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LOUISBURG'S GREATEST SIN

Sunday Morning Subject Methodist Church

"A Message in Song," To Be The Evening Service—Rev. O. W. Dowd Announces Dollar Day.

"Louisburg's Greatest Sin, or Her Besetting Sin" will be the subject of the sermon by Pastor O. W. Dowd at the Methodist Church on next Sunday morning, at 11 o'clock.

Pastor Dowd also announces that next Sunday will be Dollar Day at the Methodist Church and wants all members to be present and bring a dollar.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

Washington, Sept. 13—Miss Thelma Mayo was hostess Thursday evening at a delightful bridge party at her home on East Main Street in honor of Miss Mildred Waters.

At the conclusion of the games an ice cream social was served by Misses Irma Roper and Estelle Mayo. The guests were presented with favors which appeared to be miniature diplomas and, which when unrolled were found to be Gilmericks announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Mildred Waters to Mr. James Ellis Malone, Jr., of Louisburg.

Those present were Mrs. D. P. Darracott, Misses Hilda Robbins, Mary Cecilia Tankard, Lucile Dall, Mildred Waters, Anna Phillips, Margaret Bailey, Thelma Waters, Lola Woodard, Margaret Pippin, Jessie Brown, Mildred Bulter, Albertina Oden, Hildred Dunston, Susie Clark, Zelma Russ, Dora Bonner, Harriet Harding, Josie Susman, Aileen Rumley and Rosemary Bowen.

GETTING READY FOR OPENING

Buyers and Others Interested in Tobacco Market Arriving.

With the arrival of several of the buyers and many who will be connected with the Louisburg Tobacco Market and the cleaning up and arranging of the three warehouses everything is being put in readiness for the big opening day of the tobacco warehouses next Thursday.

Information reaching Louisburg is to the effect that prices for tobacco is advancing and our warehousemen are enthusiastic over the many assurances of the farmers to bring a load on the opening day.

The indications at this writing are indeed flattering for a live and popular market for Louisburg and every effort will be made to get the farmer more money for his tobacco here this year than he can get elsewhere.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON BOOK CLUB

The first meeting of the club year was held with Mrs. R. C. Beck as hostess. Fourteen club members and several guests were present when the president, Mrs. T. W. Watson, called the meeting to order.

The hearing was marked by a number of legal arguments by opposing counsel. The State was represented by E. H. Malone and J. E. Malone, Jr., of Louisburg, and Solicitor Evans.

Mrs. Ada Moore, of White Level, has heard from the chickens she sent to Raleigh for examination. Fowl typhoid was not found.

They keep that school girl complexion at the drug store.

Dollar Day at the Methodist Church in Louisburg next Sunday, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. If every member will bring only One Dollar, we can raise \$400 for our Orphanage and other benevolences. Let no one be a slacker, or fail us. O. W. DOWD.

HOLD DICKERSON IN ASSAULT CASE

Judge Midyette Reduces Bond On Charge of Assaulting Miss Eva Tart.

George Dickerson, Franklin county mill worker, yesterday lost his fight for freedom in a habeas corpus proceeding brought before Judge Garland E. Midyette yesterday in the Wake County Superior Court to review the finding of probable cause against him by a Louisburg magistrate on a charge of an attempted criminal assault on Miss Eva Tart, pretty Franklinton mill worker.

Judge Midyette approved the decision of the inferior court in finding probable cause but reduced Dickerson's bond from \$1000 to \$350. Miss Tart, looking very fresh and pretty, told Judge Midyette all about the case. She was calm and clear headed on the witness stand and gave back quick answers to the suave cross-examination of Ben Holden, of Louisburg.

She told Judge Midyette all about her relations with Dickerson and of the alleged attempted assault which occurred a few days after Dickerson gave her rival, Erma Perry, of Franklinton, an engagement ring. Once she startled the court with her frankness, Mr. Holden was questioning her about indignities which she swore Dickerson paid her.

