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FRANKLIN'S TAXABLES.

VALUE OF ALL PROPERTY—REAL AND PERSONAL

As Figured Out By Register Of Deeds For The Year 1910—A Decided Increase Over Last Year.

According to the figures of the Register of Deeds, who, with his force has completed the tax list for 1910, the county's taxable property—real and personal—is as follows:

The following is the property of whites:

Polls, 2,206.
Acres of land, 276,340, town lots 775—total value of real property, \$2,585,742.

Value of timber not otherwise listed, \$138,139.

Horses 2009—value \$158,314.
Mules 1737—Value \$167,805.

Jacks and Jennets 2—value \$125.
Goats 116—value \$128.

Cattle 5,160—value \$72,771.
Hogs 7,724—value \$36,416.

Sheep 959—value \$1,462.
Dogs (with no name) 37—value \$633.

Bicycles 41—value \$497.

Value of farming utensils \$24,509.

Value of tools of mechanics \$3,408.

Value of household and kitchen furniture, wearing apparel and libraries \$109,847.

Value of provisions \$46,230.

Value of fire arms \$8,846.

Value of scientific instruments \$1,548.

Money on hand \$183,130.

Solvent credits \$427,151.

Money invested in stocks and bonds, etc., \$922.

Value of cotton in seed or lint \$72,384.

Value of tobacco, leaf or manufactured \$40,805.

Value of brandy and whiskey \$62.

Value of musical instruments \$30,702.

Value of plated and silverware \$7,765.

Value of watches and jewelry \$19,089.

Value of goods, wares and merchandise \$211,335.

Private banks—money, credits, stocks and bonds \$50.

All other personal property whatsoever \$196,873.

Aggregate value of real and personal property owned by whites \$4,758,615.

Below are the taxable polls and property of the colored:

Polls, 1,513.

Acres of land, 17,745, town lots 150—total value of real property \$233,138.

Horses 742—value \$5,105.

Mules 327—value \$23,065.

Goats 22—value \$22.

Cattle 1,759—value \$26,757.

Hogs 3,047—value \$10,901.

Sheep 56—value \$84.

Dogs (with no names) 4—value \$10.

Bicycles 14—value \$96.

Value of farming utensils \$4,484.

Value of tools of machines \$797.

Value of household and kitchen furniture, wearing apparel and libraries \$10,422.

Value of provisions \$4,756.

Value of fire arms \$2,510.

Value of scientific instruments \$53.

Money on hand, etc., \$5,215.

Solvent credits \$7,551.

Value of cotton, in seed or lint \$913.

Value of musical instruments \$6,157.

Value of plated and silverware \$12.

Value of watches and jewelry \$1,013.

Value of goods, wares and merchandise \$1,061.

All other personal property whatsoever \$21,162.

Aggregate value of real and personal property \$417,130.

Total value of real and personal property of both races \$5,175,745.

The above figures show an increase of \$254,262 over last year, in real and personal property of both races.

The above shows a complete list of Franklin county's taxables according to the returns made by the list takers to the Register of Deeds, and his returns to the Board of County Commissioners on Monday, September 5th.

Below we give some figures taken from the report of the Corporation Commission, relative to Banks, Railroads, etc., which from some cause, failed to reach the Register of Deeds in time for him to make proper record thereof before making his report to the Commissioners:

Seaboard Air Line Railway 22.94 miles, value \$459,980.95.

Southern Bell Telephone Company—value \$1,210.00.

Pullman Car Company—value \$2,288.61.

Southern Express Company—value \$2,121.95.

Western Union Telegraph Company \$7,981.20.

Home Telephone and Telegraph Company—value \$10,922.00.

Southside Telephone Co.,—value \$2,302.95.

Postal Telegraph Cable Company value—\$2,302.95.

Louisburg Telephone Company—value \$500.

Bank stock in and out of Franklin county but owned by people inside the county valued at \$94,737.25.

Franklin Perpetual Building and Loan Association \$9,241.00.

Louisburg Tobacco Market.

