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BIGGEST DAY AT TRINITY

SERVICES IN HONOR OF FRANKLIN'S HEROES.

Largest Gathering in History of Beautiful Little Trinity Church, And One of Finest and Most Patriotic Services Ever Held There.

There was an unusually large assemblage at Trinity M. E. Church, six miles north of Louisburg, last Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the audience exceeding the capacity of the edifice by perhaps two hundred persons. The occasion of so large a gathering of family connections, friends and acquaintances from Franklin and adjoining counties, was the joint Memorial Services of two of Franklin's valiant and esteemed young men who gave their lives in their efforts to bring final peace to a world so fraught with trouble and strife. Willie Glenn Macon, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Macon, and Perry Ashley Wilson, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Wilson.

Rev. Jas. B. Turner, of Wake Forest, Chaplain of the 1st Battalion of the 30th Division, of which Sergeant Macon was a member, conducted the services.

Rev. A. L. Ormond, a former beloved pastor of Trinity, was expected to be present and take part in the services, but owing to the death of a brother, only a few days preceding the occasion, and also the illness of a son, who is suffering from injuries received in the cause for which these young men died, he could not attend.

Rev. Perry, pastor of the church, led in prayer, and made appropriate remarks in announcing the speaker.

A number of soldiers present wore regulation uniform in commemoration of their comrades.

Chaplain Turner read a few passages of Scripture, not particularly as a text, but bearing on the subject of his discourse. A thoroughly sympathetic audience, manifesting the deepest interest in the services, the speaker had their closest attention, and his remarks commemorated each of the deceased soldiers were most appropriate and impressive.

Mr. Turner stated that he had attended a number of Home Coming celebrations, but this was the first memorial service that he had had the privilege or the honor of attending or taking part in.

A very impressive feature of the services was the music, so well rendered by a Louisburg choir, composed of Miss Sallie Williams, organist Messrs. Malcolm McKim, T. W. Watson, Mrs. A. H. Fleming, Mrs. W. E. White and Miss Dodson. The selections were: "Lead Kindly Light," and "Abide With Me." A solo, "Crossing the Bar," was beautifully rendered by Miss Dodson, of the College Faculty, and at the close the National Anthem was sung.

MR. E. H. HALE DEAD.

After several years of suffering, Mr. Emmitt Hunter Hale, age thirty-three, died at his home on Kenmore Avenue about 3 o'clock Wednesday morning. He leaves a wife and two little children, Mrs. M. M. Hale, Miss M. B. Hale and Lillie Hale, two brothers, Mr. Ernest M. Hale, of Dillon, S. C., and Mr. Joseph Hale, of Laurens, S. C., and a number of friends and relatives.

Mr. Hale was a consistent member of the Louisburg Baptist Church and was a young man of a fine personality and splendid business ability. For a number of years and until he was forced to give up his work on account of his health, he was local Manager of the Louisburg Telephone Exchange, in which position he won many friends for himself and his company.

The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the home conducted by his pastor, Rev. Trela D. Collins, and the interment was made at Oaklawn cemetery. Quite a large number attended both services and the floral tribute was especially pretty.

The bereaved family and relatives have the sympathy of the entire community.

MASONIC FUNERAL.

We are requested to state that the funeral of Mr. L. I. Radford, deceased will be preached at Sandy Creek church on the fourth Sunday in October at 2 o'clock (old time) under the auspices of Sandy Creek Lodge No. 185 A. F. & M. E. Everybody is invited to attend, especially all Masons.

SELLS FOR \$1.25 A POUND.

Louisburg Tobacco Market Registers A New High Record.

Making for itself a new high record the Louisburg tobacco market sold tobacco as high as \$1.25 a pound yesterday. The demand remains good, and the warehousemen here are determined to lead the State. All grades are selling well and you are invited to bring your tobacco on to Louisburg and join the many satisfied patrons of Louisburg Market.

EQUALITY OF OPPORTUNITY

THEME DISCUSSED BY HON. O. MAX GARDNER.

