

BIGGEST SALES IN MANY YEARS

Tobacco Bringing Good Prices On the Louisburg Market; Sales Open Again Monday

Possibly the biggest lot of tobacco ever brought to Louisburg in one day was here on Monday. Fully a quarter of a million pounds was here. The floors of all three houses were more than crowded and then had loads and loads waiting to be unloaded. It was a blocked sale. The Riverside and Union had first and second sales and sold their floors, but darkness caused the sale to stop before half of the sale at the Planters was made. However the sales were started early and pressed closely and all tobacco covered was sold Tuesday. Throughout these big sales prices held up exceptionally well. In fact in lots of instances they appeared to be higher than usual. All growers seem especially well pleased with both the prices and the treatment and considerations they received at the hands of the local people.

The Louisburg market has well passed the three million mark and in all probability will double its sales of last year. The farmers are beginning to realize the value the Louisburg market is to them, the efforts the people of Louisburg are putting forth in their benefit and is showing his appreciation by bringing his tobacco here for sale. Quite a lot of the tobacco here Monday was within a stone's throw of Rocky Mount. If it pays them to haul tobacco to Louisburg which is evidently does, it will pay them to bring it to other markets.

The market closed for Thanksgiving yesterday afternoon with a strong demand for the weed. The R. J. Reynolds Co., as well as others, was buying strong at the end and are anxious for the types sold on this market.

The regular sales will begin again on Monday morning and all arrangements possible are being made to handle a still bigger lot of tobacco. Louisburg welcomes you.

MR. BOBBITT TO VISIT OLD HOME

Benjamin B. Bobbitt, of Long Branch, N. J., publisher of the Monmouth American there, is on a visit to his father, Dr. E. H. Bobbitt at Franklinton. Mr. Bobbitt is a member of the Commission which is soon to return to the Governor of North Carolina two tattered, blood-stained flags captured from North Carolina regiments, one at Manassas in 1862 made from a lady's silk shawl and marked in yellow silk "Surrey Marksman," the other at Chancellorsville in 1863 that belonged to the 2nd N. C. Regt. Adjutant General Fred Gilkyson heads the commission and former G. A. R. Commander Frank Cole will make the presentation at Trenton soon.

Mr. Bobbitt is a Franklin County boy who was raised at Cedar Rock and is a University of N. C. alumnus. He has lived in Jersey half his life and has edited the Newark Morning Ledger and the Trend Magazine of New York and is a former State Editor of N. J. He was an original Woodrow Wilson boomer and a close friend of the late President. His daughter, Miss Virginia Boisseau Bobbitt, accompanied him.

MORE GAME LAW PROSECUTIONS

County Game Warden C. O. Moore, reports the following prosecutions for violation of the game laws the past week:

Ernest Stewart was tried before Mayor J. O. Pernel for hunting without license, and was committed to jail upon failure to pay fine and costs.

E. A. Kelly and William Gilliam, were fined \$14.05 each for hunting without license; Simon Kelly was turned over to the Juvenile court under a like charge and G. N. Tucker was fined \$14.05 for hunting on land without permission, by C. C. Winston, J. P., of Youngsville.

THE HOPEFUL LIFE

The pastor of the Louisburg Circuit hopes to meet with large crowds in the first services of the new conference year at Shiloh and Piney Grove Sunday, November 27. The following subjects will be discussed: Shiloh, 11 a. m., "The Hopeful Life," Piney Grove, 3 p. m., "The Christian's Joy."

DOLL 120 YEARS OLD

Recently Mrs. N. M. Rogers of near New Hope, was in town with two dolls one of which was 120 years old and the other 65 years old. They have been handed down within the family for generations and are interesting to look at.

TREE TRIMMING DEMONSTRATION

Mr. R. W. Graeber, State Forester, will conduct a trimming demonstration at A. W. Wilson's November 29 and at J. D. Newman's November 30. These demonstrations will start about ten o'clock. Every farmer interested in trimming is invited to attend these demonstrations.

None of the girls have runners in their silk hose from running to work.

America's History Making Trans-Oceanic Flyers at White House



Prior to the awarding of the Hubbard Medal to Colonel Lindbergh, President Coolidge was host at luncheon to all of the trans-oceanic flyers. Left to right: Lester Maitland, Clarence Chamberlin, Art Goebel, Charles Lindbergh, Ruth Elder, Paul Schuller, Emory Bronte, A. F. Hagenberger, Richard Byrd, George Haldeman, Charles Levine, Bernt Balchen and Wm. Block.

THE NEW ENCYCLOPEDIA FOR W. R. MILLS SCHOOL

In the columns of the TIMES we extend sincerest thanks to those whose contributions have made possible the purchase of the New International Encyclopedia for W. R. Mills School Library.