Our Warehousemen report the sales for the past week as good as could be expected in quantity and the prices are remaining good compared with the grades of tobacco offered for sale.

Louisburg will prove itself to be the farmers friend this year if they will give it a chance.

Marriage License

Register of Deeds Boone issued license to the following couples during the month of August:

White—Malcolm Green and Anna Tant, E. D. McGhee and Eisabela Morton, Joe Frazier and Flossie H. Curran, Ernest Cyrus and Adell Frazier, E. P. Roe and Hattie Lee Mosley.

Colored—Jack Neal and Addie Clements, Guilford Perry and Ida Fogg, Sam Norwood and Lillian Hartfield.

To Open Business Again

We are sure that the old customers and friends of Mr. R. Z. Egerton will be glad to learn that he has so far regained his health and to be able to resume business. We have felt that Mr. Egerton was too good a merchant to go out of business, he has the reputation of being the best judge of goods in his line of any merchant in the State. He has friends all over the county who would be at a loss not to be able to do their trading with him. He will open up in the Carlyle store and will tell you of his line next week. Watch his advertisement.

J. W. Fuller Dead.

On Wednesday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock at his home near town, Mr. J. W. Fuller died in his 73rd year. He had been in ill health for some time. He leaves a wife and four sons and five daughters to grieve after him. He was a member of Oak Level Christian church, and of the Youngsville Masonic Lodge. His remains were interred in the family burying ground near his home yesterday afternoon with Masonic honors. Rev. B. F. Noblitt, conducting the ceremonies.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

MET IN REGULAR SESSION ON MONDAY.

The Meeting Was One Of Small Business—All Members Present—Reports Received.

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session on Monday morning, all members being present. Minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved, and the following business transacted:

Sid Wright was stricken from out side pauper list—being dead.

It was ordered that the county furnish timber to build a sixteen foot bridge on road leading to Pilot without any other cost to county.

Tom Harris was allowed to go to the county home.

N. B. Young was appointed a committee to have bridge over Crooked Creek built near the River, known as Carpenter's Bridge.

I. G. Green and wife were placed on outside pauper list at \$1.00 per month each.

Lucy Chavis was placed on outside pauper list at \$1.00 per month.

It was ordered that Henrietta Neal be sent to the county home.

Report of E. N. Williams, Superintendent of county home, was received and filed. He reports nine white and twelve colored inmates.

Report of Dr. J. E. Malone, Superintendent of Health, was received and filed. He reports county home and jail in good condition.

It was ordered that a settlement be made with the executor of the estate of J. A. Thomas. Wm. H. Ruffin and P. B. Griffin were appointed a committee to make said settlement and report at the next regular meeting.

After allowing a number of accounts the Board adjourned to its next regular meeting.

Town Fathers Meet.

The Board of Town Commissioners met in regular session on Wednesday morning. They passed a very strong law relating to motor vehicles, which will be found in another column, and received several reports. The report of the Water and Light plant shows a good profit to the town from this source after paying all its expenses. Several minor matters were discussed and after allowing a number of accounts the Board adjourned to meet again last night.

Home Coming.

Thousands of North Carolinians have migrated to all parts of the country. This State has played a great part in the winning of the west and in the development of all sections. North Carolina virility, pluck and ability have proved notable factors in many other States. People from the Old North State have set their mark everywhere but

have never lost their love for their mother State, North Carolina. Complete arrangements have been made for a great "Home-Coming Jubilee and Reunion" for all persons born in North Carolina; this to be held at Raleigh during the fiftieth State Fair, October 17-22. Mayor J. S. Wynne is chairman and Fred A. Oalds secretary of the committee which has this matter in charge and they desire to obtain the names and addresses, as far as possible, of any people from this community, who now reside in other States, in order that invitations may be sent them.

Graded School Opens.

The Louisburg Graded Schools opened on Tuesday morning with an attendance of 227. This, says Supt. Mills, is the largest to the first the school in its history. The people of this community should show their appreciation of this good school by giving it their hearty support, and those in charge of its management should feel congratulated upon the record the school is making.