The court was silent and Holden's "No" stopped threatened laughter. The defense counsel had a large number of witnesses sworn but after Charlie Barrow and Frank Freddy, mill workers, testified to conversations with the girl, Solicitor W. F. Evans suggested that the girl be put on in the interest of time.

Miss Tart testified that she went to ride with Dickerson one night last in August. He drove into the country about two miles from Louisburg and stopped his car. She testified that he practically forced her to go to ride with him. When he stopped the car, she said, he told her she would have to have intercourse with him.

She stated that he tried to pull her out of the car but she beat him off. Then he tried to pull her into the back seat of the car and finally forced her to the back seat and forced her into a reclining position. She declared that he put his hands under her clothes and threatened to pull her bloomers off unless she would take them off.

Barrow and Freddy testified that they asked Miss Tart about the cause of a fight between Dickerson and her brother after the alleged affair, and that she said Dickerson did not harm her.

The State was represented by E. H. Malone and J. E. Malone, Jr., of Louisburg, and Solicitor Evans. Dickerson was represented by W. H. Yarborough, Ben Holden, W. L. Lumpkin and T. W. Ruffin, of Louisburg.—News-Observer.

J. S. Edwards, of Moulton Hays, has some diseased tobacco stalks sent to Oxford last week for examination. He is anxious to know what the trouble is and find a remedy if possible.



MRS. JANE S. MCKIMMON State Home Demonstration Agent, who spoke before Louisburg Kiwanis Club Friday night.

MRS. MCKIMMON SPEAKS

At Kiwanis Luncheon Friday Night

Many Guests Present—Large Attendance of Members—Splendid Musical Program

The Kiwanis Luncheon at Franklin Hotel on last Friday night was one of the most successful and enjoyable ones that has been held in some time. Director J. M. Allen who had the program in charge measured fully up to the requirements.

After the usual routine of opening E. H. Malone and M. S. Davis made reports on the progress of the road program and S. P. Boddie was elected to membership. Jim Allen then introduced the guests of the club as follows: Mrs. T. H. Dickens, President; Mrs. S. B. Rice, Vice-President, and Miss Minter Wilder, Secretary, officers of the County Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs, and the following Presidents of the County Clubs: Mrs. S. B. Nash, Mitchiner; Mrs. John Innesco, Hickory Rock; Mrs. P. E. Dean, Cedar Rock; Mrs. K. B. White, Bunn; Mrs. W. A. Perry, Pine Ridge; Mrs. Ferrell Parrish, Moulton-Hays; Mrs. D. T. Fuller representing Bordeaux Club; Mrs. E. L. Griggs, representing Seven Paths club; Mrs. Cary Howard, President Louisburg Woman's club; Miss Daisy Caldwell, Home Demonstration Agent. A number of members presented their guests.

Jim Allen, after paying a high tribute to the beautiful and industrious women of Franklin County and the great work they are doing in these Demonstration Clubs, introduced Mrs. T. H. Dickens, who in turn introduced the speaker of the evening, speaking of Mrs. Jane S. McKimmon as being known in all the farm homes and occupying the biggest job in the State.

Asserting that women have a big job the job is and the importance of it. She said that seventy-five per cent of the women have to keep house for some one at some time and thought they ought to know how to do it. The girls should be trained. She then showed how the Demonstration clubs train the girls. Referring to conditions when man has been trained for his work in life and marries a girl who has had no training she said there was no reason to wonder at so many shipwrecks on the matrimonial sea.

Mrs. McKimmon told of a woman and her flock of chickens, the care and attention given to cause the chickens to grow and lay and then compared this with the home in which apparently no attention, certainly not the right kind, was given the children, and made a plea that the children be given a chance. She told of the advantages of kitchen arrangement, and home economics and stressed the fact that the biggest thing to teach a woman is to plan her time. Mrs. McKimmon stated that the spirit is the big thing in the home.

The musical numbers by Misses Van Ende, Professor of Violin, and Miss Leonard of Louisburg College, was greatly enjoyed and added much to the completeness of the afternoon.

The entire program was greatly enjoyed by the large number of members and guests present.

