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PUBLIC WELFARE WORK.

That Has Been Accomplished in Franklin County Since Its Establishment.

Mr. Joseph C. Jones, Superintendent of Public Welfare, submits a partial report on the work of his department since its establishment that will be of interest to all, and we feel safe in saying that will be endorsed by the larger portion of Franklin's citizenship. It will be noticed that he suggests a co-operation on the part of the public to the end that the good results of this department may be extended to every individual in the county that is in need and we will add that it is a most wholesome suggestion and one in which our people should be delighted to take part. The report follows:

Suggested from your editorial of last week and feeling that the people of the county are entitled to some information concerning this work, even though a good portion of it is debarrated from publication on account of the unnecessary embarrassment it would bring about. I give to you the following information that you are at liberty to give publicity to if you see fit.

The Public Welfare work and the Juvenile Court have been in operation in the county for several months and no statement has yet been published regarding the work accomplished.

I feel that the public is entitled to an account of all the work that has been done and I am therefore preparing this statement of the work that has actually been done that the people may see that much good has been accomplished and that much more remains to be done when the people understand just what the work is.

There have been between twenty and thirty juvenile (children) cases handled by the juvenile court and the Superintendent, out of court.

It is not practical to publish an account of each case as it will take up too much space in the paper I am giving an account of a few cases and the disposition made of them.

It is the purpose of the juvenile work to assist a child when it has gone wrong to do better and not to punish it and therefore it would not be just fair to the child to publish in a newspaper an account of his or her misdoings, and then some of the cases are children who are dependent and not able to care for themselves. I will write them up under the case number given them as they come up.

Each case is given a number as it occurs, for instance case No. 1 was the first to occur and case No. 5 was the fifth we had to handle and so on down the list.

The cases published are selected as being typical of the work being done and shows the variety of the juvenile cases coming up and the disposition made of each.

Case No. 2: Is a little fourteen years old girl whose father is dead and whose mother had virtually abandoned her having married again and moved away to another county leaving the little girl with an old aunt.

The aunts having failing she was not able to care for the little girl any longer and as her people were not able or willing to care for her she had no where to go.

She wrote me a letter asking if I could tell her what to do as she would soon be without a home as her aunt had to break up housekeeping and she, the little girl, had no where to go.

Very fortunately I was able to secure a scholarship for her at one of the best colleges in the south, with all expenses paid. She can now stay at the college until she has graduated and is able to take care of herself.

Case No. 8: Is a boy who had been giving his teachers and parent lots of trouble.

They were talking of expelling him from school as they were not able to manage him.

He was carried before the juvenile court and put on probation.

At the end of the month I received a report from his teacher saying that his department was entirely satisfactory, that he was putting forth some effort to learn and that it was a pleasure to teach him.

Case No. 10: Is a boy thirteen years of age.

His father was unable to manage him and he would not stay at home at night or in the day but would ramble about with a bunch of boys. He finally stole a considerable amount of money.

The money was later recovered and his father then came to me and asked me to help him as he was not able to manage him.

A place was secured for him in one of the best training schools where he will now have a chance to overcome his bad habits and by thorough training to become a real man.

Case No. 14: A little colored girl. This girl's father died leaving her mother two farms, her mother later married again and shortly after died leaving the little girl with her step-father and leaving the step-father in charge of the farm.

Some time later her father's people tried to get her away from her step-father claiming that he was not caring for her properly and that they did not even get enough to eat.

The case was investigated and the step-father was given an excellent name by both white and colored people, he had six barrels of flour, several hundred pounds of meat enough corn

to last him through the year and he was taking excellent care of the farm and of the child.

As was stated before these are only a few of the juvenile cases that have occurred since the welfare work was begun in the county and as the people become better acquainted with the work and report to us all the cases needing assistance the work will broaden until there will not be a needy case in the county that will not get the assistance needed and the cases of delinquency in children will be attended to before the child will have developed criminal habits that will ruin its chances in life.

There has been a considerable amount of work done along other lines, as the following will show:

An appropriation of \$275.00 was secured for the Rileys school from the Wake County Board of Education to take care of the children from Wake that were attending the Rileys school.