Judge Cook's Mistake.

While Superior Court was in session at Raleigh a few days ago, a distinguished member of the Monroe bar entered the crowded court room and passed within the space reserved for members of the legal profession and other offenders. A whiskey-selling case was being tried at the time and a witness of the State was testifying about having seen the defendant handing out drinks. Looked up at this juncture Judge Cook looked up and saw the Monroe attorney looking for a seat, and he called out, "Mr. Sheriff, give Mr. — a drink—I mean a chair." The roar of laughter that followed the judge's little mistake was unanimous.—Ex.

The College Opens.

An unusually large number of students were present at the opening exercises on Wednesday morning and every train since has increased the number.

By the courtesy of Messrs. F. H. Allen, A. W. Person, R. Y. McAden, and E. S. Ford, who very kindly put their splendid cars at the service of the College, all who came on Tuesday were met at the station and driven to the College in automobiles.

The opening exercises were conducted by Rev. A. J. Parker, assisted by Revs. L. W. Swope and R. W. Bailey who welcomed the return of students and faculty in behalf of the town and churches. Their remarks were most cordial and appropriate.

The enlarged dining room provides for an increased number of students and it is expected that it will be filled to its utmost this year. Work has begun promptly and the outlook was never brighter.

A Good Record.

Though charged with only \$9,288.80, R. B. White, executor of the late J. A. Thomas, during the past week turned over to the county in settlement of the sinking fund approved securities amounting to \$11,326.06.

Such a settlement is in itself a striking commentary on the value of hot and efficient public officials. Likewise it speaks well for the soundness of the county finances.

The total indebtedness of Franklin county is \$10,000 in bonds (not due till 1920) bearing four per cent interest. No tax for this purpose has been levied in the past several years, but Mr. Thomas as treasurer kept the sinking fund invested at six per cent. Not one cent of the principal or interest was lost and today the county has \$2,000.00 more than the books call for, could pay off all its indebtedness and have \$1,326.00 left for other purposes.

THE MOVING PEOPLE

THEIR MOVEMENTS IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Those Who Have Visited Louisburg the Past Week—Those Who Have Gone Elsewhere for Business or Pleasure.

Mr. H. T. Macon of Warrenton, spent Thursday in the city.

C. E. Johnson and wife paid Apex a short visit the past week.

John Lassiter, of Woodland, is visiting Rev. A. J. Parker.

J. C. Adams, of Linden, was a visitor at the College this week.

G. H. Cooper and W. D. Upchurch left Tuesday for Baltimore.

J. M. Person visited his wife's people in Nash County the past week.

J. O. Burnette and wife of Mobile, Ala., are visiting at J. H. Southall's.

Mrs. E. C. Webb, of Stovall, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. P. Neal.

Miss Pauline Tillery, of Scotland Neck, spent Tuesday in the city with friends.

Miss Beulah Parker, of Woodland, is visiting her brother, Rev. A. J. Parker.

Capt. L. L. Joyner returned Sunday from a week's visit to Washington City.

L. R. Jackson and family, of Apex, are visiting their people in and near Louisburg.

Capt. P. G. Alston, of Tatum, S. C., is visiting his people in and near Louisburg.

Sheriff J. A. House, of Thelma, paid the Messrs. Scoggin a short visit the past week.

Master Earle Macon, of Warrenton, visited Master Sebastian Macon the past week.

Miss Louise Williams, of Wake Forest, spent Wednesday in Louisburg visiting friends.

R. A. Bobbitt, after visiting his family here the past two weeks, left Tuesday for New Orleans.

Dr. Richard Ker, of Elmira, N. Y., is visiting his sister, Mrs. John London, at St. Paul's Rectory.

A. F. Johnson and family and Miss Eleanor Thomas spent Sunday with his people at Rocky Mount.

Mr. J. A. Spire and wife, of Selma who have been visiting Mrs. E. S. Ford, returned to their home last Monday.

