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REV. G. F. SMITH GOES TO LITTLETON

Rev. L. E. Thompson Comes To Louisburg

Youngville and Tar River Circuits Retain Their Pastors—Other Ap- pointments at Conference Held in Raleigh

Possibly one of the most enthusiastic and beneficial sessions of the North Carolina Methodist Conference was held in Raleigh the past week, closing on Monday afternoon after reading out the several appointments. We give below the appointments in the Raleigh District and those charges adjoining this district:

Raleigh District
Presiding Elder—J. C. Wooten.
Benson Circuit—E. M. Hall.
Cary Circuit—D. N. Carrness.
Clayton—J. T. Gibbs.
Creedmoor Circuit—V. A. Royal.
Four Oaks Circuit—J. A. Russell.
Franklin—O. W. Dowd.
Garner Circuit—G. W. Starling.
Granville Circuit—L. H. Joyner.
Kenly Circuit—J. E. Holden.
Louisburg—L. E. Thompson.
Millbrook Circuit—
Oxford—E. M. Snipes.
Oxford Circuit—B. H. Black.
Princeton Circuit—W. G. Farrar.
Raleigh—Central, H. I. Glass;
Edenton Street, W. W. Peeke; Epworth, L. B. Pattishall; Jenkins Memorial, R. F. Bumpass.
Selma—Edgerton Memorial, G. B. ...
Trenton—D. H. Tuttle.
Tar River Circuit—W. J. Watson.
Youngville Circuit—T. S. Coble.
Zebulon Circuit—W. L. Loy.
Superintendent Anti-Saloon League—R. L. Davis.
Business Manager—N. C. Christian Advocate—T. A. Sikes.
Editor Christian Advocate—T. N. Ivey.
Superintendent Methodist Orphanage—A. S. Barnes.

Nashville—E. C. Few.
Rocky Mount—Clark Street, L. T. Singleton; First Church, H. M. North; South Rocky Mount, E. C. Glenn.
Rocky Mount Circuit—N. B. Strickland.
Spring Hope Circuit—W. E. Trotman.
Wilson—Calvary, W. N. Vaughan; First Church, F. S. Love.
Conference Secretary of Education—H. M. North.
Littleton—G. F. Smith.
Warren Circuit—J. T. Draper.
Warrenton Circuit—H. B. Porter.
Darham—Trinity Church, A. D. Wilcox.
Conference Secretary of Missions—A. D. Wilcox.
Rev. L. S. Massey goes to Red Springs Circuit, and Rev. N. H. D. Wilson goes to First Church, Elizabeth City.

Rev. Mr. Smith goes to Littleton, where he is living a number of years ago while Presiding Elder of that District and we are sure his coming will be as much welcomed by the good people of that charge as his leaving here is a regret. Rev. L. E. Thompson comes as a strong preacher, and is remembered by some of our elder population as he served this church something like thirty years ago.

TO THE ALUMNAE OF ST. MARY'S IN FRANKLIN COUNTY

On the first day of December there will be launched an almost nationwide campaign for St. Mary's, as there are alumnae in thirty-seven of the forty-eight states.

This campaign is for the raising of an endowment fund, to put St. Mary's on the basis of an accredited Junior College by the American Association of Colleges.

Every Alumnae of Franklin County is urged to take part in the work, and will please apply to the chairman for full particulars of ways and means of procedure on this campaign before Dec. 1st.

Any interest will be greatly appreciated, and information gladly given.
Mrs. Robert H. Davis,
Chairman.

MISS HARRIS ENTERTAINS

Miss Alice Harris delightfully entertained the members of the Thursday Evening Book Club at her home on the 16th. After the meeting was called to order a most interesting programme followed.

The Opera studied for the evening was "Le Cid." Miss Susie Meadows read the life of Massenet, the author. An interesting story of the Opera was given by Miss Robbie Turner. This was followed by a vocal selection by Massenet was played. Miss Mary Turner gave the Current Events. Two solos, "A Necklace of Love" and "An Indian Love Song" by Thurlow Learance were sung by Miss Ruth Hall in her usual charming manner.

