

L. L. JOYNER NOMINATED MAYOR

In Tuesday's Municipal Primary

Wins Over His Opponent, Mayor B. N. Williamson by 82 Votes—Old Board Commissioners With Dr. A. H. Fleming Re-elected Without Opposition.

Capt. L. L. Joyner won a decisive contest over Mayor B. N. Williamson for the nomination for Mayor of Louisburg in the primary held on Tuesday. The total vote cast indicated a lack of interest in the selection of officers, less than four hundred votes being cast.

There were no issues being fought out in this campaign as was evidenced in the fact that there was no opposition to the old Board of Commissioners. Dr. A. H. Fleming's name was placed on the Commissioners ticket to fill the vacancy caused by Capt. Joyner deciding to enter the race for Mayor. Everything passed off quietly and smoothly and the best of feelings existed.

The vote stood as follows at the count:

- For Mayor:
 - L. L. Joyner, 225.
 - B. N. Williamson, 143.
- For Commissioners:
 - A. W. Person, 354.
 - W. E. White, 355.
 - Malcolm McKinley, 339.
 - F. H. Allen, 355.
 - G. W. Ford, 352.
 - A. H. Fleming, 344.

Capt. Joyner was Mayor a number of terms until four years ago, and during his term Louisburg made much progress along all lines. He made a most favorable official.

Mayor Williamson, along with the Commissioners nominated, gave to the town of Louisburg a most excellent administration during which a systematic tax reduction policy has been in force along with the exercise of the most approved business methods.

The election will be held next Tuesday and it is hardly probable that the nominees of Tuesday will have any opposition but be given a unanimous election.

Arthur Johnson Kills Bill Davis

Arthur Johnson, colored, was brought to Louisburg Saturday evening by Sheriff F. W. Justice and Deputy W. N. Fuller and Dave Huff, and placed in jail without bond to await trial for the murder of Bill Davis, also colored, at Johnson's home about six miles Northeast of Louisburg, about sunset that afternoon.

Information received in Louisburg was to the effect that Davis was drinking and had gone to Johnson's home and had knocked him down with a rock. Johnson recovered, got his gun and shot Davis, who died on the spot.

This shooting, it is said, took place on almost the identical spot where the same Davis shot and killed Marcus Allen a number of years ago.

Davis is reputed to be a negro of bad character, while Johnson is said to be very quiet and law abiding. Both leave families.

Song Contest For Sesqui Centennial

Interesting developments are going on every day for a fitting Celebration of the great half century event July 4th.

Your committee is keeping in mind forms of entertainment that are of a patriotic nature calculated to make for good citizenship and a happiness that comes from and by good government.

One of the most happy suggestions yet made for our Sesqui Centennial it seems to me is that each township assemble its best singers and have a County Song Contest on the grounds in the afternoon. Will some one interested in the vocal music of your section let me know what you think of this idea?

Don't be impatient looking for the complete programme to appear. Ample time will be given for each township to arrange its activities and be assigned a position in the Grand Parade and location on the Centennial grounds.

D. T. Smithwick, Sec.-Treas., Franklin Co. Historical Asso.

Musical Recitals at Methodist Church

Margaret Poyner, pianist, and Frances Winstead, reader, will give their certificate recital in the Methodist church, Tuesday, May 7th, at 8:30 p. m.

Virgie Sheffield, pianist, will give her diploma recital, assisted by Ruth King, soprano, in the Methodist church, Friday, May 10th, at 8:30 p. m.

The public is cordially invited to these recitals.

Mr. Edward Bartholomew, of Raleigh, was a visitor to Louisburg the past week-end.



CAPT. L. L. JOYNER

MEET IN INTEREST OF IMPROVED HIGHWAY

Group of Business Men Join Forces In Behalf of Undeveloped Link.

Bunn, April 26.—A group of business men from Louisburg, Pilot and Zebulon met with the citizens of Bunn and vicinity on Wednesday night, April 24, in the interest of good roads. The main feature of the meeting was regarding the link of undeveloped road between Zebulon and Louisburg, by way of Pilot and Bunn. E. H. Malone of Louisburg, acted as chairman and spokesman and explained in detail the advantages of having a state-maintained highway through this part of the county. Others, who were familiar with the plans and made short talks were, J. K. Barrow and M. C. Chamblee of Zebulon, and F. J. Beasley and M. S. Davis, of Louisburg.

