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COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO MEET

Call Issued for Meeting in Louisburg, Monday, October 2nd.

As will be seen by the letter published below that is being mailed to every member of the Democratic Executive Committee of Franklin county, a call has been issued for a meeting of this committee to be held in Louisburg on Monday, October 2nd, 1916, for the purpose of nominating a Coroner and a Surveyor and to discuss the appointments already made and any others that should be made. The call follows:

"As we have received personal advice that Dr. W. P. Simpson and Mr. B. B. Egerton, nominated on September 4th, for Coroner and Surveyor, will not qualify and do not want the appointment, a meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee of Franklin County is hereby called for Monday, October 2nd, for the purpose of filling these vacancies. As a member of this committee, you are earnestly requested to attend this meeting, or if circumstances are such that you cannot, give your proxy to some other member of the Committee from your township.

Also come prepared to discuss the speaking for the Campaign. A number of appointments have been made and others will be if you deem it expedient.

With your earnest co-operation we expect to wage a live Campaign this fall.

Yours very truly,
J. R. COLLIE, Chairman.
A. F. JOHNSON, Secretary."

Health Pictures.

The State Board of Health has been conducting a moving picture show here the past week in the interest of health work. The show is under the direction of Mr. R. C. Tatum, a graduate of Wake Forest, and the films presented on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, at the court house were splendid both from an amusement standpoint and educational value along health lines. Each performance was well attended by both races. The colored people were given an hour from 7 to 8 and white people were given from 8 to 11.

On Tuesday afternoon the apparatus was taken to the College and a show given there for the benefit of the college girls and on Wednesday afternoon a performance was given in the Court House for the benefit of the school children.

Dr. J. E. Malone, our efficient Health Officer, deserves the credit for having this splendid feature put on here, as through his untiring efforts the arrangements were made with the State Board of Health for the dates. There is no doubt but that it will mean much toward better health conditions generally.

Ballard-Cheatham Co., Burns.

Information was received here on Wednesday morning that the large department store of Ballard-Cheatham Co., of Franklin, was totally destroyed by fire early that morning, together with the entire stock. At this writing the amount of the loss is not obtainable, nor information as to the amount of insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown. Mr. B. W. Ballard, President of the business was in Baltimore buying his fall stock until that night.

Heroic work on the part of the citizens saved the fire from spreading to other buildings.

Candler-Crowell Co. to Use B. G. Hicks Store.

The enterprising firm of Candler-Crowell Co., has again shown their alertness in securing the store room formerly operated by B. G. Hicks and will move their shoes and goods furnishing lines thereto. They are also arranging a big sale that starts Saturday, and inform us, they will give the people some real bargains this fall. Look up their advertisement on the last page of this issue and see what they are offering.

Tar River Association.

The eighty-sixth annual session of the Tar River Association will be held with the Philadelphia Baptist church, 7 miles north of Nashville, beginning next Tuesday morning, Oct. 3. Rev. E. R. Nelson, of Henderson, will preach the introductory sermon. Rev. Geo. M. Duke, of Mapleville, is the Moderator of this body.

CAPT. W. P. CLEMENTS HAS SEVERAL RIBS BROKEN

Though Painfully Hurt He Is In No Danger and Will Recover.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 26.—Surgeons attending Captain W. P. Clements, who is in the King's Daughters Hospital, Portsmouth, as a result of injuries received in the collision on the Seaboard Air Line Railway Sunday night at Bowers Hill, tonight declared that while the patient was painfully hurt and would probably be confined to a hospital bed for five or six weeks, that he was in no danger and would recover.

When the crash came Captain Clements was in the drawing room car of the train and was hurled through the glass door. That he escaped instant death is declared little short of miraculous and was notably due to the fact that the train was moving slowly when the collision occurred.

Captain Clements sustained several fractured ribs, deep gashes laid open his forehead and wrist and his condition for a while was rendered acute by the loss of blood. His hands and ankles were also bruised. The injured man, however, was tonight said to be recovering as rapidly as possible and there are no indications of complications.

A warrant for the arrest of a 12 year-old boy whose name is withheld on a charge of turning a switch at Bowers Hill last Sunday night and causing a Seaboard Air Line passenger train to plunge against a coal train on a siding was issued here today and is in the hands of the Norfolk county authorities. It was announced that the boy, who has been under surveillance, will be arrested tomorrow. More than a score were injured in the wreck.