About 90 trips have been made to schools looking after the attendance and more than two hundred and fifty letters written.

One hundred and fifty permits have been written excusing children temporarily from attending school to help on the farm.

The school attendance has been increased about forty per cent over what it has been before.

The outside pauper list was given me to investigate and several were found on the list who had no right to be there.

A man who had been on the list had been dead for some time but some one was still drawing his pension.

Another man had his three children on the list and upon investigation it was found that one of them had married and had several children, another was grown and making a good salary while the youngest was large enough to support himself. They were all stricken from the list.

Several have attempted to get on the pauper list that upon investigation were found not entitled to a place there.

Between twenty and thirty soldiers and sailors have been assisted in securing compensation, insurance, uniforms, back pay, allotments, straightened out, medical treatment, etc.

One soldier was placed in a hospital and treated free by the government.

This gives in a general way an account of the work that is being done and shows the possibilities for good results when full cooperation is given it by all the people.

No child under sixteen years of age may now be tried before the superior court who has committed a crime under a felony. The juvenile court handles these cases and instead of punishing the child by putting him in confinement with real criminals where he himself may become a hardened criminal he is either put on probation with some one who is able to care for him properly or he is sent to a training school for correction and not punishment.

All orphans and dependent children will now be looked after and homes secured for those needing them.

The indigent aged and infirm will be looked after and cared for as they are reported to us. There have been several cases along this line that we have been able to care for satisfactorily.

I trust that this report will show to those not so well acquainted with the work what has been and is being done and will cause them to give us their assistance in making the work even more effective by reporting to us all they may know of needing help in any way, especially the orphaned, blind and crippled children.

JOSEPH C. JONES, Supt. Public Welfare.

JONES-WILDER.

Franklinton, April 14.—The wedding of Miss Pearl Ruth Wilder and Mr. Howell Gray Jones was solemnized today at 3:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Margaret Adela Wilder, Rev. M. Stamps officiating.

The parlor was decorated with running cedar, bridal wreath and white hyacinths, an improvised altar crowned with white candles adding to its attractiveness.

The guests included only the relatives and intimate friends of the couple. Miss Minna Wilder, sister of the bride, presided at the piano and played Mendelssohn's wedding march as the bridal party entered and Humoresque during the ceremony.

Miss Mary Wilder, sister of the bride, and Miss Mary Sherrod were bridesmaids and wore white net over silk, with picture hats to match and carried bouquets of spring flowers and fern.

The bride was attired in a dark blue tailored suit, with hat and accessories to match and carried pink carnations.

Miss Lizzie Wilder, of Knightdale, enrolled the guests in the Bride's Book. After the ceremony the bride and groom left for the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones, of Katesville, where a reception was given them and Southern Barbecue supper served.

AT PINEY GROVE.

We are requested to state that there will be preaching at Piney Grove Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend.

HOME DEMONSTRATION DEPARTMENT.

Simple Ways of Cooking Eggs.

Eggs should be cooked at a low temperature if the greatest enjoyment and value of food is to be obtained from eating them. Cooking eggs at a low temperature will keep them from becoming tough, which state renders them less digestible.

Poached eggs on Toast: Break each egg into a saucer. Combine an equal quantity of milk with water and let this reach the boiling point. Carefully slip the egg into the boiling liquid, cover and remove from fire. Cook until the white is firm, baste the yolk to form a film over it. Take up carefully with a skimmer and serve on slices of toast. Season to taste.

Poached eggs and tomato sauce: Allow one-half teaspoon of salt to one quart of water, have a shallow pan 2 thirds full of boiling water. Break each egg separately into a saucer and slip them into the water. Cook as for poached eggs and serve with the following sauce: two cups canned tomatoes and one slice of onion, one-fourth teaspoon salt, two tablespoons butter, two tablespoons flour, one-half teaspoon pepper. Cook tomato and onion 20 minutes, then rub through a strainer. Melt the butter, add dry ingredients and strained tomatoes. Tomatoes will retain their red color if the flour is browned before using. Pour this sauce over the eggs and serve.