To Court House Full of People in Louisburg Tuesday—One of Best Speeches Delivered in Louisburg in Some Time.

Declaring that an Equal Opportunity is what he wants to see every person in North Carolina and the Nation have, Hon. O. Max Gardner, North Carolina's popular and distinguished Lieutenant-Governor delivered one of the best speeches heard in Louisburg in many years to a Court House full of people who thoroughly enjoyed and appreciated it.

The speaking was a part of the Fair programme but on account of the threatening weather it was changed to the Court House instead of at the Fair Grounds. President Ben. T. Holden in a few well chosen remarks presented Mr. Norman B. Hedgepeth, one of Louisburg's leading young attorneys who would introduce the speaker.

Mr. Hedgepeth's remarks were especially well selected and justly complimentary picturing the speaker as one of North Carolina's Sons who had won his way in the world by his own efforts, and now was doing himself and North Carolina credit in the important office of Lieutenant Governor.

Leut. Gardner spoke first of the agricultural interests of the State, showing how North Carolina had advanced in the line of progress since the Civil War to a most enviable plate in the Union's importance. He paid his respects to organized bodies doing so much to stir up unrest and pointed to the fact that as eighty per cent of our people were unorganized—a more equal form of control should be in practice.

Mr. Gardner paid a beautiful tribute to North Carolina manhood in its response to the World's distress. Referring to the State's attitude in the Civil War being the last to enter the Confederacy and last to give over he declared that North Carolina was a conservative State and he was glad it was. That now in the time of reconstruction from the World War it would be slow to act with the turmoil and trouble breeder, and quick to bend itself to rebuilding and more production.

In speaking of the wealth of the State he showed where North Carolina paid in Revenue twelve millions of dollars in a few months this year and one hundred and four millions in 1918, showing that it was one of the rich States. As evidence that it was not a selfish and miser state he said that in all the war work campaigns, liberty loans, etc., North Carolina had taken \$3,485,000 for each soldier that had answered the call of his country from the State.

Declaring ignorance one of the greatest curses that a person or country ever had to contend with, he made a pretty plea for the compulsory school law, stating that a person who could and would not send his children to school ought to be made to do so. "I don't believe all persons were born equal," the speaker said, "but I do believe that all of them should be given an equal opportunity to go out into the world and measure up to what there is in them."

Speaking of the present crisis between capital and labor he says that in the midst of this question the world seems to have lost sight of the unorganized population representing at least eighty per cent.

Declaring his opposition to the present bill in Congress providing military training or any other measure making such training compulsory he says he believes the only thing necessary is to give every person an equal opportunity to work out his life's problems in God's bright Sunshine and pure air and when the time comes, if ever it does, we will be found capable of breaking any lines of defense like the boys of the 30th did the Hindenburg line.

The speech was a fine piece of literature and was well delivered. Lieutenant Governor Gardner has made a most favorable impression on Franklin County's people in his first public speech in Louisburg which is unanimously declared to be a gem.

President Holden extended the heartiest thanks to the Speaker in behalf of the Fair Association and the large number present for the excellent address he had just delivered.

WILL DRIVER GIVES \$300 BOND.

Revenue Officers Destroy Ninety Gallon Still, Nine Hundred Gallons Beer, One-Half Gallon Boze.

In a hearing before United States Commissioner W. B. Morton Tuesday Will Driver was allowed \$300 bond for furnishing tools or other things for the illicit manufacture of whiskey.

It developed that Revenue officers J. P. Stell, J. A. Hutchins and N. E. Raines made a raid in Harris township early Tuesday morning and found a ninety gallon still on a branch near Tom Joyner's. They also found and destroyed about nine hundred gallons of beer and one-half gallon of whiskey. The still was at work. They saw four men and one boy run away as they approached the still and Met Will Driver going to the still. They found articles they claim they could identify as belonging to Will at the still.

A BRONZE MEMORIAL TABLET FOR FRANKLIN'S WORLD WAR SOLDIERS.