Beasley-Fuller.

Invitations reading as follows have been received by friends.

Mr. Robert Festus Fuller invites you to be present at the marriage of his daughter Rilla

to Mr. Fisher Jones Beasley Wednesday morning, October the fourth at eleven o'clock Corinth Baptist Church Louisburg, North Carolina.

The bride-to-be is one of Franklin County's most charming and accomplished young ladies. She is the daughter of Mr. R. F. Fuller, one of Louisburg's most prosperous business men and a grand-daughter of the late W. N. Fuller, who was surveyor for Franklin county for a long number of years. Miss Fuller is deservedly popular among a host of friends.

The groom is one of Louisburg's most popular young business men and is a son of Mr. J. O. Beasley, of near Ingleside, one of the County's most successful planters. He has held the responsible position of Cashier of the Farmers National Bank for several years and was prominently connected with the tobacco warehouses before entering the bank. He is an efficient, young man of splendid ability and habits and is very popular with a large number of friends.

Louisburg Baptist Church.

Divine worship Sunday 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School 9:45 A. M. This being the first Sunday of the Sunday School year, it is a most excellent time to matriculate in the Sunday School.

The pastor's theme in the morning will be, "The Work of the Church"; at night, "Our Amusements." Both of these subjects are of special interest at this time. The Lord's Supper will be observed in connection with the morning service.

Gets Big Still Near Sandy Cross.

Officers J. F. Lisey, June J. Lancaster and Mr. Martin, of the Revenue department were in town Monday and reported destroying a brandy still of about 65 gallons capacity, Saturday about three miles below Sandy Cross. The still was supposed to have been operated, they inform us by Robt. Easton, John and Jim Batts. There were 18 cider barrels, some full, destroyed at the still, and 20 empty barrels at the house. There quarts of brandy was found at one house and a jug containing a small quantity found at another house.

Mr. R. F. Fuller left Wednesday morning for Richmond to purchase another lot of horses and mules.

"What Would You Have Done? The People Have a Right to Know"



—Dayton News.

Franklin County Fair Almost Here.

Everybody is ready and those who are not ready are getting ready for the biggest event of the year, the Franklin County Fair which is to be here in all its glory next week! Farmers who have toiled hard all the year deserve this week of pleasure and recreation and may come out and forget their troubles in harmless and beneficial enjoyment; business men, worn out with the cares and confinement of monotonous work, may take this opportunity to get away from it and brace themselves up with a week of outdoor happiness; mothers worn weary with the worries of housekeeping may bring the children and all have a sure-enough good time with educational advantages included. All work and no play makes one grow old, and crabbed; some play and some work makes a better man every time.

We are informed that O. E. Williams, the popular and daring airplane man of Fenton, Mich., will operate his own machine, which is a 110 horse-power eight cylinder Max motor By-plane, 29ft. wide and 25 ft. long. Mr. Williams is owner of the O. E. Williams Aeroplane Co., at Fenton, Mich. He now has four machines on the road and has \$40,000 worth of contracts for flying in Ohio, Michigan and other states this fall. Mr. Williams has been flying for five years and has never had an accident. He will rise to the height of nearly a mile here, and will perform all of the startling evolutions of which a bi-plane is capable. His machines this year have the exclusive flying contracts at the Michigan State Fair, at Detroit, thus indicating that his concern is a high class one. He will put on flights with his machine that will prove the finest kind of educational entertainment for the crowds, who will come to see him.

Much interest is being manifested in the Better Babies Contest, another "something new" which will be held only on Wednesday of Fair week. Already numerous applications have been received and mothers desiring to enter babies for examination should obtain an appointment card from Miss Kate Furman, Directress, either in person or by mail. This department is to be in charge of experts who know their business. Dr. Carstarphen, of Wake Forest College is to make the examinations assisted by Miss Annie Laurie Macon. Only children from one to five years of age are permitted to enter. Mothers bring your baby and give it a chance to have the honor of being a "Better Baby" and to win a medal, diploma and a premium.

The parades this fall are going to be a big feature and a great improvement on last year. Big premiums are offered for floats and decorated vehi-

cles and several are preparing to join in these parades. There will be a grand line of marshalls from all over the county to participate in this attraction followed by beautiful floats and decorated vehicles and superb specimens of live stock of every kind. Merchants are getting materials, flags, etc. on hand for decorating their buildings and show windows, and all down town will soon change from its everyday appearance into the gayest of holiday apparel resembling Washington City on Fourth of July with all its flutterings of red, white and blue. Big premiums are also offered for the prettiest show window and the best decorated building in town.