BARBECUE DINNER

The Ladies Auxiliary of St. Paul's Episcopal church announce that they will serve barbecue on the Court House square on Thursday, October 1st, 1925—the day of the opening of the Louisburg Tobacco Market. The proceeds will be used for the church.

Mr. W. T. J. Eaton, of near Franklinton, as a result of a small planting of Abruzzi rye last year will plant all Abruzzi this year.

Virtue may have its own reward, but it seldom ever collects.

GEORGE DICKERSON BOUND OVER

For Assault With Intent To Commit Rape

Also Fined \$100 For Carrying Concealed Weapons—Many Cases Continued in Recorder's Court Monday.

Franklin County Recorder's Court Monday was the centre of interest and a big crowd was present to hear the several cases on docket. The cases of most interest were those of carrying concealed weapons, and assault with intent to commit rape against George Dickerson. The latter case was alleged to have been committed about two miles from Louisburg on Miss Eva Tart, of Franklinton, after the two had visited a show in Louisburg in August.

State vs Geo. Dickerson, c/w, jury trial, guilty, fined \$100.00 and costs. State vs George Dickerson, assault with intent to commit rape, probable cause found, bound over to Superior Court under \$1,000.00 bond.

State vs Charlie Jones, assault with deadly weapon, nol pros. Daisy Jones to pay costs. State vs Clyde Mustian, operating automobile intoxicated, pleads guilty. 6 months on roads, execution not to issue until further order of this court, upon payment of costs.

The following cases were continued to next Monday: State vs J. E. Wright, disposing of mortgaged property. State vs J. S. Perry, violating prohibition law.

State vs Titus Dorsey, violating prohibition law. State vs Titus Dorsey, assault. State vs Jim S. Tant and Zenie Tant, violating prohibition law.

State vs Jim Tant and Zenie Tant, distilling. State vs Fred Patton, distilling.

WALLACE THE MAGICIAN COMING

To Play at Graded School Auditorium Under Auspices High School Athletic Association.

"Who is Wallace?" you ask. Why man, where have you been hiding? He is known all over the South, as the clever magician who catches pigeons from the air, rabbits from nowhere, and other animals from everywhere. And about the time your eyes stop blinking, quick as a flash a flock of gucks come quacking, and before you can say "scat" to a cat those self same ducks have gone glimmering into space, ether, nothingness, nil desperandum. Gee-whillikens, but he makes things happen in a hurry.

In the old days one thought a sleight of hand performer sort of a seventh wonder when he could produce a live rabbit from a borrowed hat, but Wallace rolls up his sleeves and the pigeons come flying, apparently from thin air. Maybe he has some sort of radio aviary station in Pigeonland. Anyway, it is a beautiful act, poetic in conception, marvellously mystifying in execution, and charmingly entertaining all the way through.

Wallace's performance is different from all other magical entertainments. He carries a stageful of beautiful paraphernalia, a lot of live birds and animals, a genial personality, a brainful of droll wit and the knack of putting over his humor in a way that makes friends for him everywhere. His finale is remarkable, introducing one of the most spectacular illusions ever seen, called the "Super-Vanish Extraordinary." In this effect a miniature aviary and menagerie of animals and birds and a beautiful lamp, all disappear in the twinkling of an eye. The tables upon which they were placed are then taken apart for examination and not a trace of the pretty birds and animals can be seen.

You will be mystified, puzzled, tickled, thrilled, charmed and made happy in the two hours that Wallace is in town. If you miss that show, you'll regret it all your life. Don't forget the date at the High School Auditorium next Monday, Sept. 28, 1925, at 7:30 p. m.

The performance is being presented in Louisburg in the interest and under the auspices of the High School Athletic Association.

AT ST. PAUL'S NEXT SUNDAY

Pastor J. D. Miller has announced the services for St. Paul's Episcopal church for next Sunday as follows: 10 a. m. Sunday School. 11 a. m. Morning Prayer. 7:30 p. m. Evening Prayer. All are cordially invited to attend and join in these services.

