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BOARD TO MEET AT COUNTY HOME AUGUST 18TH.

Appoint Road Trustees For Franklin Township—Several Reports Received—J. J. Holden Re-elected Superintendent County Home.

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session on Monday with all members present. Business as follows was transacted after approving the minutes of previous meetings:

J. C. Tucker was allowed \$25.00 per month as Jail Keeper upon motion of W. D. Fuller and second by J. R. Earl.

Upon motion the Clerk was instructed to strike off tax books land listed by F. S. Spruill—the same being in Warren county.

Report of Dr. J. E. Malone, County Health Officer, was received and filed. Upon motion J. J. Holden was re-elected keeper of County Home unanimously.

August 18th, was selected for the Board to meet at the County Home to make their annual inspection.

Upon motion of Alston and seconded by Sykes, the following were appointed Road Trustees of Franklin township: S. C. Vann, C. S. Williams, I. H. Kearney, W. A. Cooke, R. L. Conyers, J. C. Sandling, J. R. Mitchell, H. E. Pierce, B. W. Ballard and B. T. Green.

Report of Miss Pauline Smith, Home Demonstration Agent, was received and approved.

Upon motion the County Attorney was instructed to enter suit against the makers and sureties on notes given for money loaned out of sinking funds for bridge bonds, now in his hands for collections.

Upon motion of Sykes and seconded by Fuller, the note of P. B. Griffin, ex-treasurer, with endorsements satisfactory to the Board was received (This was the note for \$6,021.28 without interest except from August 1st 1920 until it is paid, and which is due in November 1920, for a settlement of his accounts as Treasurer for Franklin County.)

The report of J. J. Holden, Superintendent of County Home, was received and filed. He reports 9 white and 9 colored inmates.

Upon motion the entire Board together with Ben T. Holden, County Attorney, was appointed a committee to attend the State Association of County Commissioners to be held in Gastonia.

Upon request of the Board of Education a special school election was called for Pearce school district in Dunns township, for Monday, September 6th. E. O. Pearce, Registrar and B. F. Pierce, Charlie Perry poll holders.

The Board adjourned to meet at County home on August 18th.

Board of Education.

The Board of Education met in regular session Monday with all members present. After reading and approving the minutes of previous meetings business was disposed of as follows:

A petition for a special tax election from the Pearce School District was approved by the Board and the County Commissioners were asked to call same.

O. J. Coppedge was appointed a trustee for the Wilder School District. Upon motion it was agreed that the Board pay one-half for digging a well at Laurel.

A petition to consolidate the Oak Ridge school district with the Creek school district of Nash County, was presented to the Board. A petition from the same district against the consolidation was also presented. The Board took no action, but appointed A. W. Perry and T. H. Dickens a committee to make an investigation and to report their recommendation to the Board the first Monday in September.

At 12 o'clock the Board of Education and the Board of County Commissioners met in joint session for the purpose of appointing a Superintendent of Public Welfare. Upon motion of J. M. Sykes, J. C. Jones was re-elected for two years, at a salary of \$1,800.00 per year. A roll call vote resulted as follows: Aye—A. W. Perry, J. C. Winston, J. M. Sykes, J. R. Earl, W. D. Fuller, J. P. Timberlake, T. H. Dickens. No—E. L. Green, J. D. Alston. Absent—C. R. Sandling. There being no further business the Boards adjourned.

Stranded Americans in Moscow Appeal to U. S. to Rescue Them.

New York, Aug. 3.—Twenty-five Americans, marooned in Moscow, in the heart of soviet Russia, have appealed to the State Department through the Charge d' Affaires in Stockholm, for aid in returning to the United States. It was stated here today by two members of the Jewish joint distribution committee on their return from Moscow. The Americans told them, the commissioners said, that while other governments had arranged for the return of their citizens from Russia, the United States had done nothing for marooned Americans.