Misses Myrtle and Bertha White, who have been visiting Mr. B. G. Hicks, returned to their home at Wise Tuesday.

Mr. K. K. Allen returned one day last week from a visit to Hot Springs Ark. His many friends here were delighted at seeing him looking so well.

Mrs. A. M. Hall and daughters, Misses Grace and Lynn, J. W. Hollingsworth and W. B. Tucker returned the past week from a visit to Atlantic City.

Cade Hayes and H. C. Williams, who have been spending the Summer at Ocean View, Va., having a position in the Virginia Bay Hotel, returned home this week.

J. H. Mitchell of Raleigh, arrived in Louisburg yesterday. He was badly scared—the effects of a collision between a street car and a horse and buggy in Raleigh last Wednesday.

A. S. Parker, who has been holding a position with the S. A. L. at Hamlet, stopped over and spent a few days with his people here, while on his way to Trinity College, where he will attend school this season.

Misses Shellye and Nellie Barrow, of Milac, Tenn., who have just returned from Berlin, Germany, where they took lessons in music on violin and pipe organ passed through Louisburg the past week on their way home and spent a few days with Messrs. G. L. Crowell and H. L. Candler.

Mrs. Maurice Brame and little son, of Winston Salem spent a few days with Mrs. C. K. Cooke this week.

Capt. C. W. Raney and wife, who have been spending the summer in Kittrell, returned to Louisburg yesterday.

Rob Bennett and family, of Middleburg, spent Tuesday in Louisburg. They were traveling in their Buick touring car.

Monger-Wilson.

On Wednesday night at the home of the bride's father near Louisburg, Miss Myrtle E. Wilson and Mr. Peter F. Monger were happily united in marriage by Rev. L. W. Swope. Only a few of the intimate friends of the contracting parties were present.

North Carolina Leaders in Public Education Meet at Chapel Hill.

At Chapel Hill last week the Superintendent of Public Schools for the various counties of the State met in regular annual session. Nearly every county was represented. Dr. F. P. Venable, President of the University, welcomed the body of educators and spoke briefly of the responsibility and importance of each County Superintendent of Schools.

The meeting then proceeded with the programme, which was a most interesting one. Some of the topics discussed were: Health and Sanitation, Instruction in Agriculture, Public High Schools, Uniform Examination for Teachers, Teacher Training, Elementary Schools, and work of the County Superintendent.

The session at which Health and Sanitation were discussed was exceedingly interesting. Dr. W. S. Rankin, Secretary of the North Carolina Board of Health, discussed Health and Sanitation. Dr. Jno. A. Ferrell, representing the Hookworm Commission of North Carolina Board of Health, spoke briefly of investigations which show the wide-spread prevalence of hookworm disease in North Carolina. He explained that in theory the eradication of the disease was easy, but in practice a great problem, the solution of which depended upon educational work. Many questions were asked and requests made that cases be described as they usually are before and after treatment. Prof. Highsmith, of Wake Forest College, cited two or three interesting cases he had seen. Then Superintendent Thompson, of Onslow County, spoke of the wonderful improvements which had resulted among hookworm victims in his county since hundreds of people had been cured of the disease. He named and described several cases which had come under his observation, and the results effected by the cure of the disease were wonderful. Concluding his remarks, he introduced the following resolution:

Whereas, we the members of the Association of County Superintendents of schools of North Carolina are convinced of the widespread prevalence of hookworm disease in the State, and the disease occasions inestimable loss to the State in lives, vitality, citizenship and material wealth; and whereas the disease is both preventable and curable.

Be it resolved, that the Association hereby pledges its co-operation in all well organized movements for the eradication of the disease; and further realizing that such a movement has already been inaugurated, we recommend that the State take such steps as may be found necessary to aid in accomplishing the desired end.

Instead of referring the resolution to the Committee on rules, the rules were suspended and the resolution voted on and adopted without a dissenting vote.

The meeting adjourned Friday after a most successful and pleasant meeting.