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REJECT COUNTY MAINTENANCE

DISCUSSES SETTLEMENT WITH P. B. GRIFFIN, EX-TREASURER.

At Meeting Commissioners Monday—Mr. Bray Before Board in Interest Bonds.

According to announcement the Board of County Commissioners met in an adjourned session on Monday, with all members present.

Mr. C. C. Hudson, acting in the capacity of a private citizen, was before the Board in regard to the settlement with ex-Treasurer P. B. Griffin, which the Commissioners had agreed on before.

Mr. Bray was before the Board in the interest of the \$60,000.00 bonds the County is to issue.

Immediately after the dinner hour the Board held a meeting with the Township Road Trustees of each township in the County that had a road system, with the object in view of establishing a County Unit of Road Maintenance.

No other business being before the Board adjournment was taken to its next regular meeting.

Egerton-Bradley.

Aurora, July 24.—A beautiful wedding of state-wide interest was solemnized at Aurora on July 21, 1920, at 8 o'clock p. m. in the Methodist Episcopal church.

Just before the strains of the time-honored march from Lohengrin heralded the bride, twelve young ladies dressed in white organdy gowns marched up the aisle and to the altar where they sang "Tis Thy Wedding Morn" from "Rose Maids."

The ushers, Mr. Graham Egerton of Louisburg, and Mr. Raleigh Bradley of Washington, preceded the bridesmaids, Miss Florence Egerton of Louisburg, and Miss Minnie Lee Hart of New Bern.

Europe is working overtime, with everybody telling everybody else what to do.

BIG BARBECUE DINNER.

Given By The Citizens of Louisburg In Honor of Mrs. Ivey Allen.

The quiet that settles over the campus when the girls go home was dispelled on Tuesday afternoon by the crowd that assembled to do honor to Mrs. Ivey Allen.

Thirty-one years ago, when the College was reopened, after a long period of inactivity, by Prof. S. D. Bagley, Mrs. Allen, then Miss Mary Davis, became a member of the faculty.

So gradually has the College grown in influence and stability under her guiding hand that only the older people of the community have realized what she and her esteemed father have meant to Franklin County.

The amphitheatre about the picturesque college well, afforded an ideal setting for the occasion. From the elevation in the foreground, short and timely speeches were made as follows: The Significance of the Occasion, Mr. E. H. Malone, Master of ceremonies; Mrs. Allen's Influence in the Town, Mr. W. H. Ruffin; Her Executive Ability and the part she played in the erection of the new building, Mr. P. B. McKinne; The Far Reaching Influence of Mrs. Allen and her Esteemed Father in Franklin County, Mr. B. W. Ballard; The Affection of the People of Louisburg for Mrs. Allen, Rev. G. F. Smith.

Rev. N. H. D. Wilson in behalf of Mrs. Allen expressed appreciation for the cooperation and kindness extended to her during the years of her association with them through the College, and culminated in an ovation very complimentary. At the close of his remarks "Auld Lang Syne" was sung and formally gave way before the onslaught of heaping trays of golden-brown roast pig, which proceeded from the rear.

The absence of Rev. F. S. Love, who is attending the Epworth League Assembly at Lake Junaluska, left the program a bit incomplete as he had been asked to say good-bye in behalf of her friends, but the participants in that cue found compensation when Major Boddie and Mr. Ricks found time for a second, a third, and maybe in some cases, a fourth serving.

Louisburg Defeats Henderson.

In a lively game of baseball on the local diamond here Wednesday Louisburg defeated Henderson in a score of 8 and 4. The playing of the local boys was extra good when consideration for the fact that they were not in training is given.

Planning farm work well in advance is one way of saving labor.

MICKIE SAYS

MOST EVERY TOWN HAS A FEW FELLERS WHO NEVER SPEND A NICKEL WITH THE HOME PAPER YEAR IN AN YEAR OUT, AN' YET THEY FALL LIKE A TON OF BRICK PER ANY SMOOTH CRAFTER AN' A FAKE ADVERTISING SCHEME! NO WONDER THEY DON'T BELIEVE IN ADVERTISING!



Mary Davis Allen.

Few women have made better use of their talents than Mrs. Mary Davis Allen, Dean of Louisburg College.

She began her career as a teacher in the public schools, at the age of sixteen. She had no degree for there was not a college in the State that gave degrees to women at that time.

When the third attempt after the Civil War to operate Louisburg College came to naught in 1896, and grave fears felt lest the property should be purchased for a colored school, the presidency was offered to Miss Mary Davis, at the suggestion of Mr. Washington, who owned the property.

No one realized the difficulties of that position more than she, for its recent reverses had cost her the loss of her salary. She was also keenly aware of her own handicap, she had neither capital nor degree.

Just how she managed to finance it is another story, for the building was only partially furnished; the sum total amounted to a parlor suit, six bed room suits, some school furniture, and three pine dining room tables.

The death of Mr. Davis in 1906 was a blow to the college and to Mrs. Allen as well. She had invested all she had made in equipment.

The next step was to raise the standard of the college. This, Mrs. Allen considered, was a man's job, and with characteristic good judgment she resigned the presidency.