The people of Franklin County will erect in the Court House a bronze memorial tablet to commemorate the services and sacrifices made by her sons in the World War.

Contributions will be received from every one, however small, as the plan is to make it a testimonial of the people. The tablet will contain the names in full of every soldier from Franklin County who died in camp or on the fields of France—no distinction is drawn for the soldier dying in camp while training as truly sacrificed his life as if he faced the guns in battle.

The records of the Local Board have in their entirety been sent to Washington, and besides the Board had no record at all of the soldier after he was accepted at camp; hence it is asked that the relatives of every soldier who died in service will give his full name, Company and regiment, if possible, place and date of death.

These names etc. may be given at any time to Dr. A. H. Fleming, Mrs. Henry C. Taylor or Wm. H. Ruffin, and a record will be made of same.

Contributions will be received at the Soldiers' Booth in the Fair Grounds, by Mrs. Henry C. Taylor, Dr. Fleming or Mr. Ruffin or either of the three banks in Louisburg at any time.

MEMORIAL COMMITTEE.

MANY CONVICTIONS IN COURT

JUDGE GUION MAKING FRIENDS IN FRANKLIN.

Several Continuances—Many Cases Being Gotten Off Docket—Not a True Bill as to N. E. Wright.

Franklin Superior Court for the regular October term convened in Louisburg on Monday for the trial of criminal cases. Judge O. H. Guion, of Newberne is presiding in a way that is bringing much satisfaction to the people of the county, as in his rulings and managements of his courts he seems to recognize his duty to the people and the State to accomplish the maximum results. His charge to the jury was masterful and timely, and was especially clear in what the Court and the community expected of them. The State is ably represented by Hon. H. E. Norris, who was promptly on hand and prosecuting in the name of the State.

The Grand Jury is composed of the following gentlemen: A. S. Joyner, Foreman, S. C. Kearney, Wyatt West, W. A. Jones, E. B. Moore, C. H. Wheelers, D. V. Cheaves, J. A. Mitchell, H. D. Wester, W. A. Benton, G. W. Murphy, J. C. Winston, W. H. Williams, Jr., W. E. Holland, W. H. Perry, Jr., Phil Pearce, Sol West, C. H. Clay. John Smith was sworn in as officer to the jury.

The criminal docket was then taken up and disposed of as follows:

State vs G. S. Jacobs, manslaughter, defendant enters plea of nolo contendere, judgment, fined \$300 and costs and to be confined in jail for the period of twelve months to be hired out by the county commissioners.

State vs G. W. Bradley violating town ordinance, defendant called and failed, judgment nisi scifa capias and continued.

State vs Bob King, attempt to bribe, nol pros with leave.

State vs James Robbins, abduction, nol pros with leave.

State vs Trim Alston, retailing, nol pros with leave.

State vs Gullford Perry, assault, c c w, called and failed, continued.

State vs Israel Alston, forcible trespass, unlawful cutting timber, enters plea of nolo contendere, judgment suspended upon payment of costs.

State vs Ed Chaney, c c w, Prayer for judgment, six months on roads, execution not to issue so long as defendant remains sober.

State vs Joe Cooley and Charlie Green c c w, a d w, guilty, judgment as to Charlie Green in c c w, fine \$50 and to pay Joe Cooley and costs in action, in a d w, judgment 12 months on roads, commissioners to hire out, and costs. As to Cooley in c c w, fined \$50 and costs, in a d w, eight months in jail. Commissioners to hire out.

State vs J. R. Rich, abandonment, waives bill and pleads guilty, prayer for judgment continued upon payment of costs and B. T. Holden and W. H. Yarborough \$25 each as private prosecutors.

State vs Ira Alston, l and r, guilty, four months in jail, commissioners to hire out, and costs.

State vs Sidney Davis, unlawful possession of whiskey, nol guilty.

State vs Bufus Weaver, selling cider unlawfully, not guilty.

