

TIN CANS! MORE TIN CANS

The tin can contest conducted by Mr. R. R. Kissell of the Winner Theatre and Supt. E. C. Perry of the Welfare Department, resulted in the gathering together and destroying 8,595 old cans, which would have become favorable breeding places for mosquitos and other obnoxious pests. For three afternoons children hauled cans to the court square until on the last evening a great mound of cans was piled high and Supt. E. C. Perry was kept busy checking the deliveries.

At the final count on Wednesday afternoon Al Hodges, Jr., was awarded first prize of \$5 worth of theatre tickets for having brought in 2,454 cans, Jack Rouse won second prize with 2,057 cans, and Edith Harris won third with 1,538 cans. The second prize was \$3 worth of tickets and the third \$2 worth of tickets to the Winner Theatre.

The little folks pulled quite a joke on the instigators of the contest by forming teams and working together instead of working individually as was intended.

The winners were announced at the evening's performance at the Winner Theatre Wednesday.

MEMBERS STUDENT COUNCIL FOR LOUISBURG COLLEGE

The following girls, having been elected as members of the Louisburg College Student Council, began their duties immediately after the spring holidays: Vergie Sheffield, Creedmore, President; Kathryn Lyon, Ayden, Vice-President; Dora Jones, Raleigh, Secretary; Caroline Horton Durham, Treasurer; Lucille Davis, Kinston, Editor; Proctor of Main Building; Lucy House Melvin, Linden, House Manager of Wright Building.

PARACHUTE JUMP

A parachute jump will be made at Poindexter Field on Route 10, 2 miles west of Raleigh near Meredith College, next Sunday afternoon at four o'clock.

The jump will be made by E. J. Cain from plane flown by Lieut. Poindexter.

This is the first of the many free aerial attractions given by the field during the season.

The jump from the plane is one of the first ever made in this section. Large crowds expected. Public is cordially invited.

JUNIOR-SENIOR RECEPTION

The Junior Class of Louisburg College delightfully entertained the Senior Class at their annual reception on Friday evening, April 20, 1928. The reception hall and the parlors of the mal- building were beautifully decorated with green and white, the colors of the Senior Class. The color scheme was also carried out in the refreshments, which consisted of punch, frozen fruit salad and mints. There were about three or four hundred present, including guests of both Juniors and Seniors.

MAY FETE LOUISBURG COLLEGE

On Tuesday, May first at five o'clock in the afternoon, under the auspices of the Physical Education Department, Louisburg College will celebrate May Day in the traditional manner.

Miss Lucy Thompson, of Creedmoor has been elected May Queen by the Student Body. Miss Odette Brown, of Raleigh, as the Spirit of Spring will crown the May Queen. After the coronation, the Queen's subjects will hold May revels in her honor.

The College Orchestra, directed by Miss Evelena Terry will play for the occasion.

Miss Catherine Lyon, pupil of Miss Harriet Crenshaw, will play for the professional.

The College Glee Club, directed by Mrs. A. W. Mohn, will sing two choruses in keeping with the event.

Miss Elizabeth Fussell will also give a May song.

Miss Alva Sheik will be in charge of the stage setting.

The May Fete is under the direction of Miss Carlotta Mitchell.

Friends of the College are cordially invited to attend.

SUNDAY FIGHT

Mr. Shirley Downey is in a hospital at Rocky Mount suffering from knife wounds and Sol Wright, colored, is in jail, as a result of a fight that occurred at the Log Cabin Filling Station just south of the railroad, on State Highway 56 Sunday afternoon about 3:30 o'clock. Wright, who used the knife is being held to await the outcome of the wounds of Mr. Downey before being given a hearing. The details of the difficulty has not been given out.

HELP TO COLLECT HISTORY

Now that the season for all our schools in the county to close their years work, having made history, I am urging all of you teachers and pupils to collect a program of all events, an annual if you have one, and file them with me that they may be placed in our archives to be permanently preserved as part of Franklin county history. We hope in time to have a very complete history of the

MR. S. A. NEWELL DEAD

Mr. S. Atwood Newell, who has been in bad health for more than twelve months, died at his home on North Main Street Saturday morning. He was 48 years of age and leaves besides his wife two children, John Atwood Newell and Eliza Griffin Newell, and two brothers, Drs. J. O. Newell, of Louisburg, and H. A. Newell of Henderson.

Mr. Newell was one of Louisburg's most popular and prominent citizens. He was a lawyer of no mean ability and was at all times interested in public matters. He represented Franklin county in the General Assembly and served as county attorney, and at his death was the Judge of Franklin County's Recorders Court having been elected at the last election and qualified though his health never allowed him to serve.