Mrs. Allen has succeeded because she has accepted the duties of the hour. She has never sought honors nor shunned responsibilities.

North Carolina Suffrage Workers Repudiate Women 'Imported' From This City.

Raleigh, July 27.—Letters signed by Miss Gertrude Well, president of the North Carolina Equal Suffrage Association, and Mrs. T. Palmer Jerman, chairman of the ratification committee of that organization, have been sent to all members of the State legislature denying any knowledge or participation in a reported plan of suffragists to raise a fund of \$10,000 to be used in this State in connection with the campaign for ratification of the Anthony suffrage amendment at the special session of the general assembly next month.

They also deny responsibility for "hordes of imported workers" from Washington, who are said to be coming to North Carolina to work for ratification of the suffrage amendment.

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. W. F. Beasley and son, Paul, visited Raleigh Monday.

Supt. J. C. Jones left Monday for Suffolk, Va., on a business visit.

Mrs. J. S. Barrow, of Greensboro, is visiting her son, Mr. J. J. Barrow.

Mr. W. H. Allen, Jr., of Raleigh, spent Sunday with his people here.

Mr. N. B. Allsbrook, of Mebane, spent Sunday with his wife in Louisburg.

Mrs. M. H. Aycock returned the past week from a visit to relatives in Oxford.

Miss Pattle Gee Hill, of Raleigh, is visiting friends and relatives in Louisburg.

Constable J. E. Thomas and Mr. W. B. Tucker visited Halifax on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. McKinne left Wednesday for Boone, to spend several weeks.

Mrs. W. T. Person, who has been visiting friends in Newton, returned home Saturday.

Misses Louise Thomas and Eloise Guthrie, of Raleigh were visitors to Louisburg Monday.

Mr. Harry Aycock, of Norfolk, Va., was a visitor to his father, Mr. G. L. Aycock, this week.

His many friends were delighted to see Mr. E. C. Barrow, of Greensboro, in Louisburg Wednesday.

Misses Mary Wooten, of Goldsboro, and Marie Novak, of Baltimore, are visiting Miss Mildred Scott.

Dr. A. H. Fleming and Mr. Ben T. Holden returned home Tuesday after a week's vacation at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Riff returned Tuesday from a vacation to New York City and other Northern points.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Johnson and children, of Rocky Mount, visited his brother, Mr. A. F. Johnson at Oakhurst Sunday.

Mrs. Emma D. Joyner, who has been visiting her son, Capt. L. L. Joyner, returned to her home at Garysburg this week.

Mrs. W. J. Shearlin and son William James, returned home the past week from a visit to relatives in Greensboro and Durham.

Mrs. E. F. Thomas, who has been visiting Mrs. C. G. Bedford in Lexington, returned home Sunday. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Bedford, who will visit her.

Dr. H. H. Johnson left Monday for Brockton, Mass., to visit his people. He will be accompanied home by his wife and little child, who have been visiting there for some weeks.

Master Paul Godwin, of Williamston, is visiting at the home of Mr. S. A. Newell. He returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Newell the past week, after they had made a visit to friends at that place.

"The Best Boat Won," Declares Sir Thomas.

Aboard Steam Yacht Victoria, July 27.—By wireless to the Associated Press.—"I am very sorry, but the best boat won," was Sir Thomas Lipton's remark as Resolute crossed the line a victor today and defeated the Irish baronet's fourth attempt to capture the trophy.

"We all did our best—skipper, designer and crew—and we have been beaten fair and square," Sir Thomas said.

"I have been treated throughout with the greatest fairness and sportsmanlike by Americans and I am taking home the very best memories of this contest."

"I shall wait till next year to give some one else a chance to challenge and then I shall re-challenge myself. I have no excuses to offer; Resolute is the better boat," added the Irish sportsman.

Says America Is Helping Germans In Several Ways.

Berlin, July 26.—Reviewing the political situation in a speech in the Reichstag this evening Dr. Walter Simons, foreign secretary, said:

"With America we are still in a state of war and the end will not come until March, 1921. Nevertheless, humanitarian efforts are being made in America for German children and young mothers. Large numbers of milk cows are to be brought to Germany."

Resolute Wins in Final Yacht Race With Shamrock IV.

Sandy Hook, N. J., July 27.—Defender Resolute gave the British challenger, Shamrock IV, the worst drubbing of the 1920 regatta in the final race of the series today, winning boat for boat by thirteen minutes and 45 seconds—and the America's famous yachting cup remains American property.

Overcoming a 40 second lead and the advantage of a windward, which Shamrock IV had taken at the start, the fleet defender held a lead of four minutes and 8 seconds at the half-way stake of the 30 mile course, and crossed the finish line thirteen minutes and five seconds ahead.

Three Straight Victories. In capturing the series and retaining possession of the America's trophy, Resolute had taken two races and won out by registering three straight and impressive victories. Shamrock IV won the initial race when the defender was forced out by an accident to her rigging and captured the second in a fluke wind that left Resolute won the third by her time allowance of seven minutes and one second, running a dead heat with the challenger. Her other two victories were won boat for boat.