State vs Joel Martin l and r, pleads guilty, six months in jail, commissioners to hire out, and costs.

State vs Locksey Crossen, Merman Wright, Willie Wilson, Milton Morgan, James Foster, Ben Johnson, Alex Wilcox, Hubert Crossen, Clarence Ruffin, defendants submit, nol pros as to Hubert Crossen, Locksey Crossen and Clarence Ruffin left open, all other defendants fined \$10 each and costs.

State vs Locksey Crossen and Clarence Ruffin, highway robbery, pleads guilty, Ruffin to be confined in State's

BIG CROWDS ATTEND FAIR

GOOD EXHIBITS—NICE DISPLAY—BIG CARNIVAL.

Hon. O. Max Gardner Delivers Address—Big Parade of School Children on Wednesday.

Possibly the most interesting portion of the fair programme this week was the big parade of school children on Wednesday, when twelve or fifteen hundred little tots formed in line, marched around the Court Square then up Main Street to College Street, then to the fair grounds. This was a pretty sight to all those who are interested in the advancement of education in the County.

The fair opened on Tuesday morning but on account of the threatening weather the big parade that had been staged was called off, and the address of Hon. O. Max Gardner, North Carolina's Lieutenant Governor, was held at the Court House. However a large number of people were in attendance and continued to patronize the fair all through the week.

Where the individual exhibits are small in number this year as compared with former years, the community exhibits were excellent, among the best and most complete were Bunn, Wood and White Level. The canning club exhibit was fine and showed much progress in the past few years. The model kitchen and the Art exhibits attracted much attention and were fine. The public welfare booth and that of the Fancy Work came in for their share of patronage and were appreciated. One of the most interesting of booths was that of the curios and war relics which is one of the most popular and possibly the most attractive to young and old alike is the booth of the Army Recruiting Station of Greensboro from the time the exhibit hall is opened until it is closed in the afternoon this booth is crowded with spectators who are looking at and handling the guns, bayonets, shells, mess kits, shoes and the many other things that are on display, through the courtesy of Colonel A. V. P. Anderson commanding the N. C. Recruiting district, Corporal Lael Private Gillen and Private Kehman were with the exhibit to explain it and give any information in regards to Bonus, travel pay, allotments, insurance, etc. These men have been on the grounds early and late and through their courtesy have made many lasting friends in Louisburg and Franklin County.

The Army is offering service at once for one and three years in the following countries: Europe, Siberia, Mexican Border, and Camp Bragg, at Fayetteville, N. C., and Oteen at Asheville, N. C., and general assignment in the United States also three years in China, Philippines, Hawaii, Panama, and Alaska. The colored people have a booth in which they have on exhibit many pieces of fancy work and other items of interest which reflects much credit.

The poultry and live stock department is well represented with some fine stock.

Dr. A. H. Fleming, the Fair Association's efficient Secretary, succeeded in getting one of the biggest Carnival Companies the fair has had and it is proving very satisfactory. Large crowds are attending both day and night and the fair gives good promise of being a big success.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Information Concerning The Health of the People of Franklin County, Worth Your Attention.

By DR. J. E. MALONE, Health Officer.

"INFLUENZA."

This Disease is contracted from apparently well people. You don't have to come in contact with people who know they have it. So avoid people who are coughing and sneezing. Do not attend crowds or large gathering indoors or outdoors any more than you can help. Keep three feet from people when talking. When you cough or sneeze, cover your nose or mouth with a handkerchief or turn your face downwards.

Don't use cup or other eating utensil, used by others without thoroughly washing and boiling it. Don't put into your mouth fingers, pencils or other things that do not belong there.

Wash your hands before eating. Eat plenty of simple, nourishing food. Sleep in rooms filled with fresh air, but keep the body warm.

If you get influenza, go immediately to bed to ward off pneumonia and stay in bed several days after fever subsides to avoid subsequent weakness.

We have on hand fresh Influenza, Pneumonia Anti-Vaccine.