MINSTREL IS GIVEN BY WOMEN OF U. S. TRAINING CORPS

Enthusiasm of Solderettes Blossoms Into Minstrelsy and Jolly Time Is Had by Campers and Their Guests

Enthusiasm of members of the United States Training corps camp blossomed last night through Company A, into minstrelsy, and the solidarity and camaraderie showed in the fact that already the camp has a local delectable humor of its own.

Company A gave the program for the first night of the season. Its members blacked their faces, composed and learned songs, cracked jokes, danced, and invented skits in the semi-circle of an old-time minstrel show. Captain Helen Ballack is commander of the company and Corporal H. M. Chase was director of the minstrel.

Miss Cora Bell Ives, Miss Jessie Taylor Harris, Miss Clyde Harris, and Miss Betty Adams served as end men. Miss Henrietta Davis and Miss Cora Bell Ives Young sang "Get Out and Get Under," a topical musical recital of the terrors of tent inspection. Miss Clyde Harris and Miss Betty Adams did a clog dance. Mrs. T. B. Lintsey, impersonating Lieutenant Butterfield, drilled an awkward squad. The entire company sang the company song, "This is the U. S. Training Corps, and we are Company A." "We don't fuss; we don't fuss; Company A, Always in line," and to close "Cheer for our Commandant." Mrs. J. H. Miller was interlocutor and a tin pan and comb band was led by Mrs. Witte.

A number of guests from Asheville came out to see the performance and a large party was entertained at dinner by Mrs. T. W. Bickett, Mrs. H. W. Chase, Mrs. W. B. Grimes and Mrs. B. H. Griffin. Mrs. C. C. Hook, of Charlotte, was the guest of Mrs. J. W. Gudger, Jr. All the guests were present at the ceremony of retreat which preceded the entertainment in the mess tent. Following retreat, the corporals promoted the day before receiving their chevrons.

Yesterday afternoon, most of the officers and soldiers made the trip to Hillsmore and some went to visit Oteen hospital.

New soldiers are being recruited daily, not only for the second camp which opens next Thursday but for the remainder of this one and for the third camp.

Guests from Asheville are cordially invited to visit the camp between 5 and 6 o'clock for the ceremony of retreat or in the evening from 8 until 10. Tomorrow night, at this time, there will be a camp fire on the parade ground with general singing, under the director, Prof. Parvin Witte, the musical director.—Asheville Citizen.

Typhoid Outbreaks.

Raleigh, N. C., August 1.—There have been reported to the Bureau of Epidemiology of the State Board of Health since July 15th several sharp outbreaks of typhoid fever.

From Granville and Columbus Counties there are reported two instances of three cases of Typhoid Fever in the same family. From Catawba and Columbus Counties there are reported two instances of five cases in a family, and, as if to cap the climax in this series, from Wilson County there has been reported an instance of six cases of Typhoid Fever in one family.

Typhoid Fever is still contagious, still infectious and still one of our most deadly enemies among the communicable diseases. Though greatly reduced throughout the State as a whole, such instances as these just cited serve to show that it will spread from person to person until whole families will contract the disease, unless rigid and adequate precautions are observed. And, in spite of the best of treatment, Typhoid Fever is claiming a death from every eight to ten cases.

The recent State-wide efforts toward improvement of sanitation, particularly in respect to sanitary privies and vaccination against typhoid fever, have greatly reduced the amount of the disease. The deaths last year were about 60 per cent what they were in 1914, but still there is room for improvement. Alamance and Gaston Counties have just completed distinctly successful vaccination campaigns. Franklin and Mecklenburg Counties have just begun similar efforts toward stamping out this infection. Johnston, Duplin, Anson and Rutherford Counties will begin campaigns in the next few days. Through these treatments citizens are given efficient protection for years to come.

The State Board of Health recommends that every citizen take advantage of the opportunity presented to avoid typhoid fever. Such outbreaks as these in which whole families are sick at once CAN and MUST be prevented.

Captures Complete Still Outfit.

