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DR. IRA LANDRITH: SPEAKS TO 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 GOOD CROWD

Quite a large number of our citizens heard the address at the Methedist church on Wednesday night by Dr. Ira Landrith, of Nashville, Tenn The address was one of the best that has been delivered in Louisburg humor, mingled with many facts that were startling and pitiful, but handled in a most masterly and interest. ing manner. The address of course was in the interest of national prohibition and was a strong appeal for the abolition of the liquor traffic

MRS. ANNIE BOONE

On January 29, 1918, the soul of a thousand North Carolina Masons Mrs. Ann Boone took its flight back to the Father who gave it. Mrs. Boone had been sick only a few days, and ginning unless we put our hearts and all was done for her that could be done by family and physicians. But the weakened constitution could not respond, the suffering was to great, and slowly life passed from the tired

The remains were tenderly laid to rest in the Webb burying ground, in the presence of those who braved the help. Our representative at this meetsevere weather to show the last sign ing pledged the loyal support of North of respect to our oldest citizen.

In her early life ,she confessed Christ as her saviour and united with the Maple Springs church, of which she was possibly the oldest member at the time of her death.

The oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I on Webb she was married over 60 mrs ago, to Mr. Spencer Moore For over 50 years they faced attles together. Her whole married life was spent in her girlhood home, and there her five children wereraised.

Mrs. Boone belonged to the class call upon every loyal member of the of Southern gentlewoman of ante-bel. craft to aid and analytour governlum days, in whom courtesy and kindness to all, rich or poor, white or black was a part of themselves, not a cloak to be put off at will.

True to her friends, a neighbor in A. war funds, and time of need, to her family she was ment of all taxes imposed upon c devotion itself. No task was too hard people, to the end that our Army and cicty is called to no sacrifice was too great if that Navy and those of our Ailies may be means that she could give pleasure sufficiently clothed, amply equipped, ciated was shown in the reverence that this horrible war may be brought out. and affection given her by her chil-

dren and grandchildren. Mrs. Boone had a ful spare of life's son was killed, in his Stamps, which many believe to be the young manhood, by a fall; another dy- best investment the Government has ing auddenly, scarce an hour after offcred the people. The purchase of

her cheerful smile, and people watch- people. ing could Laily say "she walked

with God."

She retained all her faculties in spite of her age, and was a cherishand I urge every subording in North Carolina that has i. a year before her death, in the bitter- vallable or can save about seve est weather of the wings. A young dollars per month to do the same I. woman, the great daughter of your Lorge cannot buy a thousand . remonstration of hor family. Mes. in this Grand Jurisdiction to purchase are productive Boone went to the burial, giving every stamp he can pay for up to the

Surviving her are 1't es children, Dean, and Mr. S. H. Buine, and a impairing our nation's credit." number of grand children

To these, we offer our electes; head to await the arrival of her love I give their lives, if necessary; shall a, these reads: ones in that better land, where there withheld our dellars? If you do are neither tears not set our.

LIST OF LETTERS

S. C. C.

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from France

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No missel death in the war's aw-

ennobled in spirit and soul,

In the world's greatest war to help

deargones at home

doing the while.

Be sure you can look' there

square in the eye

If you have not rhandy of

And truthfully say "1.

suggest that you of play or

Let this produce " "

The following is a list of letters remaining in the portoller at Louisburg not called for February 15th.

Miss Clar Allen, Miss Locico Cald That and maimed and crippled for well, Mr. Jim Carmichebla Mr. Mark Coppedge, Mr. Elbert Cash, Mr. Adolpheus Davis, Mrs. D. I. Martin, Mr. Ernest Mangum, Mr. J. S. Owen, Mrs. Josephine Percy (2), Mr. Turner Stokes Miss Ruth Thomas, Mrs. Alice Walker, Miss Katfe Wiley.

Following from the dead letter of fice Will Mann.