Shirred Eggs: Cover the bottom and sides of a small baking dish, preferably an earthen one, with fine bread or cracker crumbs. Break each egg into a saucer and carefully slip it into the dish. Cover with seasoned buttered crumbs and bake in a moderately hot oven until the whites are firm and crumbs are a golden brown.

Eggs in Nest: Carefully separate the white from the yolk of an egg. Beat the white until stiff and pile lightly on a nicely trimmed slice of toast. With a spoon make a depression in the top of the white and slip the egg yolk into it. Place on a baking dish in a moderate oven and when the white has become golden brown remove and serve. Season to taste.

Eggs Baked in Tomato: Cut a slice from the stem end of a small tomato and scoop out part of the pulp. Refill this with an egg, sprinkle with salt and pepper, and add a few small bits of butter, cover the opening with buttered crumbs and bake in a moderate oven until crumbs are a golden brown.

Egg Souffle: Two tablespoons butter, one and one-half tablespoons flour and one and one-half cups milk, five eggs, one-half cup cream, one teaspoon salt. Cream the butter, add the flour and gradually the scalded milk and cream. Cook in double boiler (a small bucket may be placed in a large bucket in place of double boiler) five minutes and add yolk of eggs which have been beaten until lemon colored. Add seasoning and fold in stiffly beaten whites. Turn into a buttered dish, set in a pan of hot water and bake in slow oven until firm.

Escalloped Eggs: Two tablespoons butter, two cups bread crumbs, six hard cooked eggs, two cups cooked macaroni, one cup milk, one-half teaspoon salt, two tablespoons flour, three tablespoons grated cheese, one-eighth teaspoon pepper, one cup tomato sauce. Make a sauce of the flour, butter, salt and pepper, and remove from the fire to add grated cheese. Stir until melted. Combine carefully the cooked macaroni, sliced egg and salt.

After covering bottom of baking dish with buttered crumbs add the mixture. Then add rest of crumbs, brown in hot oven and serve with tomato sauce.

Golden Dressing: One-fourth cup lemon juice, one-fourth cup light colored fruit juice, six tablespoons sugar, two egg yolks. Beat the eggs, add the fruit juice, stir gradually into the lemon juice and add the sugar. Cook in a double boiler and stir until the mixture coats a spoon. Cool quickly by dipping into cold water, beating the mixture at the same time. This dressing is combined with fruits to be served as salads or desserts. Some attractive combination of Canning Club products are: 1. Canned peaches, cherries and fresh apples, using cherry juice with the lemon in the dressing. 2. Canned figs, fresh oranges, and peaches, using orange juice in the dressing. 3. Pineapple and grape fruit, using pineapple juice in the dressing. 4. Canned berries or fresh grapes, apples and pears, using scuppernon juice in the dressing. Any of these dishes may be made especially attractive by garnishing them with nuts, whole cherries, berries, or marshmallows.

MRS. BEAM ENTERTAINS U. D. C.

The U. D. C. held a very pleasant meeting Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. G. M. Beam. Mrs. J. L. Palmer gave a very interesting reading on Monticello, The Home of Jefferson. Mrs. J. E. Malone read a very touching selection called, "In the Hour of Defeat." Miss Williams and Mrs. W. E. White sang a sweet melody of civil war songs. After the program a salad course with coffee was served. Those present were Miss Sallie Williams, Mrs. K. K. Allen, Mrs. W. E. White, Mrs. J. L. Palmer, Mrs. J. E. Malone, Mrs. E. H. Malone, Mrs. J. E. Morton, Mrs. Parham, Mrs. A. W. Person, Mrs. Mann, Mrs. Ricks and Mrs. M. S. Davis.

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MRS. McKINNE ENTERTAINS.

On Thursday evening, April 8th, from 7 to 10, Mrs. D. F. McKinne was formally at home to nearly two hundred women and girls of the town. The house was brilliantly illuminated for the occasion and the radiant welcome of the guests even before they reached the doors thrown wide in hospitality.