Sheriff H. A. Kearney and Constable J. E. Thomas reported the capture of a complete still outfit Monday afternoon on Crooked Creek near the old Harris mill site. It was an all copper outfit with the exception of the cap which was made of tin. They reported destroying about two hundred and fifty gallons of beer.

Church Services.

We are requested to state that there will be no preaching services at the Methodist Church next Sunday. The usual services will be held at the Baptist Church next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Everybody is invited to attend.

All roads of industry lead to wealth but most people take the back track. It would take two millions to buy.

LONG AND SPENCER LEAD IN MISSOURI

Democrats Put Atkinson Ahead in Race for Governor.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 3.—With approximately half the vote here counted and meager and incomplete returns from scattered points in western Missouri, Arthur M. Hyde was leading E. E. McJimsey in the race for the Republican nomination for governor. John M. Atkinson was far ahead of his Democratic opponents, Judge Charles Mayer and Frank Farris.

Breckinridge Long, former Assistant Secretary of State in Washington, apparently was in the lead for the Democratic nomination for the United States Senate, and Senator Selden P. Spencer was leading Dwight M. Davis for the Republican nomination for the Senate.

Mr. E. T. Cooke Dead.

Mr. Eugene T. Cooke, a Confederate Veteran, and a member of one of Franklin County's most prominent families, died at his home near Ingleside on Thursday of last week. He had gone out to gather tomatoes for supper and was found later in a dying condition from apoplexy. He was taken to the house near where death came shortly after. Mr. Cooke was 75 years old and leaves one sister, Mrs. E. S. Foster, of Louisburg, and one brother, Mr. A. J. Cooke, of Beaufort, besides a large number of family connections. The funeral services were held Friday afternoon at Trinity church where the interment was made in the presence of a large number of sorrowing friends and relatives.

More Donations.

The following is an additional list of those who have responded to the request for help to send a young man to the mountains for treatment for tuberculosis making a total of \$127.50. S. A. Brewer, Florida, \$10.00. H. C. Gupton, Mapleville, 1.00. W. H. Ruffin, Louisburg, 5.00. C. M. Vaughan, Mapleville, 1.00. S. W. Fuller, Mapleville, 2.00. Butler Collins, Louisburg, 1.50. Rev. J. M. Valentine, Louisburg, .50. Ollie Macon, Ingleside, 1.00.

I am just in receipt of a letter from the Doctor in charge of the sanatorium saying that the young man's condition is fairly satisfactory and that if his resistance continues as good as it is now he will probably be able to come home in from two to three months and complete the treatment here. The bill for the first week, including examination fee, etc. amounted to \$40.00, but for the balance of the time it will be only \$25.00. The amount we have received to date will be enough to keep him there for slightly more than five weeks. If he has to stay the full three months as the doctor advises it will require \$175.00 more than we have yet received.

As was stated before no one has been asked to help but all who have contributed anything did so voluntarily. If there are any others who wish to help us keep this young man at the sanatorium until he is able to come home I will greatly appreciate their bringing their contributions to me at The FRANKLIN TIMES office.

JOSEPH C. JONES, Supt. Public Welfare.

J. FRANK HANLY KILLED WHEN TRAIN HITS AUTO

Former Governor of Indiana and Two Others Die As Result of Collision—Occurs Near Dennison, O.

Dennison, Ohio, Aug. 1.—J. Frank Hanly, former governor of Indiana and candidate for President on the prohibition ticket in 1916, and Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Baker, of Kilgore, Ohio, were killed six miles from here early today, when a Pennsylvania freight train struck the automobile in which the party were driving to Kilgore.

All three suffered fractured skulls and crushed bodies and neither recovered consciousness after being brought to a local hospital. Mr. Hanly died at 9 o'clock; Mrs. Baker at 11:30; and her husband at 5:30 o'clock. Dr. and Mrs. Baker had met Mr. Hanly in Dennison at 6:45 o'clock this morning and were driving him to their home in Kilgore, 20 miles from here.