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

R. H. DAVIS, P. M. Gov. T. W. Dickett will address a patriotic Mass Meeting in Louisburg

on Monday, February 25th. They've changed the old song to Flag in your Louis form Sunday Now."

Every Monday is

A PROCLAMATION

Winston-Salem, N. C., Feb. 5, 1918

ern of the Subordinate Lodges under

the Jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge

OUR NATION IS AT WAR! Many

of our people are awake to this fact,

your liberty and freedom, your homes

and loved ones is at stake. More than

and another thousand sons of Masons

are in this fight and this is but a be-

time and money into the cause. There

can be no doubt of final victory if we

support our Government as we should

At a meeting held in Washington in

December, representatives of all fra-

ternal orders being present, the Presi-

dent and the Secretary of the Treas-

ury requested our co-operation and

The annual communication of the

Grand Lodge held in Raldigh fast

month fairly thrilled with patriotism

and a resolution was unanimously ad-

opted calling upon the Masons of this

Grand Jurisdiction to assist the Gov-

ernment in all its endeavors, espec-

ity in the sale of its securities, and

astructing the Grand Master to issue

NOW, THEREFORE, I. GEORGE

S. NORFLEET, GRAND MASTER OF

MASONS IN NORTH CAROLINA, do

to a speedy and successful end.

The campaign on Just now is for

Way pos.

his proclamation accordingly.

Carolina Masonry.

ment and its agent sthic in the conse-fuel, in the sale

of North Carolina A. F. & A. M.

Brethern:

To the Masters, Wardens and Breth-

THE COUNTY THE STATE THE UNION.

LOUISBURG, N. C., FRIDAY, PERBUART 45, 1918.

Mr. Terrell Kemp was a visitor at Mr. W E. Mays Sunday afternoon. the following registrants. They will of take notice that failure to respond to 0 0 0 Bunn, was the guests of Mrs. Ida

PROSPECT ITEMS

Perry Sunday. On Friday night Feb 8 there was a musical given at the home of Mr. W. E. Mays. A large number of visitors were present from Prospect and all from Louisburg. Everyone enjoyed the music, and on leaving hoping to have the pleasure of attending each. er musical real soon.

but thousands have not yet realized what it means. The preservation of W .O Ball went to Rock Spring. day afternoon.

Mr. J. D. May spent Saturday in Louisburg with Mr. W. H. Edens Mr. W. O. Ball was a pleasant caller at the home of A. T. Shearin last Sunday night.

Mr. S. T. Holmes spen Sunday morn ing in Katesville with Mr Jason Gos

Mr. Walter Perry was a caller at P. M Bennetts Sunday night.

We are all very glad to see this pretty weather and most especially the ones who are going to raise tobacco for they are preparing to burn plant beds.

Mr. Jenkins Strickland and Miss Harriett Moore passed through Prospect Sunday morning.

Miss Lillie H. White and Mr. Ton Moon, visited Miss White's parents in Franklinton Sunday. Miss Delsey Pearce visited Miss

lora Lee May Sunday afternoon. Mr. W. H. Edens, of Louisburg was a pleasant caller at Mr. W. E. May's

Sunday afternoon. We are very glad to say tha Mr. Johnnie Moore has improved very much also Mr. W. H. Tant is rapidly

improving. Mr. W. E. May is having some redone on his dwelling house RED, WHIE AND BLUE.

ANKLIN COUNTY MEDICAL SO-

Yarborough's office in Louisburg 8 Saturday Fobruary 16th, at 2 o'clock. to her loved ones. That it was appre- properly fed, and diligently cared for All members are requested to be pres-

E. M. PERRY, M. D. Sec. "KWIT KUSSIN"

the sale of Thrift and War Saving Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 12.-"Kindly Kwit Kussin." This is the slogar spelled in a whimsical fashion, which he left her well and strong, her hus- these stamps not only helps our Na- throughout the Southeastern Military tional Treasury but encourages thrift. Department are adopting in a cam-ten. But through it all could be seen a much needed practice among our paign to minimize prefanity among our coldiers and sallors. The Grand Lodge has purchasely