Two or three years ago the Bunn Township Good Roads Association was organized and two or three enthusiastic meetings were held at Bunn and Zebulon, but interest soon died down. It was renewed a few days ago. The meeting went on record as unanimously being in favor of extending the Clinton route from Zebulon to Louisburg, by way of Pilot and Bunn. It would take very little work on the part of the people to put the road between Pilot and Louisburg in an acceptable condition.

Mr. Beasley suggested and made a motion that the citizens of Bunn appoint a committee to draft resolutions favoring the proposed project and the following were appointed: M. L. Galloway, chairman; C. C. Wright, C. V. Beddingfield, R. H. Johnson and R. N. Shearon.

SPLENDID SERVICES AT METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. J. C. Costen, of Hendersonville, Is Conducting the Singing.

The wonderfully forceful sermons being preached at the Methodist church by Dr. Gilbert T. Rowe, of Duke University, have been greatly enjoyed by large numbers attending each of the daily and evening services. Dr. Rowe is making the advantages of being a Christian especially clear to his hearers and his exposition of the gospel is especially convincing.

The singing is in charge of Rev. J. C. Costen, of Hendersonville, who has organized an exceptionally effective choir which is making splendid music and adding much to the interest and success of the meeting.

Announcements have been made by Pastor Daniel Lane, that services at 8 o'clock a. m. and 7:45 o'clock p. m. each day will continue throughout Sunday.

All are invited to attend these services and become imbued with the great inspiration of Jesus.

U. D. C.

The Joseph J. Davis Chapter U. D. C. will meet Tuesday P. M. at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. J. L. Palmer. The subject for the afternoon will be "The Mother Fontaine Maury Scholarship," by Mrs. W. E. White.

Mrs. J. O. Newell, Pres. Mrs. C. K. Cooke, Sec'y.

A CORRECTION

In the write-up of the Louisburg Kiwanis Club at its luncheon at Gold Sand on Friday night, April 19th, published in the last issue of the Franklin Times, an error was made in the mention of the Quartette. Instead of it being the Louisburg Quartette it was the Sandy Creek Quartette, composed of Messrs. G. B. West, C. G. West, J. Forest Joyner and G. M. Earnette. We are glad to make this correction.

WORK TO BEGIN AT COLLEGE AT ONCE

At a meeting of the Trustees of Louisburg College, Tuesday, April 30, the Consolidation Construction Company, of Durham, was awarded the contract to restore the burned buildings at Louisburg College. Preparations are being made to begin work immediately.

MAY DAY GALLA OCCASION

Louisburg College Presents Beautiful Pageant—Miss Pearl Gatlin May Queen—Miss Carlotta Mitchell, Director.

A most colorful and beautiful May Day Pageant was presented on the Louisburg College campus May 1st, at 5 o'clock, by the students of the college, under the direction of Miss Carlotta Mitchell, teacher of Expression and Physical Education.

The pageant opened with the chorus "A May Morning," by Denza, immediately after which entered the May Revelers in all gaiety.

The May procession formed to the rear of the throne behind a forest of velvety green pines, then proceeded in rhythmic step circling around from the side to the front of the throne which the queen ascended, the maids and attendants arranging themselves in a semi-circle on either side in front of the throne.

After the queen had been crowned by the Maid of Honor, she watched with pleasure a Revue of the seasons which she deemed it sheer delight to entertain so lovely and fair a queen.

The throne, encircled by a forest of pines, was artistically decorated with trailing green vines and colorful roses.

Yellow and blue predominated in the general color scheme.

The beautiful queen wore a dress of pure white taffeta and carried a bouquet of white roses. All her maids and attendants wore sheer dresses in lovely pastel shades carrying attractive May baskets full of spring flowers, except the cushion and crown bearers who wore white and the little page who was in yellow. The Maid of Honor was dressed in pink and carried an arm bouquet of sweet peas.