He was educated at Wake Forest College and began the practice of his profession at Williamston, returning to Louisburg about 1912.

He was a member of the Louisburg Baptist church and took much interest in the advancement of the work of the church and was always active in its activities.

He was a member of the Louisburg Masonic Lodge and was ever enthusiastic in all Masonic activities, and was one of the best posted Masons in Franklin county.

He gave freely of his time and ability to all matters of local civic concern and contributed greatly to the advancement of Louisburg and Franklin county in the past fifteen years.

Being a member of one of the States most prominent families he had many relatives and friends who join his bereaved family in sorrow.

The funeral was held from the home on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, and was conducted by Rev. John Archie McIver, assisted by Rev. Daniel Lane. An exceedingly large crowd gathered to pay a last sad tribute to the deceased. The interment was made at Oaklawn cemetery where also a large number were present. The interment was made with Masonic honors. Masons from many neighboring lodges joining in the ceremony. The pall bearers were C. A. Ragland, S. C. Holden, H. H. Perry, W. B. Barrow, B. B. Perry, W. P. Wilson. The members of the Louisburg bar attended in a body.

The floral offering was exceptionally large and beautiful, bearing a message of esteem and respect too tender for words.

The bereaved family has the deepest sympathy of the entire county in their sorrow.

FUNERAL OF MR. UPCHURCH

The funeral services for Mr. Spruill Upchurch were held from the home of his father, Mr. W. D. Upchurch, on North Main Street Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Revs. J. A. McIver, J. D. Miller and Daniel Lane, and the interment was made at the old-Gupton family cemetery at the home of Mr. R. N. Gupton near Gupton. The pallbearers were Will Mitchell, Emmitt Mitchell, Joe Mann Mitchell and Simpson Mitchell, of Henderson, and John C. Upchurch and Rufus R. Upchurch.

The flowers were profuse and beautiful speaking a wonderful message of love from the many friends of the family.

Large numbers of friends attended the services both at the home and at the cemetery.

Mr. Upchurch was in his 31st year and besides his wife leaves father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Upchurch, two brothers, Mr. Boddie Upchurch, of near Red Bud, Mr. Roy Upchurch of Henderson, and two sisters, Mrs. C. R. Parrish, of Centerville, and Miss Dozia Upchurch, of Louisburg.

The deceased was an ex-service man and was a member of the Jambes Post American Legion of Louisburg. His death followed an operation, from appendicitis, at a hospital in Fayetteville.

His remains were brought to Louisburg on Thursday night of last week and taken to the home of his parents on North Main Street.

Mr. Upchurch was a most likable, congenial and capable young man who enjoyed a wide popularity among his associates. Many friends join the bereaved family in their sorrow at his going and the sympathy of the entire community is extended them.

WHAT YOU NEED KNOW ABOUT YOUR PREACHER AND CHURCH

Sunday being a fifth Sunday the people of Bunn are to have a Union Service at the Bunn Baptist church Sunday evening 7:45. At that hour, Rev. E. C. Crawford, the pastor of the Louisburg Circuit, will preach from the subject, "What You Need To Know About our Preacher and Your Church." The purpose of the sermon is to create in the Bunn community a deeper interest in and a greater sympathy for the work that the preachers and churches have been striving to carry on for ages.

The people of the entire community are urged to attend this service. Mr. Crawford is hoping to see the people of Bunn, Prospect and Shiloh communities present at this service.

schools of the county.

D. T. SMITHWICK, Historian.



JUDGE S. A. NEWELL

Franklin Recorders Court Judge who died at his home in Louisburg Saturday.

HELEN TUCKER MOST ATTRACTIVE BABY

Little Helen Welch Tucker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Tucker, was the winner of the beautiful loving cup for being the most attractive baby in Louisburg in a baby contest conducted in Louisburg the past two weeks by the Girl Scouts. Little Helen received the flattering vote of 4,881, and her many friends all rejoice with her and feel that she is truly worthy of the cup and all it means. The contest came to a close on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock and was a great success.

The contest created a great deal of interest and provided a neat little sum for the Girl Scouts of Louisburg which will be used to furnish and equip a Scout room and to assist in defraying the expenses of a campus trip this summer.