"To syna: like a trooper" of "sailone thousand dollars worth of these or" heretofor, has been readured as uy, the phrise of the proficer obsolete, for accordobsolete, for accord-Leligie a Work Director W. R. of this Gordon:

c sealing is heard in the trainfriends of her early years, was bur- collars worth, buy every dollars with ing emines today than on our streets. friends of her carp, really cold, and you can. I call upon every Maron The Signative, the men are realing

The Army and Navy Y. M. C. A. is fresh proof of the frontship which limit, and I cell upon you further to doing partiage to heap the thoughts had lasted through four noncrations hold all Government securities and of the solders man with its progcourage others to hald them, ra- ram'o physical and social activities. Mrs. George W. Boons, Mrs. J. An ther than sell them as a discount, thus, enters hencedy, q mentional classes impairing our pation's coedit."

Cond religious ervices. Many printed phrases displaced conspiciously in the . "I' call do it NOW. The need for not Triangle huts serve as constant sympathy, knowing that their loss 45 metent action is imperative. Our sent reminders to the men of the object. her gain and that she is just gone a- and brothers have already gone to ionstile character of profanity. One

> "If you curso at home, curse have We went you to feel at hima." er to you when the boys come march- They not good results; as the adtrribing man says. Recently a solthen there of our boys return home offer at one of the writing benches in a hat spewed forth a mouth ut of eaths which was overheard by a uniformed seccretary:

"Just put 'em in a leter to your mother semetime!" suggested the total !! " formed seriel ry. A few days later per sing the desire to entinue their hey gather with friends and the the enlisted man laid a neatly written | k. letter before the secretary with the por By the fire, or on summer's long statement

w mother the first letter reand profession And tell of the dimes they went "over I've a me the other day made !-In the early morn's twillight baze: me Should they ask you what you were and

YOUR

Questionnaires have been mailed to notice is a misdemeanor and subjects them to arrest by any police or other officer. All sheriffs, constables, deputies, police or other officers are hereby commanded under section 49, S. S. R. to bring the registrants named below before this Local Board. February 13, 1918.

MORE DELINQUENTS

William Taylor, Louisburgs Nathaniel Shock, Franklinton, N. C. Willie Dunston, Franklinton R. Fred White, Louisburg, N. C. Sol Austin, Perth Amboy, N. J. John Burnete, Bunn, N. C. Eddie Thomas, Wood, N. C. Joe Thomas, Louisburg, R 6. Mathew Fisher, Louisburg, R 1. Robert Hayes, Louisburg, N. C. Willie White, Franklinton. Alvin Joyner, Durham care Harma

John Thomas Smith, Louisburg, R Tom Jones, Louisburg, R 1. Henry Morgan, Wakefield R. Arthur Cotton, Louisburg R 6. James Isaac Thomas, Louisburg R

Percy Williams, Louisburg. William Wesley Sledge, S. A. L. lichmond, Va.

Ed Macon, Kittrell R L Nathaniel Perry, Franklinton Willie Williams (white) Louisburg. Fred Cooke, Louisburg. R .D. Benson, Louisburg. John Williams, North Emopria, Va James Henry Haywood, Louisburg Hosie Brooks, Louisburg R 1. Joe Davis, Louisburg R 2. Mark Knight, Louisburg. Oilie McKnight, Katesville.

man Perry, Louisburg R 4 David Hicks, Louisburg, R 4. Johnnie Cradford Vick, Wakefield.

Willia Amrthur Davis, Franklintor John Hayes, Henderson, R 6. Emmett Green Perry, Spring Hope

Youngsville, R. Haywood idi Brodie Da John Langford, Midve o. Coatesville, Pa. Albert Crudup, Franklinton, R 3. Lonie Patterson, Henderson, R 6. ward Lee Manley, Louisburg, R.