After the programme, Miss Harris served most delicious refreshments. The invited guests were Mrs. James King, and guest Mrs. Oliver, Mrs. Weldon Egerton, Misses Fish, Person, Katherine Pleasant, and Fannie Neal.

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JOIN THE RED CROSS TODAY

For the past six weeks through the columns of our county paper, and practically every paper in the United States you have been asked to join the Red Cross and told just how much your membership was needed. We do not have to go into details again as to the great peace time program of the Red Cross, or its latest responsibility, (relief for the Near East sufferers in the quickest and most efficient way,) but we believe knowing the wonderful work already accomplished by the American Red Cross in war and peace, and also knowing how the U. S. Government turns over its great relief measures to us for execution, you will be only too glad to become a part of such an organization. One that has become known and trusted as "The Greatest Mother in the World" and which now also has as its motto, "At the Service of all Mankind." Without having to be asked personally won't you see any of the following officers before Thanksgiving, give them your membership dues (\$1.00) and help your local Red Cross chapter "Carry On" with the largest enrollment we have ever had.

LADY SENATOR SEATED

Washington, Nov. 21.—Mrs. W. H. Felton, the "Grand Old Lady of Georgia," won her fight today for a seat for a day as the first woman senator. Without objection from any senator, but after a long delay during which the status of her appointment to the Senate was reviewed in the light of the precedents, Mrs. Felton took the oath of office at the Vice-President's desk and wrote her name in the Senate membership book.

TOBACCO WAREHOUSES TO CLOSE

As announced last week the Cooperative Tobacco Warehouses in Louisburg will close on Wednesday, November 22nd, and open again on Monday, December 4th, for the observance of Thanksgiving. The Warehouses will close again on Wednesday, December 20th for the Christmas holidays. It has been announced from headquarters in Raleigh that all members are requested to make delivery as soon as possible and that all tobacco delivered up to and including December 20th will receive the second advance as soon thereafter as the percentage can be figured out by the treasury department and checks mailed.

PRELIMINARY SPELLING CONTEST

A spelling contest was held in the Seventh Grade Room of the Louisburg Graded School Saturday, Nov. 18. This contest was open to all pupils of the seventh grade in the county. Each school which desired to enter the contest was entitled to send its best speller to Louisburg for the preliminary contest and two were chosen from the number to represent Franklin in the final contest to be held in Raleigh during the Teachers Assembly next week.

Only eight schools entered the contest. They were Pilot represented by Annie Bell; Centerville by Mabel Foster; Katesville by Estelle Joyner; Pine Ridge by Malcolm Deodding; Cedar Ridge by Christine Sledge; Justice by Maud Stallings; Hickory Rock by Alice Strickland and Louisburg by Eliza Newell.

All words given were taken from the New World Speller. They were given in groups of twenty. Any contestant missing a word in the first trial was eliminated from the second and so on until all had been eliminated but two. The winners in the contest were Misses Estelle Joyner of Katesville, Miss Maudie Fuller teacher, and Miss Eliza Newell of Louisburg. Miss Lullia Jarman teacher, Miss Joyner holding the first place and Miss Newell the second. Neither of the winning papers contained a misspelled word and the failure to cross one of the 's' in reputation made a difference between the two.

MISS OGBURN ENTERTAINS

Miss Ila Mae Ogburn delightfully entertained the Younger Set Bridge Club on Wednesday evening, Nov. 15. The rooms were beautifully decorated with yellow chrysanthemums and ferns. And most attractive were her score cards with yellow chrysanthemums on the cover still carrying out her color scheme of yellow and green.

After five progressions of bridge a delicious salad course was served followed by a sweet course.

Miss Ruth Hall won the highest score of the evening and the prize. These evening Miss Ogburn's hospitality won the regular weekly members of the Younger Set Bridge Club.