Everybody examine their premium list and find in it something he or she has which should be exhibited at the Fair, and perhaps win an unexpected premium.

WE SHOULD WORRY!
WE SHOULD CARE!
WE'LL BE THERE!
WE'LL BE THERE!
WHERE ???
FRANKLIN COUNTY FAIR
OCTOBER, 10-14, 1916.

New Hope Against Youngville.

New Hope overwhelmingly defeated Youngville, on the latter's field Tuesday, in the presence of a large and enthusiastic crowd of Youngville rooters. The game brought out a large crowd on account of the playing of Winston, of Baltimore fame, and the Star player "Tally."

Floyd for New Hope, was master of the twirling force. Baker knocked two homers and Denton made a double at third. The score was six to twelve in New Hope's favor.

This makes 18 games New Hope has played this season, won 14 lost 4. Batteries: New Hope, Floyd and Baker; Youngville, Tally, Hill, Roberts and Winston.

Honor Roll.

The following is the honor roll for the Second Grade at Louisburg Graded School for the week ending Saturday:

Frances Allen, Rob Beck, Nell Fleming, Adelaide Johnson, Wilson Morton, Willie Clifton Perry, James Southall, Wingate Underhill, Sam Wilder, Will Yarborough, Wilmot Bunn, Max Allen, Pattie Beasley, Elsie Hudson, Lillian Howell, Maria Perry, John Williamson.

Some Pumpkin.

The prize pumpkin is exhibited at F. E. Yount's grocery, the product of Lee Chine's farm. It weighs 64 pounds. —Newton Enterprise.

Villa probably thinks he has got to make the most of it before those Tar Heel troops reach the border. —Wilmington Star.

PRICES SOMEWHAT ADVANCED

On Louisburg Tobacco Market The Past Week.

Quite a large number of farmers of Franklin and adjoining counties have witnessed the advance in price of many grades of tobacco on the Louisburg Market the past week. Where the houses have not been crowded, pretty good sales have been the result the past week. Our tobaccomen inform us that Louisburg Market is still leading the adjoining markets on priced tobacco and that there is a strong demand for all grades. Louisburg offers as many advantages as any market and every tobacco grower in reach of this market is invited to come to Louisburg with his tobacco. Look up the premiums for tobacco in the Franklin County Fair premium list and prepare to win one or more of them during Fair Week.

News Notes from Mapleville.

Most of the Mapleville people were present on Friday and Saturday nights at the Academy to witness the moving pictures shown by the State Department of Health. The lessons taught by the pictures are very effective and the community has been greatly benefited. Mr. Tatum, the very capable lecturer in charge of the Health car, is a graduate of Wake Forest College and is very courteous and genteel, making friends wherever he goes. On Saturday night immediately after the performance, cream and cake were sold by the ladies of the Betterment Association.

On Thursday the Book Club met with Mrs. J. B. Yarborough and reorganized for the coming year. C. P. Harris, Jr., was elected President; E. B. Cox, Vice-President; and Miss Lilly Leonard, Secretary. Plans were discussed and a committee appointed to outline a program for the year. The meeting was very profitable and enjoyable. Delightful refreshments were served.

Rev. G. M. Duke filled his regular appointments at Maple Springs church Saturday and Sunday. Although Mr. Duke has been sick for the past two weeks, he preached strong sermons on both occasions.

Miss Thomas, of Louisburg, spent the week-end with Mrs. J. H. Uzell.

Mr. H. H. Hobgood moved his family to Louisburg Wednesday. They will be missed very much, as they always identified themselves with the best things of community life.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. White motored to Mapleville and spent the afternoon at Mrs. Uzell's.

Miss Mary Helen Webb left Tuesday for Raleigh to be present on opening day at the State School for the Blind, where she holds a position as Primary instructor.

Terry Found Guilty of First Degree Murder.

Greensboro, Sept. 26.—Jerry A. Terry was this afternoon found guilty by the jury of murder in the first degree for having killed John R. Stewart July 15. The date of the execution will be fixed before adjournment of the term, but there will be an appeal to the Supreme Court. The jury was out three hours. Judge Bynum made the closing speech for the State this morning. He spoke three hours and delivered one of the longest and most powerful addresses to a jury ever heard in the State. A crowded court room heard him throughout the entire argument.