Richard King, Louisburg, R. James Elbert Koarney, Franklin-

Wiltert Hill, Louisburg, R. Rey Plummer Youngsville. Charlie George Davis, Louisburg, R.

John Thomas, Louis' urg, R 1. Tomson Caldwell, -Hollister. James Perry, Louisburg, R 1 Camuel Williams, Louisburg. Lee Pearce, Franklinton. caree, Youngsville.

William Henry Mitchell, Spring Hope, R. 2.

Richard Cooke, Louisburg, R 2: Askew Batchelor, Rocky Mount W. H. Williams. Elias Thomas, Marlborough Blen-

e'm Hotel Atantic City. Jim Eary, Wood. Hubert Cannady, Duquense, Pa. Balley Johnson, Wood, Tony Morgan, Franklinton. James Logan Williams, Louisburg. Jos Davis, Bernwell, S. C. Local Boards for the County Franklin.

By Whi H. Ruffin, Chairman.

KNITTING CONTINUES

There has been much inquiring if the knitting will continue. Notice from o lquarters is that syeaters and s are still needed in targe quan-There are many women exing. The Red Cross Chapter exto have more wool on han. art will notify all as soon as it

"odi Last week 25 sweaters, 30 ar in seven years. The Dails of socks, 5 mufflers and 2 pairs wristlets were forwarded to Mtduty toward her lanta making a total of 434 knitted I to cut out the cue. garments having been shipped to headagarters.

a next regula com -Farmers will soon be afraid to be et it be p Hahed on bringing eggs to town, for fear er-countering the income tax collec-

> T. W-Rickett-will address a K'ov. February 25th.

King George and David Lloyd George, the British Prime Minister in addresses to the British Parliamentthe former before a joint session of the house of Lords and the House of Commons, have declared again that in the recent utterances of the spokesmen of the Teutonic allies there can be found no basis for a peace which will fulfill the demands of the demo-

cratic governments. The addresses of both the Monarchs and his Prime Minister were as one with President Wilson's speech made Monday. King George declared that until there was a recognition of the basic principles upon which an honorable peace could be concluded it was the duty of the British to prosecute the war with all the vigor they

Wilson is Right

Mr. Lloyd George asserted that President Wilson's estimate of the recent speeches of Count Von Hertling the Imperial German Chancellor, and Count Czernin the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister was a correct one He added that the British Government had not receded an iota from its announced war aims.

Until some better proof than had been provided by the speeches of-th leaders of the Central Powers th those countries were prepared to sider the aims and ideals for the Allies and the United State fighting for, Mr. Lloyd Ger it would be Great Britain's ble duty to go on and make tions net rsary to establish tional right.

Activity In the West The military activity on front is daily increasing in_volate. The patrol encounters a st is being added set in, and more ze

to-the fighting. Epechy and La-The British near ato and clamy positions in the counted for others, as it is certain the region inflicting numerous castacked patrol. fought to a finish, according to information trickling in taking prisoners and machine guns.

Our patrolling soldiers were walk-Likewise north of the Ailette river of our patrolling soldiers were walkad in the Wouvre sector the French

have made successful attacks which resulted in the capture of nearly three hundred prisoners. A somewhat ambitious attack by the Germans in the Verdun sector was put down by the French with severs ensualties.

continue to carry out patrolling maneuvers toward the enemy treaches The Germans evidently are analous to figs and making photographs. The gauge the positions occupied to their heads high in the size over Americans and also to ascerta's the their heads. number of men they are erial minfor Unity their aircraft era ho ering? over the lines taking photographs and . Owing to the knowled weather evguns several times have driven of plant belt. the enemy.

al offensivo. A German c store; by the Postena Salara the Lemes of the British says that at indication as yet when the Corners kin has pres in saleol. the British says that at least one Lind weig. tions of fresh troops daily are mraty largery to with the mather, ing out practice maneuver :.