DISPOSES OF FOURTEEN CASES

RECORDER BEAM MAKES GOOD RECORD FIRST DAY

Prosecuting Attorney Holden Ably Represents State—Large Crowd in Attendance—Procedure Orderly and Businesslike.

The first session of Franklin County Recorder's Court was called to order Monday morning with his honor G. M. Beam, Judge presiding and Hon. Ben. T. Holden representing the State. Quite a large crowd was present to witness the opening of this Franklin County's new Court, and to see its workings. From the time Court was called to order until adjournment was taken everything moved along in a most satisfactory, orderly and business like manner, as if it had been established for some time. In no case was a jury called for on the first day and fourteen cases were disposed of, four of which were jail cases.

The docket was called and disposed of as follows:
State vs Will Wheeler, adv. trial guilty, fined \$30 and costs, appeal.
State vs Walter Sugg, 1 and r, trial guilty judgment suspended upon payment of costs, appeal.
State vs Walter Suggs, 1 and r, trial guilty of taking \$10 from the person of John Bove, appeal.
State vs Corbin Blount, 1 and r, continued.

State vs Henry Nicholson, assault on female, pleads guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of costs.
State vs Bud Williams, disposing of mortgaged property, pleads guilty, prayer judgment continued to Nov. 27 upon payment of costs.

State vs Arch Gupton, 1 and r, preliminary hearing held for Superior Court January term.
State vs James Wright, adv. trial guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of costs.
State vs Sam Strother, operating automobile while intoxicated, trial guilty \$25 fine and costs.

State vs Sam Strother, adv. trial guilty, judgment suspended upon payment of costs.
State vs Jordan Yarborough, 1 and r, trial guilty, 30 days on roads.
State vs Jordan Yarborough, adv. trial guilty.

State vs Jordan Yarborough, assault trial, 30 days on roads.
State vs John Arrington, 1 and r, nol pros.

MRS. JAMES KING ENTERTAINS

Thursday, Nov. 16, Mrs. James King entertained the Current Literature Club and a large number of other guests at the residence of Mr. John King.

Mrs. H. L. Oliver of Apalachicola, Florida, sister of the hostess was the special guest of honor. Arriving guests were received at the door by Mrs. W. D. Egerton and presented to the honor guest by Mrs. King.

The house was attractively decorated in autumn leaves and chrysanthemums. About forty ladies were present.

The club president, Mrs. J. M. Allen, called the meeting to order and announced the program. The club is studying art and artists this year.

Whistler's Life and Work formed the subject of the afternoon. There were two excellent papers read on the subject, one by Miss Mary Yarboro and the other by Mrs. M. S. Davis, Jr.

Two musical numbers added greatly to the pleasure of those present, an instrumental solo by Mrs. O. Y. Yarboro and "Pale Moon" a vocal solo by Miss Ruth Hall. Miss Gracie Parker of Louisburg College gave an entertaining reading "Babe Grows Up".

After the program a snack course and tea and mint were served by the hostess assisted by Misses Louise Joyner, Fannie Neal, Elizabeth Clifton and Gracie Parker. Mrs. W. P. Neal gracefully presided at the tea-table.

HONOR ROLL

The following is an honor roll for Laurel School:
1st Grade—Lucy Stuart Parrish, Erace Gupton, Bryan Harper, Elliott Breedlove, Junius Edwards, Pearl Champion, Florence May Parrish, James Speed, Paul Stainback.

2nd Grade—Sam Person, Newell Breedlove, Elvora Champion, Maud Hayes, Esther Bailey.
3rd Grade—Sue Egerton, Thomas Speed, Wilson Parrish, Fred Merritt, Bettie Bobbitt Marshall, Myrtice Upchurch.