The autumn leaves wore dresses of orange sprinkled with golden leaves; the sleighbells, robes of white and silver; the March Winds, robes of lavender with veils of orange; the Spring Showers, dresses of blue with silver strips and imitation raindrops; and the May Flowers, dresses in pastel shades of yellow, blue, and pink, with garlands of flowers.

Just previous to the conventional Winding of the May Pole by a group of girls dressed in purple and green and wearing black bodices, the chorus sang, "When Life is Brightest," by Piusutti.

Those participating in the pageant were:

The Seasons
Autumn Leaves: Dorothy Askew, Estelle Calhoun, Julia Griffin, Margaret Condon, Thelma Harris, Eunice Hunt, Ruth C. King, Mamie Lancaster, Josephine Mangum, Sara Moore, Maudie Perry, Margaret Poyner, Ella Russell, Lucile Sparrow, Hazel Spencer, Egeta Williams, Lucy Wilson, Helen Wilkerson.

Sleighbells: Dora Brown, Odette Brown, Helen Kimball, Ruby Johnson, Lucy Melvin, Minnie Pendleton, Margaret Pittman, Almeda Sawyer, Marion Watson, Lucy Wynne.

March Winds: Vivian Davis, Inez Dudley, Emma Ewing, Virginia Easton, Rebecca Cooper, Annie Gooding, Beatrice Hill, Elsie Herman, Helen Lance, Berta Owen, Bettie Rose, Anna Spiers, Tessie Smith, Lucille Tea, Hilda Wheelless, Menda Wheelless.

Spring Showers: Elizabeth Albritton, Iva Evans, Kathleen Credle, Edith Garriss, Frances Godwin, Leona Gooding, Katherine Graham, Annie Lambeth, Sidney Maxingo, Virgie Sheffield, Louise Melvin, Harriet Wilson.

May Flowers: Verta Barfield, Marion Bishop, Esther Blanton, Fannie Cleva, Lowenia Ethridge, Elizabeth Farlow, Rachel Lee, Elise Maddrey, Mabel Patterson, Lethia Swain, Frances Graeson, Elsie Wooldridge.

May Pole Winding: Josie Arent, Beatrice Beasley, Ethel Callis, Gladys Capps, Gladys Dillard, Lucy Fortescue, Kathleen Guard, Margaret Harris, Cornelia Hardy, Dorothy Holley, Mary Howard, Mary Jones, Ola Morris, Cecile Patrick, Dorothy Pfland, Mildred Powell, Mildred Ramsey, Dicie Sanderson, Madge Sexton, Eunice Smith, Annie Lee Thomas, Marie Wellons, Cora Weston, Margaret Wilkerson.

The Queen's Maids: Eugenia Howard, Frances Winstead, Ruth Barker, Betty Mohn, Mary Ethel Knox, Sara Covington, Florence Bryant, Mildred Hayman, Carrie Belle Ruffin, Wilma McCotigen, Lottie Riddick, Mavis Kinlaw.

The Maid of Honor: La Rue Dixon. Cushion Bearers: Helen Willis, Jane Fuller.

Crown Bearer: Marguerite Tonkel.

Train Bearers: Peggy Ford, Rose Malone.

Flower Girls: Frances Ann Earle, Elizabeth Egerton, Martha Gray King. Page: Morgan Woodward, Junior.

THE MAY QUEEN: Pearl Gatlin. The Glee Club: Mrs. A. W. Mohn, Director; Mrs. Morgan Woodward, Pianist; Verta Barfield, Mildred Braxton, Lucile Connor, Iva Evans, Elizabeth Farlow, Marie Groome, Kathleen Guard, Frances Godwin, Helen Kimball, Earline Kent, Ruth King, Rachel Lee, Elise Maddrey, Betty Mohn, Mabel Patterson, Margaret Poyner, Mildred Ramsey, Myra Scull, Tessie Smith, Marie Wellons.

Pianist for May Pageant: Ellen Hughes.