The guests were welcomed at the door by Miss Virginia Foster and Mrs. W. H. Furgerson. After leaving their wraps in the spacious summer porch they were ushered into the large living room which was beautifully decorated in pink carnations and potted ferns. Here they were presented to the hostess, Mrs. D. F. McKinne, who wore a handsome evening gown of black charmeuse and jet with a corsage bouquet of pink Columbia roses. Next in the receiving line was Miss Corrie Dodson in yellow satin with touches of blue; then Mrs. D. E. McKinne wearing a black silk; Miss Ida Mae Now in green satin with coral trimmings; Mrs. F. B. McKinne wearing a handsome creation of black beadedorgette; and Miss Elba Henniger in white satin.

After a word of greeting to each member of the receiving line the guests passed into the sitting room which was decorated in pink carnations and ferns. What the flowers were to the eye the sweet strains of music played on the Edison were to the ear.

From the sitting room the guests were escorted by Mrs. S. J. Parham and Mrs. Malcolm McKinne into the dining room. The color scheme in the dining room was the same that had been used so effectively in the living room, pink, green, and white. Here it was carried out in both the decorations and the refreshments. Gorgeous pink Columbia roses in greatest profusion and potted ferns greeted the eye at every turn. The refreshments consisted of ice cream molded in the form of Easter lilies with yellow centers and green stems served with cake and followed by coffee and mints. The latter also carried out the color scheme of pink, green and white. The refreshments were graciously served by Misses Dorcas McKinne, Elizabeth Furgerson, Francis Smithwick, Maud Ashley and Lucy Andrews. After being served the guests passed out through the hall which was decorated in yellow and pink.

During the evening about one hundred and fifty guests called and the evening was very enjoyable.

LIST OF JURORS.

The following is a list of jurors for the May term of Franklin Superior Court, drawn the first Monday.

Dunn—W. J. Carter, J. B. Alford, D. B. Peary, G. A. Hagwood, P. J. Brewer, S. J. Perry.

Harris—J. W. Clements, J. E. Harris, Len B. Perry, S. F. Harris, G. W. Styles, W. R. Lafater, F. M. Baker, M. P. Moye, T. C. Harris, Keeter Chambliss.

Youngsville—J. G. S. Timberlake, E. T. Alford, B. G. Allen, John Winston, R. M. Minor.

Franklinton—E. J. Cheatham, C. B. Kirtell, E. M. Edwards, J. D. Speed, W. G. Wilder, H. F. Fuller, G. C. Allen, A. M. House.

Hayesville—J. H. Goodson, R. I. Frazier.

Sandy Creek—M. M. Person, Geo. W. Hayes, J. W. Ayescue, M. C. Gupton, Gold Mine—J. A. Upchurch.

Center Rock—J. D. Harper, E. Z. Burnette, W. B. Jenkins, J. W. Murray, W. P. Long.

Cypress Creek—M. L. Jones, A. H. Edwards.

Louisburg—C. T. Hudson, Q. S. Leonard, F. L. Herman, J. F. Joyner, H. L. Candler, J. A. Hodges, W. L. Bostley, A. D. Bailey, H. H. Perry, J. F. Murphy, J. R. Bunn.

CITY WATER.

The following is a report just received on the condition of the city water of Louisburg:

Sent by Dr. J. E. Malone, Location, Louisburg, N. C. Source, Tap. Marked, City Water. Received, April 4, 1920. Reported, April 8, 1920.

Sediment, sl. Color—Platinum-cobalt standard, 0. Turbidity—Silica standard, high. Odor, cold sl. earthy.

Odor, hot, 0. Alkalinity (interms of Calcium carbonate), neutral. Alum, present. Chlorine, 3.

Nitrogen as Nitrates, trace (b). Nitrogen as Nitrites, 0. Colon bacilli in 1 c. c., 0. Colon bacilli in 10 c. c., 0. Colon bacilli in 100 c. c., 0.

Total number of bacteria at 38d C. per c. c., 38. State Laboratory of Hygiene. By J. W. Kellogg.

BADLY BURNED.