The vote at the count stood as follows:

Helen Tucker	4,881
Frances Lee Kissell	4,591
Virginia Howard	1,373
Frances Ann Earle	1,092
Jimmie Ragland	910

Elizabeth Hudson	844
Elizabeth Ezereton	806
Talmage Thomas	766
Petsie Cobb	713
Martha G. King	643
Jeanne Harris	636
Joe Barrow	620
Wm. Stovall	619
Thomas Holden	605
R. C. Woodriddle	603
Jane Burgess	547
Juanita Lane	538
Imogene Phillips	535
Magdeline Joynes	522
Ruddy Beam	520
Luce Berkeley, Jr.	517
R. C. Alston, Jr.	507
Sarah Hardwick	505
Goliath Gump	521

Cream checks amounting to \$170 and plenty of milk and butter for the family was the record from two cows owned by Alex Eudy of Stanly county last year.

Beaufort county continues to break the record in hog shipping for North Carolina this season. Twenty-four cars in March and 14 so far in April are the shipments reported.

EDWARD BEST HIGH SCHOOL WINS COUNTY TRACK MEET

Edward Best High School won the second annual Franklin county high school track meet last Tuesday at Franklinton with a total of 79 points. Franklinton was second with 51 points and Gold Sand third with 9 points.

By winning the meet for two successive years, Edward Best High won permanently the silver trophy cup which was awarded to the winning school each year and awarded permanently to the school winning for two successive years.

The entire track meet was unusually good for a county meet. One of the most spectacular events was the contest between Black of Franklinton and Sykes of Edward Best for pole vault honors. It will be remembered that Black won first place in 1927 at the annual Wake Forest High School track meet at a height of 10 feet 4 inches and Sykes won the same event in 1928 at 10 feet 6 inches. Both of these contestants cleared the bar at 10 feet 8 inches but Black won out at 10 feet 10 inches. Sykes showed good form in taking the high jump at 5 feet 9 inches and the broad jump at 19 feet 4 inches. The sprints and runs were made in good time, but on account of the lack of split second watch time was not recorded.

In the girls' events Edward Best High took an easy lead by winning all first places and all seconds except in the base ball throw. One of the most interesting of these contests was the broad jump which Miss Stallings won at 14 feet 5 inches while Miss Gardner was second with 14 feet 4 1/2 inches.

The contests were in charge of a committee composed of J. J. Wolfe, F. E. Hinton, and J. L. Armstrong. Much credit is due the capable officials who assisted the committee in making the occasion a success. Mr. T. B. Harris, Mr. C. R. Bohannon, Mr. Randolph, F. U. Wolfe, Miss Theima Elliott, Miss Mildred Wolfe, Mrs. C. K. Bohannon and others were the officials.

At the conclusion of the contests the presentation of the trophy cup was made by Col. Claude McGhee.

Exhibition Events

(Did not count points in winning)

12 pound shot put—Winston, Franklinton 1st. Distance, 43 feet 4 inches.

8 pound shot put—Miss Morgan, Edward Best, 1st. Distance 24 feet 6 inches.

Winners Boys Events

100 yard dash—Winston, Franklinton; Wood, Edward Best; Murphy, Gold Sand.

Pole vault—Black, Franklinton; Sykes, Edward Best; Earp, Edward Best. Height 10 feet 10 inches.

220 yard dash—Allen, Franklinton; Black, Franklinton; Wood, Edward Best.

High jump—Sykes, Edward Best; Black, Franklinton; Murphy, Gold Sand. Height 5 feet 9 inches.

440 yard dash—Allen, Franklinton; Black, Franklinton; Wood, Edward Best.

Broad jump—Sykes, Edward Best; Winston, Franklinton; Allen, Franklinton. Distance 19 feet 4 inches.

380 yard run—Black, Franklinton; Allen, Franklinton; Wood, Edward Best.

Mile relay—Black, Allen, McGhee, Fuller, Franklinton. No second place.

50 yard dash—Misses Gardner, Edward Best; Ball, Edward Best. Pruitt, Franklinton.

Basketball throw—Misses Stallings, Edward Best; Gardner, Edward Best; Honeycutt, Franklinton.

75 yard dash—Misses Ball, Edward Best; Gardner, Edward Best; Joynes, Gold Sand.

High jump—Misses Ball and Stallings, Edward Best, were leading and did not jump off the tie; Miss Pruitt Franklinton, third.

Base ball throw—Misses Stallings, Edward Best; Pernell, Gold Sand; Morgan, Edward Best. Distance 168 feet 10 inches.

Broad jump—Misses Stallings, Edward Best; Gardner, Edward Best; Peele, Franklinton. Distance 14 feet 5 inches.

60 yard hurdles—Misses Ball, Edward Best; Gardner, Edward Best. Third place contestant disqualified.

220 yard relay—Misses Ball, Edith Gardner, Stallings, Evelyn Gardner, Edward Best; Gold Sand, second; Franklinton, third.