4th Grade—Lucy Breedlove, Irma Gupton, Aubrey Gupton, Monnie Hayes, Helen Parrish, Grace Stainback.
5th Grade—Lessie Breedlove, Willie Breedlove, Aileen Cooper, Alwin Cooper, Elouise Egerton, Rachel Garbee, Parham Gupton, Ruffin Harper, Bunsie Murphy, Helen Harrington.
6th Grade—Eugene Harper, Maggie Joyner.

7th Grade—Harold Garbee, Claude Hayes, Alice Hayes, Reubin Gupton.

Ever W. M. Gilmore, of Sanford, a much beloved former pastor of Louisburg Baptist church, spent Friday night with us. He spoke at Corinth church on 75 Million Campaign.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO MEET

Secretary Thomas W. Ruffin announces that a call has been issued for a meeting of the Louisburg Chamber of Commerce to be held in the Court House on Monday evening, November 27th, at 7:00 o'clock. At this meeting a special representative of the Eastern Carolina Chamber of Commerce will be present and talk.

The Secretary is urging all men and women who have the interest of Louisburg at heart, whether they are identified as members or not, to come out and meet with us. Remember the date and hour—Monday night, Nov. 27th, at 7:00 o'clock.

REV. MR. THOMPSON

It will be interesting to the people of Louisburg, who did not know Rev. L. E. Thompson, who comes to serve the Methodist church here, that Louisburg has been accorded one of the strongest members of the North Carolina Conference. Since leaving here a number of years ago he served four years each in Fayetteville, Washington and Henderson and was Presiding Elder for many years. He is a man of high character, a strong personality and possesses a rare refinement and culture.

We gladly welcome Rev. Mr. Thompson and his good wife to our midst.

STUDENTS' RECITAL

The citizens of Louisburg were friends of Louisburg College were given a treat on Tuesday night when the first Recital of the season was given. This recital was produced by pupils of Mrs. Mohn, Miss Padwick, Miss Petty and Miss Hall and did much credit to their instructors. Each piece rendered was excellent and much enjoyed, and only a master in the art could distinguish any difference in the wonderful ability of the performers. Quite a large number were in attendance. The program was as follows:

Cadman—Melody in G—Blanch Hattler.
Stanton—A Laugh in Church—Marion Hawkins.

Tate—Dreaming of Love and You—Belvin Finch.
Cook—The Things Tom Sawyer Did—Anna Gray Watson.

Peabody—Dance of the Winds—Ella Beale Grant, Pauline Eason.
Margeson—Tommy, Lad!—Genevieve Peltz.

Felton—Second Valse Caprice—Gladys Hardison.
Montgomery—Arrival of Anne at Green Gables—Margaret Ledbetter.

Kreiser—Caprice Viennois—Julia Daniels.
Kilbourne—Babe Grows Up—Gracie Parker.
Kinkel—Loves Pleading—Mae Campbell.

Brice—Vida—Josephine Bandy.

BASKET BALL PRACTICE BEGINS

The boys of Louisburg High School have organized a Basket Ball team and have begun practice. There are a number of good candidates for the team. They expect to have daily practice until they have the first match game, which will take place in about a week or ten days.

The management expects to have some games with the best teams of surrounding towns. The following candidates are trying out for the team: Royal Strange, Lawrence Cooper, Earl Murphy, Herbert Fuller, Russell Wilson, Early Wester, Chas. Elmore, Alexander Wilson, William Webb, Harvey Bartholomew, Arch Wilson, Ivey Hale. Others are expected to play later. The high school expects to select a second team from those who do not make the first team.

The team is expecting the hearty cooperation of all those who should be interested in the progress of the school.

CO-OP CASES CONTINUED

The cases against H. A. Finch, of Kittrell, M. F. Morgan, of Bailey, R. T. Batchelor, of Wallace, for violating their Cooperative contract by selling tobacco on the open market and to restrain them from selling more the same way that were set for trial before Judge C. C. Lyon in Louisburg on Wednesday morning, were continued till Monday, November 27, at Raleigh.