MRS. BICKETT MAKES INTERESTING ADDRESS

Before Parent-Teacher Association Held in Louisburg Saturday—Mrs. T. H. Bickett, Member, County Board of Education, Also Makes Address.

Quite a representative crowd attended the County Meeting of the Parent-Teacher Associations of the schools of Franklin county which was held in the auditorium of Mills High School on Saturday afternoon, April 27, at 2:30 o'clock.

After having the opening song, "America," the scripture reading by Mrs. M. M. Person, of Gold Sand, and prayer led by Mr. W. V. Carroll, Chaplain of the Gold Sand P. T. A., a message was brought to the association by Dr. Brown, of the North Carolina Rehabilitation Department, Raleigh, to the effect that on May 2nd, at 2 o'clock p. m., and on the last Thursday in every month thereafter, there will be an Orthopaedic Clinic held in the basement of Rex Hospital, Raleigh for free examinations and treatment of indigent cripples, including adults. This clinic is sponsored by the Raleigh Kiwanis club.

Mrs. T. H. Bickett, member of the Franklin County Board of Education, in explaining the relationship of the County Board of Education to the Local Schools tried to make it clear that the County Board is willing to aid the schools in every way possible, but that their means are limited by the amount of tax that can be levied for that purpose and that it is necessary and essential that the schools and communities cooperate with the Board in making this tax money count the most. She named four distinct ways in which the P. T. A.'s can help most, by teaching the children to overcome obstacles, by teaching them to respect their teachers and the school buildings, by carrying their criticism to the teacher rather than express it around the home where the children are, and by doing away with indifference.

Mrs. T. W. Bickett, of Raleigh, spoke to the association on "The Pre-school Clinic," the thing that is being so greatly stressed by all organizations and by every one interested in child welfare. She explained that she was a little more interested in it perhaps than the ordinary person because her work lies along that line. She said that welfare work is divided into two parts, picking up the fragments after accidents have happened, and preventing accidents. The pre-school clinic, of course is a step taken to prevent such accidents in the life of the child whom Mrs. Bickett compared to a flower, urging all parents to protect that flower that it might grow to be the most beautiful possible, both spiritually and physically. There is not a bigger piece of work than this, said Mrs. Bickett, in conclusion that the P. T. A. can help to put across.

Immediately following Mrs. Bickett's inspiring talk, there was a discussion of the "Summer Round-Up Work," Miss Hobbs, State Field Nurse, told briefly something of the work that she has been doing in the county for the past several months, and plans that have been made by the different associations were heard. Mrs. Morris Clifton, Mrs. E. S. Ford, Mrs. T. C. Gill and Mrs. Morris Person, were appointed by the president, Mrs. John Mitchiner, to serve as a committee to oversee this week.

Reports, telling what they have accomplished this school year, were then heard from the various P. T. A.'s of the county. Some excellent reports were given.

The secretary's report was read by Miss Ruth Sherman.

A nominating committee, consisting of Supervising Principal T. H. Sledge, of the Cedar Rock-Cypress Creek School District, Mrs. Willie Wilson, of Epsom, and Mrs. J. O. Newell, of Louisburg, was appointed to bring in nominations for officers to be voted on at the meeting in October.

Supt. C. K. Proctor to Ad. Dress Masons on May 7

Supt. C. K. Proctor, of the Oxford Orphanage, will deliver a Masonic Address to the Louisburg Lodge, 413 A. F. & A. M. at 8 p. m. on Tuesday, May 7. An ice cream supper will be enjoyed.

All Master Masons are cordially invited.

F. A. ROTH, Master.

TO BE MASTER OF ARTS

Olivia M. Hobgood, of Louisburg, now studying for the degree of Master of Arts at Columbia University, New York City, will be instructor in the department of reading and speaking at Wellesley College, Massachusetts, in the coming session, according to the Boston Transcript.—News-Observer.

Hughes. Designer of Stage Setting: Miss Elva Sheek.

Marshalls: Katharine Bullock, Daisy Atkinson, Anna Burton, Edna Bryan, Sne Chandler, Exie Dennis, Margery Forbes, Dorothy Harralson, Caroline Horton, Jessie Lough, Jane Mercer, Frances Rogers, Marguerite Stein.