On the Italian front the Austrian : Neck. again have endeavored to test the plateau sector. The German war offi-, Mr. Jeffrey's last Friday night. ce asserts that the Austrians car- 1 Pr. Ollic Incom visited Runn last ried out a most successful attack, Sundan en business ore, but the Italian official communiion declares that the Austrian col. jollywelch at Hickory Rock.

as were torn to pieces by the Italian artillery as they tried to get ia the southern slopes of Monte Sq 10 MEETING OF PROSPECT LOCAL Rosso and other positions and the offensive completely repulsed.

in the number of aerial attacks de ered by entente airmen on Gerren towns in January. In all 31 of the raids were made, according to a Goman official statement, Karlsrube Mannheim, Freidrichshaven, the bemof the Zeppelin airship industry, and other towns were bombed: The state. planes during these attacks.

SUPT. BEST ADDRESSED BOY

NUMBER 1

SCOUTS At a meeting of the Boy Scouts in the court house in Louisburg on last Friday night Supt. Best made quite an earnest and interesting appeal in behalf of the War Savings Stamp Campaign, in a very interesting address opening the campaign in the county that is being conducted by the Boy Scouts all over the United States this week.

It was also the occasion of the niversary of the organization. troop attended services at the

hes in a body Sunday. The great work that has bee and is being done by the Bo in the prosecution of the wo important and is huge in and has received the hea dations of President Wil and other leaders in the present time of the greatest crisis in the history of the American people.

AMERICAN PATROL IS AMBUSCA-DED IN NO MAN'S LAND

Five Belle ed to Have Been Killed, Four My ssing and One Wounded. Artillery Immediately Laid A Barrage ire Around Ambushing Germans d Some Are Belleved to Hawe Been Accounted For; The Infanta-Goth Others.

With the American Arpy in France, Saturds Feb. 9.-Five American soldiera ve believer to have been killed diers at missis and one was wound-brour at missis and one was wound-which d, where in the merican patrol was am-were me in to Mans Land last night rge said survise force of Germans.

regretta- he sol white the reports prepara oncerning the casualties inflicted by internation sides are meagre.

Only one American is known to have escaped the trap of the Germans which was laid in front of our e being car. wires. The one survivor, who crawlried out by larger platties than as been the case since the hard witer bullet in his chest is unable totalk. Our artillary immediately laid a

barrage around the ambushing Germans and some are believed to have have conducted further incur- been accounted for. The infantry acpositions in the counted for others, as it is certain the

been divided into parties which took up concented positions opened fire at close range. The night was clear and the forms of the Americans made the best possible targets for the hidden Bet seen the Americans and the Germans. There is no doubt that the Gernese there is a contant change / mericans but led samely until comof artificity age, and the American pictory overpowered. The artiflery duel in our sector continue! teday. Scores of aliphanes were out observ-

MOCH SPRINGS ITEMS

Calling to be busy burning

We are very corry Miss Ruby Har-Although the increases in the co. I with the with us anymore in this tivity along the entire from the France. It is not asked to her father is seriand Belgium is noticeable there is no Cuty Mt. Miss Mal of Perrott has ta-

March. Meanwhile large concentrate Page + College more a few days of

ing behind the German line and carry ; "Heat Dorla's Claurow is Espanding a schille with relatives in Scotland

Clines Class and Zens Bobbltt and strength of the Italians in the Sette Tell's Watter afferred a dames at

We'll ring off for this time from a

YOU AND I.

UNION

There will be a meeting of the There was a considerable increas Prospect local of the Farmers Union in the Court House in Louisburg Saturcay Feb. 16 at 2:30 P. M. All members are urgently request-

ed to be present. T. J. HARRIS, Pres.,

J. C. JONES, Sec.

Gov. T. W. Bickett will address a ; Mass Meeting in Louisburg ment says the entente lost four air patriotic Mass Meeting in Louisburg A Monday, February 25th.