The donations went \$6 over the top which over amount will be spent for suitable story books for the first, second and third grades.

The response to the effort to raise money for the Encyclopedia was gratifying. No one was pressed to make a donation and none were asked to give large amounts.

All responded gladly, however, and generous contributions were made.

The full list of contributions, including the new contributions of last week, appears below.

The Encyclopedia, in twenty-five volumes, splendidly bound in buckram with complete Unabridged Webster's Dictionary will be of invaluable assistance to the students of Mills school.

- Mrs. G. W. Ford \$ 3.00
Dr. H. G. Perry 15.00
P. S. Allen 1.00
Dr. H. H. Johnson 4.00
F. J. Beasley 1.00
F. R. Pleasants 1.00
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W. B. Barrow 1.00
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K. K. Allen 2.00
W. N. Fuller 2.00
Sid Holden 1.00
Joe Young 1.00
J. L. Palmer 1.00

MRS. LAURA MACON BURRUS DEAD

Her many friends throughout Franklin county will learn with regret of the death of this most estimable woman that occurred in Greensboro, November 16th, 1927, while visiting relatives in that city. She was the daughter of the late Nathaniel Henry and Lucy Thomas Macon of near Louisburg. She was the wife of Sam Burrus of Talladega, Ala., where she has made her home for the past 30 years. Her remains were taken there for interment. Besides a large number of relatives and friends she leaves one sister, Mrs. Tom Mills of Middleburg, to mourn her loss.

PLAY AT CENTERVILLE

There will be a play given at Centerville school building Thursday night December 1st, by the W. M. U. of the Baptist church. Come if you want to have some fun, a few hours of real enjoyment. Bring your friends with you, we will be prepared to entertain them all.

AT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

The congregation at St. Paul's Episcopal church will observe the first Sunday in Advent next Sunday with morning prayer at 11 o'clock and evening prayer at 7:30. Sunday school will be held at the usual hour 10 a. m. All are cordially invited to attend each of these services.

GREATER LOUISBURG COLLEGE

From the time the guns of the American Revolution thundered their defiance to the English King until the present day the people of this section have been interested in the education of their young people, and have maintained that institution which in later years became Louisburg College.

The history of Louisburg College is so well known to the people of this county and section that it would be a waste of effort upon the part of this writer to do more than simply call their attention to a few facts. It is sufficient to say at this place that throughout all the years of its history this fine old institution, through the loyalty of its friends, has been able to keep its doors open and pursue its noble work through times of war and peace, poverty and prosperity, so that it has an unbroken history of nearly a century and a half of splendid service.

About five years ago Mr. A. W. Mohn was called to the presidency of Louisburg College, and with his inauguration began a new era in the life of the old College. Old buildings were remodeled and refurbished, and new buildings began to rise on the campus; modern equipment placed in class rooms and laboratories and the student roll began to grow. Mr. Mohn found only two buildings, both badly in need of repairs, when he came. These have been put in first class condition and three beautiful new buildings erected.

Mr. Mohn had a vision of a greater and finer Louisburg College and the town and county caught the vision from him, and under his splendid leadership, the people of Franklin County did something that has not been surpassed in any rural county in the South—subscribed \$150,000.00 for the purpose of erecting a great Franklin County Memorial Building.

This beautiful building stands upon the campus as a lasting memorial to the loyalty and love of Franklin County people. But this is an unfinished memorial. Let us all redeem our pledges so that it may not stand as a monument to our broken faith with our historic old college.

In the fall of 1926 our people were unable to pay their pledges because of the low price of cotton, but we are not facing such a condition today. Because of the increase in the student body and in order to meet certain requirements of the State Board of Education it was absolutely necessary that the class rooms and laboratories on the first floor of the Franklin County Building be completed and equipped for the opening of the present college year. The trustees didn't have the funds in hand to do this work, but they assumed that as they held the pledges of the splendid people of Franklin county they would be safe in having the work done, feeling sure you would redeem your pledges when they became due. Trusting you, they contracted a debt. This debt must be paid at once, and the only source of funds with which to meet this debt and complete the building is your pledges.

Loyal people of Louisburg and Franklin county, send in the amount due on your pledges at once and help your college to meet its obligations, obligations based on your pledged good faith.

Louisburg College stands on the threshold of a new day—a great day and next week the TIMES will tell you of some of the great things in store for the College in the near future.

Above all, pay your pledge to the Franklin County Building Fund.