Mr. Lonnie White, who lives near Seven Paths, was brought to Louisburg Wednesday night for treatment after being badly burned. It seems from the information we received, that Mr. White had drawn some gas out of his car and in drawing it some escaped on to his clothing on an arm. He afterwards struck a match to light a cigarette when the gas on his clothing caught. He was badly burned about the body and face before the flames could be extinguished.

EDWIN FULLER BOOK CLUB.

The Edwin Fuller Book club met Thursday afternoon at three P. M. with Mrs. Fred Hicks. The president, Mrs. B. T. Holden, presided. There were twelve members and seven guests present. It was moved and unanimously carried that the club suspend its regular meetings during the series of revivals now going on. After the transaction of a few other matters of routine business the program for the afternoon was carried out as follows: "The Czechoslovak Republic," Mrs. K. K. Allen, read in her absence by Mrs. Beam. "Masaryk, Greatest Man of New Europe," Mrs. Mann. Current Topic, "Juvenile Court in North Carolina," Mrs. Underhill, read by Mrs. Hodges. Piano duet, Mrs. O. Y. Yarbrough and Mrs. McBrayer.

After the program the hostess served a salad course followed by ice cream and cake and ending with coffee.

FRANKLINTON SENDS IN STILL.

Chief of Police J. E. Winston and Officer O. L. McGhee, of Franklinton, were in town Wednesday to deliver Freddy Leavister, colored, to the road force, where he had been sentenced for thirty days for disorderly conduct on the streets of Franklinton. He is also being held to answer to a charge of larceny from the store of McGhee-Joyner Co.

They also brought with them a still made from a five gallon oil can that was captured on Sunday morning on the Sallie Kearney Creek about one mile west of Franklinton by Officer McGhee.

GETS TWO MORE STILLS.

Deputy Collector H. M. Lewis, of Henderson, and Sheriff H. A. Kearney made a raid Tuesday and secured a complete still outfit from Orange Davis, colored, near Mapleville. We understand the still was located in the upstairs room of Davis' house where it was in readiness to run. Davis was allowed a bond of \$1,500, which he failed to give.

They also got a still from Bill Wheeler, near Hunt's Cross roads and destroyed eight or ten barrels of beer and captured about five gallons of booze. Wheeler was allowed \$2,000 bond, which he failed to give.

SERVICES AT ST. PAUL'S SUNDAY.

The services at St. Paul's Church Sunday next will be administration of the Holy Communion at 7:30 A. M. Morning prayer at ten A. M. instead of eleven as usual so that the congregation may attend the Union meeting at the Baptist Church at 11 A. M.

The Sunday school services will be omitted. Rev. N. Collip Hughes, rector, officiating.

CAMP'S CREEK ITEMS.

We are still living with hope of some pretty weather now.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lambert visited her brother, Mr. J. F. Hight, Sunday.

We are very sorry to hear of Mr. Jordan Hight's little girl, Elsie, being sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Perry visited Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hight Sunday.

Quite a crowd of children spent Easter on the old campus fishing.

Messrs. Henry and Berry Cooper went to Franklinton Saturday night.

Mr. Ivy Pearce motored over to Franklinton Saturday trying his new car.

Come again Punkin Center. The law is out for hunting but I guess there was more boys went hunting last Saturday night than has been in a long time.

MICKIE SAYS

Yeah, these are kinda punk times 't be runnin' a paper, what with print paper up in th' clouds 'n' ev'rything—but they's one consolation—when all th' penitentiaries are bulgin' out with profiteers, us newspaper guys will be rakin' in round loose jest th' same as per usual!

You like our paper say so!

Best wishes to the TIMES.

"MAXINE"

GETS STILL AND THREE MEN.

On last Saturday night Deputy Collector H. M. Lewis, Tom Harris and B. H. Meadows made a raid on a block adle still outfit about one and a half miles down the river from Louisburg, and captured a complete still outfit in operation, together with three men, Ed Ayescue and Robt. Wheeler and Amos Egerton, colored. They also destroyed four barrels of beer. The still was about sixty gallon capacity. There were two others present but succeeded in making good their escape.