Quite a large number of Franklin County people were disappointed at the continuance as they expected to hear the trial which was of great interest to them.

BOX PARTY

We are requested to state that there will be a Box Party and entertainment at Leah's church on Thanksgiving night, held for the benefit of the church. The public is invited to go out and help in this cause.

PLAY ANNOUNCEMENT

The Junior Class of Cedar Rock High School will present their class play "Mr. Bob" in the high school auditorium Wednesday night, Nov. 29th, 7:30 p. m. Music by vocal orchestra. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

SECOND PAYMENT FOR EASTERN N. C.

Tobacco Growers to Get Christmas Money—New Contracts Come In.

With a second payment to members completed in the South Carolina belt and arrangements being made for a second payment in Eastern North Carolina early in December on all tobacco deliveries before December first, the Tobacco Growers Cooperative Association is expecting to largely increase its membership in these belts before the season is over. Without any special effort on the part of the Association few contracts are reaching Raleigh daily from men "who waited to see" and are again thoroughly disgusted with the auction system.

Insistent demands for legal action against contract violators continue to reach Raleigh headquarters, especially from local units of the Association. In response to this demand the legal department last week filed 54 more suits against members in 21 counties of North Carolina involving damages of more than \$50,000. Some of the first suits filed have been settled out of court while other men are making settlements without waiting to be handed into court.

Arrangements have been made to have warehousemen receive money for damages and forward it to Raleigh where the legal department will decide whether to accept or reject such settlements. Each case is being considered on its merits and, while the attorneys are accepting a number of such proffered settlements, they state that in other cases they are rejecting offers to settle where the interests of the association show that a law suit would be better policy.

LOUISBURG HIGH SCHOOL

The following are programs of the Matthew Davis and Charles P. Aycock Literary Societies, which will be held Friday, November 24th:

Matthew Davis Society
When the Frost is on the Pumpkin (Riley)—Charles Elmore.
Dialogue, Priscilla and John Alden—William Webb and Estelle Edwards.

Story, The First of Thanksgiving—Margaret Insoce.
Story, Wisbone Valley—Lawrence Cooper.
The Pumpkins (Whittier)—Doza Upchurch.

The Master of the Harvest—Harvey Bartholomew.
Thanksgiving Hymn—Society.
Thanksgiving Song—Nathleen Murphy, Ellis Parham, Edward Perry and Annie Perry Neal.

Charles R. Aycock Society
Answer Roll with verse of poetry.
The Landing of the Pilgrims—Jessie Elmore.
Origin of Thanksgiving—Margaret Hill.

What we have to be thankful for—Elizabeth Clifton.
The President's Proclamation—John Pearce.

Thanksgiving Song—Society.
What Thanksgiving Means to the Turkey—Olivia McKinne.
Clarinet Solo—Mr. Simpson.
Song—By Society.
Adjournment.

MEETS WITH KENMORE CIRCLE

The four Missionary Circles of the Baptist church met with the Kenmore Circle at the home of Mrs. R. W. Hudson in a business and social meeting. Meeting was opened by singing, Bless Be the Tie.

Devotional exercises by Mrs. Underhill.
Prayer by Mr. J. A. McIver.
Number present from each circle: Fannie Heck 5; Blanch Barris 3; Center 7; Kenmore 12; Visitors 3.

Letter in regards to the 75 Million Campaign read, from Mrs. W. N. Jones.

Leader of each circle to get up the programs while the President is not able to be with us.
Moved and seconded that \$4.00 be sent to help build a church in Virginia. Mr. McIver made a talk on the way to finish up the Campaign.

Led in prayer by Mr. McIver.
Mrs. McIver sang a solo.
Miss Williams played an instrumental solo.

The Circle served delightful refreshments.
Next meeting will be held with the Center Circle Jan. 1st, 1923.

SCHLOSS ITEMS

I guess you all think we people around Schloss are dead, but we are still living. Everybody is most through picking cotton.