Sir Thomas Lipton, owner of the green challenger, voiced what appeared to be the unanimous verdict of yachtsmen who had seen the five races, when he declared tonight that "the boat won."

Shamrock Mile Behind.

When Resolute flashed across the golden finish line that the setting sun had laid down on the rippling water, Shamrock was a mile or more behind, her own great sails belling broadly, when the white signal ball of the committee boat Barryton dropped and the shrieking of whistles and sirens from the little fleet of spectators craft proclaimed Resolute's victory.

The beaten Shamrock swept quickly down the course, striving to shorten the intervening gap and salvage as much as she could the bitterness of her defeat.

Finishes in Moonlight.

But as it emphasized the great difference in time between the two finishes, the flaming sun dropped like a plummet into the deepening haze, and a pale moon, which had been dimly traced against the sky when Resolute finished, stood out with increasing radiance when Shamrock got over the line.

Resolute by this time had described a great circle, and had come back to the mark to see her rival finish. As the challenger crossed the mark her British crew let out three ringing cheers for the victor, and the conquerors responded with lusty cheers for Shamrock and her crew.

Sir Thomas Congratulates.

Sir Thomas Lipton, who built the challenger in his fourth effort to lift the bottomless old pewter mug that is the America's cup and take it back to its original home in England, turned away from his humble sailing beauty and sent his steam yacht Victoria full speed ahead to overtake and congratulate Resolute's crew. He returned just in time to see Shamrock cross the line.

The aged sportsman's gameness as he drew away from his own sloop to congratulate the winner elicited a salvo of cheers from those on board the spectator craft and Sir Thomas responded as jauntily as if he had not seen his own fondest hope once more baffled.

All men see a few of their own faults. Their friends see the rest.

MICKIE SAYS

WE'LL STOP TALKIN' ABOUT COLLECTING SUBSCRIPTION MONEY JUST AS SOON AS THEY START GIVING AWAY PAPER 'N INK FREE FER NUTHIN'!



THREE WAREHOUSES TO RUN

WAREHOUSEMEN HAVE ORDERS FOR WEED.

Present Arrangements Promise Live Market—Indications Point To Good Prices and Good Crops For Franklin.

Louisburg Tobacco interests are preparing for quite a lively tobacco market for 1920. From reports all three warehouses will be run this season and a good crop with high prices is expected. The general opinion of the tobacco men seems to be that the better grades will be just as high or higher than last year but the common grades will not average quite as high as the past season.

The Union Warehouse will be operated by Messrs. S. S. Meadows and G. C. Harris, who are known to all tobacco growers of this section as expert, experienced warehousemen. They will be assisted by Messrs. Karl Pearce, auctioneer, and Lewis Wagstaff, bookkeeper.

The Planter's Warehouse will be operated in 1920 by Messrs. W. H. Allen and B. N. Williamson, two of the States most popular warehousemen, who will be assisted by Messrs. Karl Pearce, auctioneer, and W. N. Fuller, bookkeeper. The management informs us that they expect to make the sales at the Planter's lively this season, that the house will be in tip top shape and experienced and efficient help will be found in all departments.

At this writing we were unable to get detailed information concerning the Riverside, although we are informed that it is certain that it will run. The present indications are to the effect that Louisburg will regain its own in the tobacco sales trade this year and it will be to the interest to all growers to visit the market.

To American Legion Members.

Daniel W. Terry, Publicity Officer of the American Legion in North Carolina, is calling to the attention of members of the Legion in this State the opportunity offered them for an inexpensive vacation trip of two weeks at Morehead City in August. The Government has offered the North Carolina Department of the Legion the use of Camp Glenn, near Morehead City, for a summer camp for members of the local posts and their lady relatives.

The camp will open on August 15 for members of local posts who may wish to take advantage of the opportunity to spend two weeks at the seashore and escape the high rates being charged by resort hotels. Barracks and cots will be furnished free, and the campers are asked to provide bedding unless they wish to stay at the hotels. Barracks rooms, screened and provided with ample shower baths, will be free to all who wish to go. Board will be furnished on a cost basis, but it is expected that the board will not cost more than one to one and a half dollars per day. Requests have been made for reduced rates on the railroads, but the request has not yet been heard from. However, even if the reduced rates are not secured the outing will be an exceedingly cheap one.

The encampment will begin Sunday August 15, and continue for two weeks, but those going need not remain the full time unless they desire to do so. They will pay board only for the number of days they remain in camp. The Local Post Commanders are asked to bring this matter to the attention of their post immediately and ascertain how many of their members and lady relatives wish to go to camp. All who expect to attend are asked to bring along mess kits and bed clothes. They are also asked to forward to C. A. Gosney, Treasurer Encampment Committee, Raleigh, N. C., five dollars to be applied to the mess fund, for which credit will be given when the cost of the board is figured.

It would be a simple matter to create a spirit of harmony and co-operation in this town. All that is necessary is for each person to be harmonious and co-operative.

Energy and thrift will accomplish many things, provided common sense hold the reins.