MISS HOBBS SPEAKS TO WOMAN'S FEDERATION

Interesting Meeting of Clubs Held at Mills School Saturday With Large Attendance.

"The More We Get Together," led by Mrs. Moses Sykes, was the enlivening tune to which the Franklin County Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs opened at 10:30 on Saturday, April 27, in the Home Economics Rooms of Mills High School.

The ladies were led in prayer by Mrs. Alice Uzzell, following which the minutes were read and the roll called by Mrs. S. B. Nash, Secretary.

The clubs represented and the number present from each one are as follows: Bordeaux 20, Mapleville 13, Bunn 7, Wood 4, Centerville 3, Sandy Creek 3, Epsom 2, Harris 2, Cedar Rock 2, and Seven Paths 1. There were a total of fifty-seven members present besides a goodly number of visitors, being quite an increase over the number present in the previous meeting several months ago.

The Bordeaux club, having the greatest per cent of members present, won the gavel for the third time, it thereby becoming their permanent property.

Miss Hobbs, State Field Health Nurse, who has been in Franklin county for the past several months, spoke to the ladies about the inspection of the health of school children likening those who do the inspecting to the lookout on the mountain tops, who is constantly watching to prevent forest fires. She told of some very interesting experiences that she has had and related some very attractive little health stories with which she impresses children with valuable health knowledge.

Mrs. Cornelia Morris, Field Agent, spoke to the clubwomen for a few minutes, mentioning meanwhile that this club organization is one of the best in this district.

Mrs. Oliver Perry explained to the clubwomen how they could can eggs and butter, that they might know what to do with them when they are plentifully supplied, that they might have them when they are scarce.

Mrs. Ben Holden, President of the Franklin County Historical Association, was present and told the women of the plans being made for the Sesqui Centennial this summer. She explained to them the part that the women's clubs are asked to take. Suggestions and plans for this purpose were discussed.

The following women were appointed to act as chairmen for the committees of the different clubs: Bunn, Mrs. C. C. Pippin; Bordeaux, Mrs. William Person; Justice, Mrs. Ben Whelless; Cedar Rock, Mrs. Peter Dean; Centerville, Mrs. Peyton Sykes; Epsom, Mrs. T. C. Gill; Hickory Rock, Mrs. Ernest Sledge; Ingleside, Mrs. Eugene Wilson; Mapleville, Mrs. Alice Uzzell; Mitchiner, Mrs. John Mitchiner; Pope, Mrs. Cecil Holmes; Sandy Creek, Mrs. S. N. Nelms; Wood, Mrs. W. D. Fuller; Harris, Mrs. Bill Young; Seven Paths, Mrs. Arthur Strickland; Flat Rock, Mrs. Lonnie Newton.

A delicious dinner of vegetables, meats, pickles, bread, sandwiches, cake, pie, and hot coffee was enjoyed.

After dinner, Miss Estabrook, State House Furnishing Specialist, of Raleigh, spoke to the ladies on "What Draperies to Hang." Leading up to the subject that she was to discuss, Miss Estabrook, briefly reviewed the relationship of floors, rugs, wall, furniture and draperies. She explained when to buy draperies, and demonstrated the combinations of rugs and curtains, and the combination of textures of glass curtains with side draperies.

At this time, a motion was carried to have a meeting to welcome Miss Daisy Caldwell, former Home Agent, who has been taking special work at Columbia University, when she arrives this summer. Also Mrs. T. H. Dickens, Mrs. W. D. Fuller and Mrs. W. H. Tharrington were elected delegates to the Raleigh State Federation which meets in Raleigh from July 22 through July 26.

Officers Get Big Still And Three Men

Officers F. N. Ayscue, A. S. Wiggs, Dave Huff and K. E. Joyner attracted much attention in Louisburg Monday about 2:30 o'clock when they drove through the streets with a three hundred and twenty gallon copper still and sixteen cases of fruit jars loaded on a one horse wagon drawn by a small bay horse that they had captured about an hour and a half before in Sandy Creek Township near Fletcher Harris'. At the same time they destroyed about seventy-five gallons of whiskey, thirteen hundred gallons of beer and forty-eight feet of two and a half inch copper worm, nine big tubs, and a lot of buckets. They also captured Carlton Jones, of Roanoke, Va., M. L. Pearce, of South Hill, Va., both white, and Bill Bryant, of Henderson, colored, who were placed in jail to await trial.