Mr. Jimmie Dickerson from Snow Hill, Md., was moving a saw mill from the P. A. Davis place some time ago and broke in Schloss bridge. No serious damage was done. He had plenty of help to see him get out. The bridge was built at once by Messrs. W. J. Smith and J. K. Brewer.

Mr. J. K. Brewer took a race with his bird dog recently trying to get one of the children's hoes from him. Mr. J. K. Brewer visited Mr. Otha Tucker Sunday.

If this escapes the waste basket I will call again some rainy day.
Jack S-ar-row.
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AMONG THE VISITORS

SOME YOU KNOW AND SOME YOU DO NOT KNOW.

Personal Items About Falls And Their Friends Who Travel Here And There.

Supt. and Mrs. E. L. Best went to Raleigh Tuesday.

Mr. Ben Wood, of Spring Hope, was a visitor to Louisburg Monday.

Constable J. E. Thomas was in Raleigh Tuesday attending Federal Court.

Mr. J. Cade Hayes, of High Point, was a visitor to Louisburg Wednesday.

Mrs. B. F. Whiteside, of Wilson, is visiting her brother, Mr. F. N. Egerton.

Mr. J. C. Matthews, of Spring Hope, was a visitor to Louisburg Wednesday.

Chief of Police D. C. High and Supt. E. C. Perry visited Raleigh Tuesday.

Messrs. Ben T. Holden and T. W. Ruffin visited Raleigh on business this week.

Messrs. W. M. Person and E. H. Malone were in Raleigh Tuesday attending Federal Court.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Y. Yarboro returned Tuesday from Hertford, where they attended the funeral of her father.

Mr. Harold Cooley, of Nashville, was a visitor to Louisburg Monday, and appeared in a case in Recorder's Court.

Mrs. H. L. Oliver, of Florida, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. James King, returned home one day this week.

Mrs. W. H. Pleasants was called to Alabama Tuesday night by telegram on account of her brother, Mr. Alston, who is a traveling salesman, being stricken with paralysis.

Mrs. O. R. McGrady, of Raleigh, and Mrs. N. B. Allsbrook, of Mebane, came to Louisburg last week on account of the illness of their mother, Mrs. D. C. High. The latter we are glad to learn is much improved.

BAZAAR

The ladies of the Methodist church will open their Bazaar on the evening of Dec. 6th, at seven o'clock sharp. A splendid opportunity to purchase Christmas gifts, at reasonable prices. Dinner will be served next day, Dec. 7th, from 12 to 2. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

RAYNOR ITEMS

We are glad to know that Miss Edna Byron has returned from the hospital at Rocky Mount and is rapidly recovering from her illness.

Our phones are ringing again, connecting our community with Louisburg.

There will be a "Prize Party" at the Rock Springs school house on Friday night, the twenty-fourth of November. Girls bring a prize; and boys, when counting out your money, remember that the proceeds of this party goes to the orphans.

All day services will be held at Rock Springs church on Saturday, the twenty-fifth of November. All members of that church are requested to be present to answer to the roll call and partake of the spiritual feast in store for them. Dinner will be served on the ground.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Regular services at Baptist church Sunday, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Special music at both services. You are cordially invited to be present and worship with us, by both the church and pastor.

JOHN ARCHIE McIVER.

MAIN STREET OPENED

Messrs. Chandler & Ragland, Contractors, three—Main street open to the public on Monday morning after it had been closed since late summer, for paving. The work is practically completed and is a great improvement over the old dirt road.

FRANKLIN COUNTY MISSIONARY UNION

The Franklin County Missionary Union will meet with the Baptist church of Wood on Dec. 9th. (Saturday.)

Very desirous of delegates from each church.
Mrs. Robt. A. Bobbitt, Sec.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE AT AT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

There will be Thanksgiving Day Service at St. Paul's Church at 11:00 a. m. All cordially invited.

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