commissioner, to said John H. Cooke and others, by deed dated May 17th, 1906, and subsequently on same day conveyed by said John H. Cooke and others to A. C. Zollcoffer, trustee for R. H. Southerland, to secure a debt due said Southerland, and this sale is made subject to the said debt to Southerland secured in said deed of trust amounting to about \$2200, the exact amount of which will be stated on the day of sale. This March 4th, 1909.
CHAS. MACON,
Guardian of the Estate of Medicus, Mortgagee.
W. H. YARBOROUGH, Atty.

Notice

I have opened a General Merchandise and Fancy Grocery store in front of W. B. Murphy's Meat Market. Mr. A. B. Collier is with me and will be glad to serve promptly all my friends and patrons with anything in my line.
J. F. MURPHY.

Road Election For Franklinton Township

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of an act of the General Assembly of 1909, entitled "An Act to provide good roads in Franklin County," duly ratified on the 20th day of February, 1909, and in accordance with the order of the County Board of Commissioners of Franklin County made at their regular meeting on the 1st day of March, 1909, an election will be held on Tuesday, the 6th day of April, 1909, at which election the provisions of the aforesaid act will be submitted to the qualified voters of Franklinton Township for their approval.

The polling place for the election shall be in the town of Franklinton. B. A. White is appointed registrar and B. F. Bullock and E. L. Moore are appointed registrars. A new registration of all voters is ordered and anyone desiring to vote in the said election must apply to the registrar for registration within the time fixed by law for the registration book to be kept open, namely, from Thursday, March 4th to Saturday, March 27th, incl. a. v. Below is given a summary of the provisions of the said act:

Sec. 1. Creates a board of road trustees and fixes their term of office.
Sec. 2. Gives to said board corporate character and powers.
Sec. 3. Gives to said board control of public roads in Franklinton Township.
Sec. 4. Provides for the election of chairman, secretary, treasurer to the board and of an executive committee of three.
Sec. 5. Provides for election of a superintendent of roads.

Sec. 6. Provides for purchase of machinery and implements, gives the board general powers for carrying out the provisions of the act, and further provides that no person shall be liable for road duty.

Sec. 7. Authorizes the obtaining of gravel, sand and other material necessary for the construction of roads.

Sec. 8. Provides for locating roads.
Sec. 9. Authorizes the Board of Trustees to issue bonds of Franklin County township to an amount not to exceed forty thousand dollars, to bear interest at a rate not to exceed six per cent. These bonds may be issued at such time or times and in such amount or amounts as may be deemed best to meet the expenditures provided for in the act.

Sec. 10. Provides for the levy of a tax on property in Franklinton township of not less than fifteen cents nor more than thirty-five cents on the one hundred dollars worth of property and of not less than forty-five cents nor more than one dollar and five cents on the poll.

Sec. 11. Provides for the submission of the provisions of this act to the qualified voters of Franklinton Township at an election ordered by the County Commissioners and orders a new registration.

Sec. 12. Directs that all funds derived from sale of bonds shall be used for constructing roads in Franklinton township.

Sec. 13. Provides for use of convict labor or hired labor or both.

Sec. 14. Provides that no money raised under this act may be spent on any street or road in an incorporated town.

Sec. 15. Repeals all laws in conflict so far as concerns Franklinton township.

Sec. 16. Provides that the act shall go into effect from and after ratification.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, this first day of March, 1909.

T. S. COLLIE,
Chairman of Board of County Commissioners.
W. M. BOONE,
Clerk of Board of County Commissioners.

Commissioners Sale of Land.

By virtue of an order of re-sale made by the Superior Court of Franklin County in that special proceedings entitled M. L. Stallings et al vs. J. L. Cornwell et al under the undersigned will, on Monday, the 5th day of April 1909, at about the hour of noon, at the court house door in Louisburg, N. C., offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, that certain tract of land in said petition described as follows: that tract lying and being in Franklin County, State of North Carolina, Cypress Creek Township, adjoining the lands of John Batton and others, and bounded as follows: on the north by the lands of John Batton, on the east by the lands of Zeb Aven, on the South by the lands of Mrs. Nannie Sykes, and on the west by the Ellis lands, containing 100 acres, more or less, and known as the Penny Wilder Home Tract, being a tract of land conveyed by Wm. Williams to Gaston Wilder and after his death for many years occupied by his widow, the said Penny Wilder. One eighth of an acre parcel ground is excepted and resumed by the lands of said Zeb Aven. Balance to be due with 6 per cent interest Jan 1st, 1910. Possession of land given on confirmation of sale. This 5th day of March, 1909.
Wm. H. RUFFIN, Com.

Notice

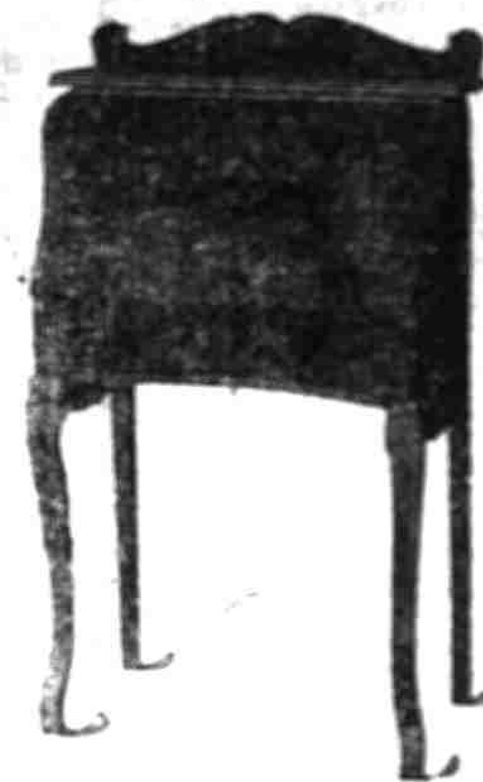
By virtue of a decree of the superior court of Franklin county made in the case of W. H. Griffin & Son to use of S. S. Sykes against Duncan Bullock & wife, I shall on Monday the 5th day of April, 1909, sell at public auction at the court house door in the town of Louisburg, N. C. to the highest bidder for cash a valuable tract or parcel of land lying and situated in Cypress Creek township, Franklin County and bounded as follows: On north by lands of Sam Sykes, on east by lands of W. H. Spivey, on south by lands of S. L. Arrington and on west by lands of John Ross containing 28 1/2 acres. Time of sale 12 o'clock m. March 1st, 1909.
W. M. PERSON, Com.

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F. N. & R. Z. Egerton

Louisburg, N. C.