FACULTY RECEPTION

President and Mrs. Mohn and faculty of Louisburg College will receive patrons and friends, Friday evening, September 25, eight-thirty to ten, in College parlors. All are cordially invited.

BIG HOLIDAY WEEK

October 6-10, Franklin County Fair

Big Free Fireworks Display Daily—Fashion Show And Other Big Attractions Coming—Keystone Exposition Shows Will Be Here.

Fair weather and a Big Fair is the prediction for Franklin County's Big Holiday Week.

Work is progressing rapidly at the Fair Grounds and in a few days everything will be in fine shape for the Fair. The management is leaving nothing undone to entertain the vast crowds in attendance this year.

A huge grandstand is being built that will seat several thousand people.

Franklin County's Fashion Show will be in front of this huge arena and those who enjoy the daily band concerts will have a comfortable seat.

The merchants who will participate in the Fashion Show and Bathing Beauty Pageant are L. Kline & Co., F. W. Wheelers, F. A. Roth, A. Tonkel and Mrs. Julia Scott, of Louisburg; T. C. Harris, B. H. Patterson, Youngville; McGhee-Joyner Co., The Sterling Store Co., and Mrs. M. C. Henley, Franklinton. Numbers of beautiful suits will be seen on living models and a full programme of music, fancy dancing and other entertainment will be seen in front of the grand stand.

Following the Fashion Show and concert will be the fireworks. The fireworks expert that is here to fire the mammoth fireworks show to be held in connection with the fair stated today that since the war the manufacturers of fireworks have been able to procure better chemicals, and as a result are now able to make bigger and better fireworks displays.

The Ohio Display Fireworks Company, that is to present the show here has taken full advantage of being able to procure better chemicals. This company has some of the best chemists in the country working at their laboratories. The chemists are instructed to arrange the chemicals in the shells so that they will be bigger and better and also will contain novel features that will be recognized as distinct features of this company's originality in the making up of their programs.

During the war fireworks were used to a large extent as flares to light up No Man's Land. All of the research work carried on then has been embodied in the making of bigger and better fireworks displays.

Repeated efforts on the part of various fair committees and heads of amusement enterprises to find some form of entertainment that will be satisfactory to all has resulted in the contracting of a fireworks show, which has proven to be one form of entertainment that is pleasing to all. With this thought foremost, the Secretary has contracted with the Ohio Display Fireworks Company to present a gigantic fireworks exhibition at the Fair.

Fireworks shows have proven to be one of the easiest forms of amusement to arrange so as to take care that everyone in our cosmopolitan audiences are both pleased and entertained. The beautiful color effects, the bright lights, the cannon like reports and the various beautiful numbers that are created, tend to make a fireworks show the most popular form of entertainment that one is able to procure.

Fully 135 shells will be exploded the first night and nobody can afford to miss a single night as the programme will be changed each night. A full programme lasting fully an hour of beautiful color effects in fire will be seen.

The Secretary is in receipt of a wire from the Manager of the Keystone Exposition Shows stating that arrangements have been made with the Seaboard Air Line to bring the shows in from Petersburg by special train and will arrive early so that everything may be in readiness for the opening date.

SPECIAL NOTICE FOR SUNDAY NIGHT SERVICE AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Miss Helen Van Ende will render a violin Offertory. Miss Elizabeth Allen will give a religious Reading. We consider our church and community very fortunate in having the opportunity to hear these artists next Sunday night. The public is most cordially invited.

RELIGIOUS PAGEANT

A religious pageant will be given as a program for Sunday School Day at the Methodist church on Sunday night, October 4th, at 7:30 o'clock. The pageant was composed by Miss Louisa E. Jarman, one of Louisburg Graded School's efficient teachers, and will be directed by Mrs. M. C. Pleasants. They will be assisted in the presentation by Rev. O. W. Dowd, Mrs. Ben T. Holden, Mrs. E. W. Furgerson, Miss Fannie Lillian Mendenburg, Miss Genevieve Macon and Mr. Malcolm McKinnis. The music will be arranged by Mrs. O. Y. Yarboro. A cordial invitation is extended the entire public to attend.