The automobile drove across the Pennsylvania tracks back of one of the light train and directly in front of another. The automobile was struck squarely.

Mr. Hanly was en route to Carrollton, where he was to have delivered an address tomorrow. He had intended spending the day with the Bakers at their home in Kilgore.

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DANIELS THINKS WEST IS GOING DEMOCRATIC

He Is Back in Washington After Long Journey; Talks Interestingly Of Alaska—Place For a Young Man.

Washington, Aug. 3.—After attendance upon the Democratic convention a tour of Pacific coast states, a jaunt through Yellowstone park and a trip of inspection of the oil field and mineral resources of Alaska, Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels returned to his desk here today. The Tar Heel secretary met newspaper men this afternoon and talked enthusiastically of Alaska crops, Democratic prospects, the glories of Yellowstone and other random topics.

"Go to Alaska, young man," is the way Secretary Daniels is paraphrasing the advice of the late Horace Greeley. If a youngster is seeking adventure, health and fortune the Secretary is a booster of Alaska as the land of opportunity.

Turning to politics, Mr. Daniels told his newspaper men auditors that most of the young men of the west are going to vote the Democratic ticket this fall.

"How about the older men?" breezily inquired a correspondent who has Republican leanings. Secretary Daniels stared at the sharp inquirer for a moment and then explained that while old men cannot be expected to change the voting habits of a lifetime, it is significant the way the young fellows are lining up for Cox and Roosevelt.

"Everywhere I went in the west young men told me they would vote for Cox and Roosevelt," said the secretary. "I was much impressed with the sentiment among the young men. It was spontaneous. Everybody likes a war governor and Governor Cox fills the bill because he made a great record during the trying war days. Mr. Roosevelt's work in the navy department is also greatly appreciated out in the west where I have been."

Secretary Daniels submitted that while older men are less likely to switch tickets in this or any other election, he did not expect the Democratic party to suffer out of proportion in votes of men who have been in the number of campaigns.

"From what I heard from young men," said the secretary, "I am convinced Roosevelt and Cox will make a strong appeal throughout the west. I found very sentiment among women also among veterans of the world war particularly."

Secretary Daniels said he was enthused over the future of Alaska and was particularly impressed with the crops he saw. That Alaskan crops soon will be shipped to the United States in great quantities was predicted by the secretary.

Louisburg Defeats Youngsville.

Louisburg walked away with Youngsville in a one-sided game of base ball on the local diamond Wednesday to the tune of 12 to 1.

"Snidley" King, who tied "Pierre" Williamson in votes for the Captaincy, won out by matching. His line up, composed entirely of Louisburg players, seemed to give Youngsville the epizootics. "Babe Ruth" Whitaker killed a circuit clout, with the bases drunk. Paul Beasley knocked out four hits, and all the other local players landed themselves like big league stuff. Jim Allen was the jay birds elbow on the mound for the home team. He struck out nine Youngvillians, and had all the others at his mercy. Roberts pitched for Youngsville.

Louisburg has not lost a game this year. Any team which thinks it can interest us, may communicate with Mr. W. D. Egerton. We promise the public some good local exhibitions during the next five or six weeks, at the nominal price of 25 cents per, with ladies free. Snap out of that sleep you're in, and patronize these games.

Louisburg also defeated Henderson last week eight to four. In that game Jim Allen struck out 15 men, and batted like a demon in his turns at the bat.

In order that the public may know where to find the ball grounds, Mr. Egerton states that the same is at the Eastern cemetery of "Pig Trot", just beyond Emma Snow's house.

GRADED SCHOOL OPENS

Tuesday August 31st With Full Corps Of Teachers.

Supt. W. R. Mills of the Louisburg Graded Schools yesterday announced Tuesday, August 31st as the opening day for the fall session of the Louisburg Graded Schools. He says that they have an especially strong faculty this year. The outlook at present indicates a most successful beginning.

All children are urged to enter the first day so that there will be no confusion in the beginning.

Some people seldom have car troubles. They use brains as well as gas.