Science equipment. Other things for the betterment of our school and community were discussed. The Association then adjourned to meet again Wednesday November 5th, 1919.

(Miss) Grace Harris, Sec'y.

AMONG THE VISITORS

SOME YOU KNOW AND SOME YOU DO NOT KNOW.

Personal Items About Folks and Their Friends Who Travel Here And There.

Mr. L. D. Bassett, of Rocky Mount, was in Louisburg Monday.

Mr. I. T. Valentine, of Spring Hope was in attendance at Court Tuesday.

Miss Louise Thomas, of Raleigh, is spending this week here with relatives.

Mrs. C. G. Bedford, of Lexington, is visiting Mrs. E. F. Thomas this week.

Mr. M. D. Smith, of near Rocky Mount, was a visitor to Louisburg Wednesday.

Prof. N. Y. Guley, of Wake Forest, was in attendance upon Court here Tuesday.

Messrs. J. H. Southall and E. F. Postress, of Raleigh, visited Louisburg this week.

Mr. W. Elias Beasley, of Oak Ridge Institute, came home Wednesday to take in the fair.

Dr. W. S. Rankin, Secretary to the State Board of Health, was a visitor to Louisburg Monday.

Dr. W. R. Bass attended a meeting of the Veterinary Association held in Henderson on Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Griffin, of Raleigh, are on a visit to his people in Louisburg and to take in the fair.

Messrs. J. W. Bailey, W. B. Jones, C. H. Anderson, R. W. Wynne, A. E. Beddingfield, of Raleigh, were in Louisburg Friday and Saturday on business.

Mr. R. B. White, of Wake Forest, was in Louisburg Friday and Saturday conducting a hearing as Referee of the suit entitled Gray & Wynne vs. Greenleaf-Johnson Lumber Co., for damages for cutting undersized lumber and for fire damage.

PUT UNDER \$500 BOND.

For having too much booze about his premises Charlie Sutton, of near Wood was brought to Louisburg Tuesday, given a hearing before United States Commissioner W. B. Morton and placed under a \$500 bond, failing to give same he was committed to jail.

From what we could learn he had about two or three gallons under his corn crib in a ten gallon keg, a quantity stored away in Coca Cola bottles, and some in fruit jars and other vessels.

Revenue Officers made the raid that caught Sutton.

GRAHAM-VANN.

Miss Jessica Vann, of Wilmington, and Dr. William A. Graham, of Charlotte, were quietly married Wednesday morning, Oct. 15th, at Louisburg, N. C., in the home of Mrs. W. P. Neal, a friend of the bride.

The bride made her home in Wilmington with her uncle, Capt. Walter G. MacRae, and since September has been a member of the Faculty at Louisburg College. The groom is a prominent physician in Charlotte and is well known throughout the State. Immediately after the ceremony Dr. and Mrs. Graham left for Charlotte, where they will be at home at 15 West 7th Street.

DICKIE-MACON.

The following announcement of the approaching marriage of one of Franklin County's most popular young ladies:

"Mr. and Mrs. William Jefferson Macon request the honour of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Sallie Louise, to Mr. Durward Thomas Dickie, on Wednesday the twenty-ninth of October, at twelve o'clock noon, Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, Louisburg, North Carolina.

"At home after November the seventh Epsom, North Carolina."

No invitations will be sent at Ingleside.

The bride to be is the daughter of Mr. W. J. Macon, of near Ingleside, and is one of the County's most popular and accomplished young ladies who enjoys the widest friendship among a host of acquaintances.

The groom is a young business man of Vance County, being a son of Mr. Dickie, of Epsom. He is justly popular among his many friends.

The couple have the congratulations and best wishes of a large number of friends.

RETURNS TO LOUISBURG.

Mr. G. C. Winstead, who for a number of years was the efficient book keeper for the P. A. Reavis Co. here, has returned to Louisburg and taken his old position. Mr. Winstead has been in Rocky Mount for the past two or three years. He has many friends in Louisburg who will be glad to learn of his return.