COTTON REPORT

The tabulation of the card reports shows that there were 13,079 bales of cotton, counting round as half bales, ginned in Franklin county, from the crop of 1927 prior to November 14, 1927, as compared with 16,481 bales ginned to November 14, 1926.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

To all Majors and Captains of teams: You are urgently requested to be present at a meeting to be held in the school hall at the College on Monday evening, November 28th, at 7:30. This is a very important meeting and all persons designated above are urged to attend. W. E. WHITE, Colonel.

BILL WINSTON AT FLOOD SCENE

From this distance it seems that the life of William A. Winston, former Wendell man who is now stationed at Curtiss Flying Field, N. Y., is just one thrill after another. When he isn't breaking speed records, and modestly ascribing his success to favorable wind he is flying with a press cameraman over the flood ridden cities of Vermont, Montpelier and Rutland. He relates some interesting experiences in letters to friends here. According to Winston the City of Montpelier was left in terrible shape after the flood waters had receded somewhat. There was no light except lanterns, lamps and candles, no telephone or telegraph service, and passage through the streets were difficult. There had been no looting. National Guard troops were patrolling the streets and giving what aid they could and the Red Cross was distributing food. He told of one young man who was trapped in a drug store by the rapid rising flood. He climbed from shelf to shelf as the water rose, passing the time smoking choice cigars from the stock, but when he came to the top shelf and the water still rose and he was saved just in the nick of time by friends above who cut a hole in the floor of the room above him.

A deputy sheriff, who had been driven to the top floor of his home with his family, heard something continually bumping against the ceiling of the floor below. Finally it broke through, it was the piano.

Winston made this trip in a Curtiss Oriole racer. His flying time from Curtiss Field to Montpelier was two hours and thirty-five minutes.—Zebulon Record.

Mr. Winston was a former Louisburg boy and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Winston.

AMUSEMENTS

At the Winner Theatre The following is the program at the Winner Theatre for the week beginning Friday, November 25th:

Friday—Richard Talmage in The Night Patrol.

Saturday—Leo Maloney in High Hands.

Monday—Fireman Save My Child with Wallace Beery and Raymond Hatton.

Tuesday—Peter B. Kyne's Foreign Devils starring Tim McCoy with Claire Windsor.

Wednesday—The Drop Kick with Richard Barthelmess.

Thursday—Roses of the Golden West with a good cast.

PUBLIC SPEAKING AT EPSOM

We are requested to announce that Mr. J. W. Dale will address the people of Epsom community at the school auditorium on Friday night, November 25th, at 7 o'clock on a subject relating to the Ku Klux Klan. All are invited to go out and hear the address.

IMPORTANT TO SUBSCRIBERS

During the past week we have corrected all subscription dates and the dates on your label should be correct. We are going to ask you to check up on these dates and if you find anything wrong with them kindly advise us so that we can get them right. It is our desire to keep our subscription accounts accurate, we are human and make errors, but we are glad to correct them when we can find them or are shown. Further, if your dates show that your subscription is behind we are going to ask you to come in and pay up or send check. The amount is small now and you can pay it, and it will do us a lot of good. We have gotten a great deal of pleasure out of accommodating you by carrying your account. We are now going to ask you to pay us with the same degree of promptness that you would want us to pay you, if we should owe you.

By attending to this now and paying a year in advance you will enjoy the holders a good deal more and we will be glad to have you and all the TIMES and all its dependents.

CREAMERY ASSURED FOR LOUISBURG

Enthusiastic Meeting Tuesday Night Instructs for Immediate Action; Two Thousand Dollars Subscribed Tuesday Night; Strong Appeals for Loyalty To New Enterprises

A most enthusiastic meeting of citizens of Franklin County was held with the Chamber of Commerce of Louisburg in the court house on Tuesday night when it was decided to establish a creamery for Franklin county in Louisburg right away and two thousand dollars worth of stock was subscribed which added to the two thousand previously subscribed brings the total subscription up to four thousand. It was the recommendation of the committee that six thousand dollars be raised so Dr. W. R. Bass, chairman of the Dairy Committee was authorized and requested to select a committee to make a canvass the early part of next week to sell the remaining two thousand dollars stock. In the two thousand dollars subscribed Tuesday night was one thousand from Franklin, which Mr. George Cooke felt sure he could place. Mr. Cooke was put in charge of the stock sale at Franklin. This creamery has the assurance of quite a bit of support outside Franklin county and many shares of stock is taken by parties living outside the county. It is desired that all who expect to sell cream to the creamery should own at least one share but any one desiring to help establish a new enterprise in Franklin county is invited to join in the movement by subscribing to at least one share.

Quite a number of fine talks were made in many of which the importance and necessity for all our people being loyal to all these new enterprises by giving them their undivided support. It takes this to make any enterprise a success, more especially a newly established enterprise and all investors seeking location for enterprises are governed a great deal by the concrete attitude of loyalty towards other enterprises by the local people.