Revival at Corinth.

We are requested to state that the time for the revival at Corinth Baptist church, which was to have begun on the second Sunday in October has been changed to the first Sunday.

Rev. B. E. Morris, of Wake Forest, will conduct these services and the entire public is cordially invited to attend all services.

List of Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the Post Office at Louisburg, Sept. 29th, 1916, not called for: Mrs. Emma May Alston, Miss Patie Bevis, Miss Alice Barber, Mr. M. L. Fowler, Mr. A. W. Weston, Mr. S. E. Wilson.

Persons calling for any of the above letters will please state that they saw them advertised.

R. H. DAVIS, P. M.

Mr. J. R. Saunders, of Hillsboro, was a visitor to Louisburg the past week.

IN AND ABOUT TOWN.

Many on Business, Many on Pleasure, Others to be Going, But All Going or Coming.

Miss Louise Thomas returned home Saturday from Raleigh.

Mrs. Ivey Allen, Mrs. W. P. Neal and John Neal went to Chapel Hill Tuesday.

Prof. W. D. Loy, of Burlington, passed through town Tuesday, en route to Ingleside, where he will teach this session.

Sheriff and Mrs. W. H. Allen, Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Gilmore, Mrs. R. A. Bobbitt, Mrs. P. B. Griffin and Miss Mollie Strickland went to Rocky Mount, Monday night to attend a revival service conducted by Dr. Bruner and Mr. Wolslagel.

Soldier Boys to El Paso.

Camp Glenn, Sept. 26.—The Third regiment will travel from Camp Glenn on three special trains.

The first battalion will leave Camp Glenn about 8 o'clock this morning and make the trip to Raleigh by the Norfolk Southern railroad. It is expected to arrive at the Jones street station some time between 3 and 4 o'clock. It will detrain at that station, march up Saunders street to Hillsboro, thence up Hillsboro to Capitol Square, around the square to Fayetteville, down Fayetteville to Martin, thence on Martin to Nash square, where the troops will have an opportunity to see their relatives and friends.

After an hour's stay the boys will entrain at the Union station, taking the Seaboard Air Line via Birmingham for El Paso, Texas. The shift from the Norfolk Southern to the Seaboard will be made by all three battalions here. The second battalion will arrive in about an hour after the first, and the third in about an hour after the second. The transfer of the other two battalions from the Norfolk Southern to the Seaboard is expected to be made without their coming to the Union station.

October 9th, is Fire Prevention Day.

October 9, is Fire Prevention Day throughout North Carolina. Those who realize the tremendous loss by fire each year are stirring things for a proper observance of the day. Chief Farmer is urging every old cellar and garret and backyard in Raleigh be cleaned up on that day. He is anxious to see any old junk that is liable to produce a blaze or add to its volume cleaned out.

He also desires that there be speaking in all of the public schools on that day on appropriate topics.

The Methodist Church.

Next Sunday is "Rally Day" at the 11 o'clock hour, the Sunday School will present a program of songs and recitations. The entire membership is urged to attend this service. The Presiding Elder will preach at the evening hour, 7:30 o'clock.

U. D. C. Meeting.

The Joseph J. Davis Chapter U. D. C. will meet at the home of Mrs. J. A. Turner, Tuesday afternoon, October 3rd, at 3:30 o'clock.

MRS. W. E. WHITE, Pres.
MRS. J. L. PALMER, Sec'y.

Strawberries in Shelby.

Mr. K. Kendall has a variety of strawberries which is producing enough fruit at this season of the year to serve several people. The berries are small but well flavored.—Cleveland Star.

Many papers of the State are wondering why Thomas escaped so easily. They all insist, so far as we have been able to see comment, that he richly deserved more punishment than he received. —Greensboro Record.

And we have no doubt that many good Republicans felt doubtful in their own minds after hearing Mr. Bickett's speech last night. —Asheville Citizen.

Witful, wicked Kansas has engaged in another lynching bee. Kansas is horrified only when these incidents occur in the South. —Wilson Dispatch.

The most excruciating type of loneliness there is in the world is said to be that of the oyster of the church sociable. —Charlotte News.

"Why not the Record?" asks the News and Observer. That's what we have been saying all the time. —Hickory Record.