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

The following is the commencement program for Gold Sand High School April 27th-May 1st, 1928:

Friday evening, 8 o'clock—Music recital by music class, directed by Miss Jessie M. Luper.

Sunday evening, 8 o'clock—Baccalaureate sermon by Rev. J. C. Yates, Wake Forest, N. C.

Monday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock—Reading and Declamation Contest.

Monday evening, 8 o'clock—Opera, "The Golden Whistle." By Elementary Department.

Tuesday morning, 11 o'clock—Class Day exercises. Lunch on grounds.

Tuesday afternoon, 2 o'clock—Commencement address. (Speaker to be announced later.)

Tuesday evening, 8 o'clock—Play, "Home Ties," by Junior Class.

With all due apologies to the florists, it would be better to "say it with brakes," and "save the flowers."

DEFINITE ROAD PROGRAM ARRANGED

Good Attendance and Lively Discussions Feature of Chamber of Commerce Meeting

The directors and members of the various committees of the Louisburg Chamber of Commerce held a lively and well attended meeting on Wednesday, April 18th, in the court house. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss plans for the betterment of Louisburg's business interests.

W. E. White, Jr., reported that he was busy collecting renewal memberships for 1928, and that he was meeting with great success in this business.

T. K. Stockard reported that the publicity committee had had their plans for advertising Louisburg completed for some time, and were ready to act as soon as the Finance Committee raised the necessary funds. Neat, attractive, durable membership placards can now be purchased from Treasurer W. E. White at a cost of 50c each, and it is hoped that the progressive business concerns and professional men will purchase and display these Chamber of Commerce placards in their places of business and offices.

The most important and sensible piece of business that was transacted was that pertaining to the securing of a square deal for Franklin county from the N. C. State Highway Commission. Upon motion of Atty. E. H. Malone a motion was adopted to the effect that the Louisburg Chamber of Commerce appoint a committee to meet with the County Commissioners and adopt a definite and permanent good roads program for Franklin county, and to hold a steady course toward the attainment of this program. This program, as outlined, would call first for securing if possible a hard surfaced road on Route 16 from Louisburg to Mapleville instead of the tar and gravel surface

to Castalia that the State Highway intends to lay. Second: If it is impossible to secure this hard surface, to accept the present plans of the State Highway, but to redouble efforts to secure a State maintenance on the road from Franklinton to Creedmoor and from Clinton to Warrenton or Henderson, by way of Wendell or Zebulon passing through Bunn, Louisburg and Ingleside. Third: To be on the alert for the prevention of the building of a hard surfaced road connecting Wake Forest and Spring Hope at the expense of Franklin county. This program would give Franklin county fairly good road connections south north east and west, from county seat to county seat, as was originally intended and promised when North Carolina launched its road building plans several years ago. Franklin county has injured itself in the past by not being organized in fighting for a definite goal. Short cut hard surfaced roads have been laid across our county connecting towns and adjacent counties and these have been charged against us. It is time that we refused to finance feeders to points directly in competition to our own county merchants and businesses.

Mr. George Meade speaking for the lumber committee reported that as yet the Colonial Pine Company has not secured a fair offer, in its opinion from the Town Commissioners for adequate water lines to protect its plant from fire. Can Louisburg afford not to protect what few industries we are fortunate enough to possess, from destruction by fire.

Mr. F. J. Beasley added cheer to a gloomy situation, by announcing definitely that the Union Warehouse would be enlarged. Since the loss of the Riverside Warehouse, and with it two prize houses, we are badly crippled in facilities for a big tobacco market. Unfortunately this loss comes at a time when Louisburg tobacco market had started a well deserved growth and had sold a million pounds more during the past season than it did the previous season. It would have gained another million this coming season. It is hoped that the business men of Louisburg will get busy at once and build sufficient warehouse and prize house facilities to take care of a six million pound market. It is suggested that Louisburg organize an incorporated stock company and do these things.

PURCHASES SCOGGIN DRUG STORE

Maj. S. P. Boddie announced yesterday morning that he had purchased the Scoggin Drug business and would consolidate his former business and locate in the building on Main street occupied by the Scoggin Drug Co. Maj. Boddie took charge yesterday.

We understand Mr. Scoggin is contemplating leaving Louisburg in the near future.

"THE PARABLE OF THE SOWER"

"The Parable of the Sower," will be the subject of the morning sermon of Rev. Daniel Lane at the Methodist church next Sunday morning. His evening sermon subject at 7:30 o'clock will be "Some Things Louisburg does and does not need."

All are invited to attend these services.



LITTLE HELEN WELCH TUCKER

Who won the Loving Cup in the Baby Contest for being the most attractive baby in Louisburg.