NEW LIGHT FARMER HELD FOR MURDER

Will G. Ray Held in Wake County Jail Without Bond.

Will G. Ray, a prosperous farmer living in Newlight township in Wake county jail, charged with the murder of Ellis Rochelle, a neighbor, whom Ray shot and then stabbed with a bayonet, when he found Rochelle in his home with Mrs. Ray. The prisoner, who surrendered to the deputy sheriff and was lodged in the jail at 4 o'clock yesterday morning, alleges that he found Rochelle and his wife in a compromising position. Mrs. Ray testifying before a coroner's jury yesterday, declared that the shooting was the result of a quarrel over a quart of whiskey.

Ray alleges that he came home from a business trip to Creedmore and through the windows of his home saw Rochelle and Mrs. Ray in a room. He fired through the window with a rifle, missed Rochelle and started up the porch when Rochelle, having secured a shot gun, discharged a load of buckshot through the back door. Ray turned back and through the kitchen window fired again at Rochelle. This shot ploughed through the man's head. While Rochelle was struggling with his wound, Ray advanced upon him and with a long Spanish-American war bayonet fixed on the rifle drove the weapon through his body.

Mrs. Ray testified that the army rifle used was borrowed by her husband to kill Rochelle, following a row over a quart of whiskey. She stated that he had hidden the gun in the barn last Sunday in order to have it in readiness. She denied that she and Rochelle were in a compromising position, but declared that she was sitting on an organ stool talking to Rochelle and that the two small children were lying on the bed nearby.

W. T. Morton, R. T. Keith, P. R. Bailey, A. L. O'Neal, J. C. Ray and G. C. Harp composed the coroner's jury. They rendered a verdict that the dead man came to his death from wounds received from a gun and bayonet in the hands of W. G. Ray.—News Observer.

Miss Rachel Grimsley Winner.

Raleigh, N. C., July 31.—In the contest for the best essay on Malaria written by a school child in eastern North Carolina first prize of fifty dollars is awarded to Miss Rachel Grimsley of Jacksonville, Onslow county, according to announcement made today by the committee of judges composed of Mrs. Jane S. McKimmon, Dr. E. C. Brooks, and Dr. W. S. Rankin.

This contest was inaugurated by the North Carolina Landowners Association which was assisted by the State Board of Health. It was conducted as a part of the general education by the two associations. Participating in the contest were the school children of thirty-six counties. A State prize of twenty-five dollars was offered by the Landowners Association and this was supplemented by twenty-five dollars given by Dr. Clarence Poe, Editor of the Progressive Farmer. In announcing the winner the judges gave second place to the essay, written by Bernard McDuffie, of Point Caswell, Pender County. Honorable mention is given the essays by the following: Stella Campbell, Beaufort, Carteret Co.; Marguerite Forbes, Belcross, Camden Co.; Bertha Lawrence, Gatesville, Gates Co.; Lillian Van Leuven, Wilmington, New Hanover Co.; Zulfiene Johnson, Kingston, Lenoir Co.; Chrystine M. Windley, Swan Quarter, Hyde Co.; Rose Lee Wynne, New Bern, Craven Co.

This contest is regarded by the officials of the State Board of Health as one of the most valuable pieces of educational work along a specific line done in the State. It extended over a period of several months and during that time about one hundred thousand pieces of literature devoted to malaria was distributed to children interested in the contest. County prizes were awarded for the best essays in each county as well as the prize for the best in all counties. The contest made necessary an intensive study of causes and conditions which create malaria fever and was participated in by not only the children of the schools but by the parents and others in the various communities as well. It was conducted in the section where practically all the malaria in North Carolina exists and is expected to result in very much improved conditions.

Malaria control work is now being carried on by the State Board of Health in cooperation with the United States Public Health Service at Goldsboro, Tarboro and Farmville. In addition extensive malaria control work has been done at Wilmington. The problem is that of eradicating mosquitoes by drainage and oiling. It has been demonstrated that this can be done at a cost that is very reasonable when results attained are considered.