The wagon with its still and equipment was drawn up near the Court Square and a picture made of possibly the biggest outfit captured in Franklin County in a long while.

Howard Cash, James Cooper, and Harvey Bartholomew visited Zebulon the past week.

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. W. Webb spent Tuesday in Blackstone, Va., on business.

Constable A. S. Wiggs visited Zebulon on business Wednesday.

Sen. Paul Jones, of Tarboro, was a visitor to Louisburg Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Person were visitors to Raleigh Wednesday.

Col. W. M. Person, of Raleigh, was a visitor to Louisburg Monday.

Mr. George Holder, of Raleigh, was a visitor to Louisburg Tuesday.

Mr. E. E. Marshall, of Garland, was a visitor to Louisburg Tuesday.

Mr. C. W. Lassiter, of Spring Hope, was a visitor to Louisburg Monday.

Mr. R. R. Kissell spent Monday and Tuesday in Charlotte on business.

Rev. E. C. Crawford, of Mt. Gilead, was a visitor to Louisburg Saturday.

Mr. Hobart Brantley, of Spring Hope, was a visitor to Louisburg Monday.

Mr. J. E. Thomas, a warden at the State Prison, was in Louisburg Monday.

Mrs. S. A. Newell returned this week from a visit to her people at Williamston.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bailey spent the past week-end with relatives at Roxboro.

Miss Gertrude Wray, of McKinney, Va., spent last week with Miss Marie Meade.

Miss Gladys Taylor and Mrs. Forrest Joyner spent last Saturday in Raleigh.

Sheriff F. W. Justice and Mr. J. P. Timberlake visited Scotland Neck Wednesday.

Miss Pearl Pearce returned from Nash County, where she has been teaching, the past week.

Messrs. W. F. Davis and Sam Parks left yesterday for Baltimore, to be gone several days.

Miss Irene Parnell Gupton last Saturday attended a Regional B. Y. P. U. Convention in Sanford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thomas, Louise Johnson and Marie Meade spent the week-end in Richmond.

Messrs. John Williamson, Perry Beasley and George Griffin spent last Sunday in Washington City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Morris attended the Automobile Show and Carnival held at Henderson this week.

Mr. Harry Hoffman, who has been observing the Jewish Easter in Greensboro, returned yesterday.

Mr. A. F. Johnson and daughter, Miss Sadie, and little A. F. Johnson, Jr., visited Henderson Tuesday.

Dr. H. H. Johnson and Mr. J. E. Malone were present at the Golf meeting held in Henderson this week.

Miss Mollie Macgill, of Greensboro, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Barrow the past week.

Mrs. Bessie Blacknall, of Greensboro, and son, Mr. Charles Blacknall, of Dallas, Texas, are the guests of Mrs. Pattie B. Barrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards, of Louisburg, accompanied their mother, Mrs. W. F. Edwards to Mary Elizabeth hospital in Raleigh, last Thursday, where she is taking treatments.

Mr. Jake F. Glander and Dr. H. H. Johnson left yesterday to represent the local Kiwanis Club at the Greensboro Kiwanis Club rally meeting to be held at Sedgefield today and tomorrow.

Rev. J. D. Miller, and Mesdames R. C. Beck, L. E. Scoggin, R. W. Smithwick, R. H. Davis, M. S. Clifton, R. F. Yarbrough and K. K. Allen attended the Episcopal Auxiliary Conference at Littenon this week.

Mrs. H. W. Perry, Chairman of the Prison Committee of the American Legion Auxiliary, visited the State Prison in Raleigh on Thursday of last week in the interest of her organization.

Before letting your conscience be your guide, it is a good idea to be sure you have one.

Nobody but a woman can make a fool out of a man or a man out of a fool.