The meeting was a most enthusiastic, loyal and profitable one and all who attended thoroughly enjoyed the time.

MULLEN GINNEY AT BURN BURNS, \$10,000 VALUATION

Fire of unknown origin destroyed the ginhouse, boiler room and office of Mr. B. M. C. Mullen Monday afternoon. When the fire was discovered a small blaze was coming out of the top of the main building about 1:30 o'clock and by 2:30 was laid to ashes. By the time help could reach the scene the fire had gained such headway that it was impossible to save anything except a few bales of cotton that were on the ground. By heroic work by people who rushed in, all the baled cotton was saved with the exception of two or three bales, but it was badly scorched before it could be moved from the fire zone. By hard work Mr. Mullen's seed and storage warehouse were saved. We have not learned the exact amount of loss but it is estimated at about \$10,000, partly covered by insurance.

McNary On Job



Sen. Charles L. McNary of Oregon, is in Washington feeling out all factions in the hope the new McNary-Haugen Farm Relief bill will be passed and Okie'd by the President at the forthcoming session of Congress.

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. Evans was a visitor to Louisburg the past week.

Mr. K. P. Hill, of Raleigh, was a visitor to Louisburg Monday.

Mr. J. W. Mann, of Raleigh, was a visitor to Louisburg Monday.

Mr. R. O. Everett, of Durham, was in attendance upon court Monday.

Mr. Banks Arendall, of Raleigh, was a visitor to Louisburg Wednesday.

Mr. W. K. Martin, of Wake Forest, was a visitor to Louisburg Monday.

Mr. Harold D. Cooley, of Nashville, was a visitor to Louisburg Saturday.

Mr. F. L. Edens of Raleigh, visited his mother, Mrs. C. B. Edens, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Pleasants, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mills and sons John and William, attended the funeral of Mrs. John D. Wells, at Wilson, Tuesday.

Mr. W. R. Parsons left yesterday for Charlotte to attend a meeting of Ford sales agents, at which time they expect definite information about the new Ford.

Dr. R. F. Yarborough and Mr. W. H. White attended the banquet given at the Sir Walter Hotel, Raleigh, Tuesday night in honor of National Commander American Legion.

Dr. W. G. Cheaves, of Atlantic City, was a visitor to Louisburg Friday. Dr. Cheaves is a Franklin county boy, son of Mr. J. W. Cheaves, of near Bunn, and, to the delight of his many friends, is doing well in the northern resort city.

Mr. M. C. Murphy returned Tuesday from Richmond where he went to be with his wife who has undergone an operation at a local hospital there. Their many friends will be glad to know that Mrs. Murphy is recovering nicely.

GERTRUDE HENNEMAN AT LOUISBURG COLLEGE

Gertrude Henneman, pianist, opened the artist's concert series with an interesting lecture recital in the college music hall on November 17th. Miss Henneman's explanations were instructive and interesting, especially to music students and those who have made no special study of music. She is an attractive personality and makes her message quite clear in a pleasing manner.

In MacDowell's March Wind, the audience could easily realize the presence of a wind storm. Debrussy's "Gollinog's Lake Waltz" was well done and descriptive. In Rachmaninoff's "Polchirelle," Punch and Judy danced and quarreled to the delight of everyone present.

Miss Henneman's Ampico demonstration was quite good. She took up the melody as the Ampico left off playing without a break and the playing of the Ampico and the artist were so popular that it was difficult to decide which was the most enjoyable.

These concerts are pleasing, instructive and interesting.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

The following is the program for B. Y. P. U. service at Mountain Grove Baptist church, Alert, N. C. November 27, 1927 Service will begin at 10:30 a. m. and continue throughout the day: 10:30. Songs—Onward Christian Soldiers; Stand Up For Jesus; Chain Prayer.

Devotional exercises, James Matthews.

Special song—If Jesus Should Come Today.

11:00. Address by Associational President.

1:30. Address—Youth's Visions of Tomorrow. W. H. Clemmons, Wake Forest College.

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12:00. Lunch.

1:00. Devotional exercises.

1:10. Roll call and miscellaneous.

2:00. Demonstration program.

2:45. Address—Spizzierinkum, G. N. Asheley, Wake Forest College.

Song—Blessed be the Tie That Binds.

Benediction.

A NEW TRUSTEE OF LOUISBURG COLLEGE

At the recent session of the North Carolina Conference Rev. S. A. Cotton, presiding elder of the Weldon District, was elected to the Board of Trustees of Louisburg College to succeed Rev. W. W. Peele, who was transferred to the Western North Carolina Conference.

Mr. Cotton is one of the leading men in the Conference and a staunch friend of the College.