Theoretically the presidency is a gift of the people, but practically the great mass of them have but little voice in its bestowal. The bosses are still in the saddle, although the girls are becoming weakened.

The world is full of wise men—in their own estimation.

Throw your money to the birds, if you must, but be sure they are not human buzzards.

JAPAN CONCERNED OVER LATE PARLEY

Suggestion That Great Britain May Join America Meets With Much Disfavor.

Tokio, Aug. 3.—Special dispatches from the United States describing the recent conference held at the American State Department between Secretary of State Colby, Sir Auckland Geddes, the British ambassador to the United States; Roland Morris, American ambassador to Japan, and Sir Bilsby Francis Alstrom, the British minister to China, at which the general situation in the far East was discussed and the suggestion in some of the dispatches that Great Britain is showing signs of joining the United States in her far Eastern policy, have served to increase the nervousness here over Japanese-American relations.

Leading newspapers devote lengthy editorials to discussion of the situation and generally demand that the Japanese people show an unbroken front. The Nichi Nichi thinks the trouble with Japan's diplomacy lies in the fact that the authorities are "exclusively timid and overconsiderate for the feelings of other countries."

They should take resolute action on their own responsibility, the newspaper says. Some Americans add the Nichi Nichi, interpret occupation of Saghalin as a gratification of territorial ambition but if any Japanese are harboring such ambitions they are merely old fashioned imperialists.

The Hoshi Shimbun declares the country should not belittle the importance of the American communication regarding Japanese occupation which the newspaper considers virtually a protest. While deprecating rage over the American protest the Hoshi Shimbun says: "Let us urge no yielding to a protest based merely on a suspicious imagination. We are anxious to see the problems of Japan and America settled amicably but there is a limit to our patience. If things become unbearable a state of affairs may occur regrettable not only so far as Japanese-American relations are concerned but for the peace of the world. We hope the authorities will abide by the cause of justice and fear nothing."

PERSONALS.

Mr. R. O. Bissett visited Raleigh Tuesday.

Mr. C. D. Hale returned Sunday from a trip to Blowing Rock.

Miss Katherine Aycock, of Sanford, Fla., is visiting relatives in Louisburg.

Mrs. A. H. Fleming, of Raleigh, is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. A. Person.

Mr. C. G. Wood, of Rocky Mount, was a visitor to Louisburg Wednesday.

Mr. E. B. Grantham, of Rocky Mount, was a visitor to Louisburg Wednesday.

Supt. O. C. Hill and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Hill's mother, at Jonesboro.

Mrs. A. S. Wiggs is visiting in Enfield this week, guest of her sister, Mrs. W. H. Allen.

Mr. W. F. Beasley and son, Mr. W. Elias Beasley visited Raleigh and Wendell Wednesday.

Mr. H. G. McBrayer returned home Sunday after an extended trip to Western North Carolina.

Mrs. Fred J. Brower, Jr., of Winston-Salem, visited her sister, Mrs. A. S. Wiggs, the past week.

Mrs. F. A. Roth and little daughter, Dorothy, left Wednesday for Atlantic City for a vacation.

Mrs. John A. Holden, of Delco, N. Y., was in Louisburg Friday to attend the funeral of Mr. E. T. Cooke.

Mrs. J. Karr and daughter, Miss Dorothy, of Philadelphia, visited at the home of Mr. F. A. Roth the past week.

Misses Jessie Connally, of Blackstone, Va., and Lorine Turner, of Oxford, are visiting at the home of Mr. W. T. Person.

Mrs. A. T. Thomas and children, of Ocala, Fla., Mrs. M. V. Cox, of Jonesboro, and Miss Marian Cox, of Sanford, are visiting at the home of Supt. O. C. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Anderson, of Richmond, and Mrs. H. A. Parrish and son, John, of Lynchburg, Va., passed through Louisburg the past week to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parrish, near Cedar Rock.