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TWO CARS AND OTHER PRIZES TO BE AWARDED IN SUBSCRIPTION DRIVE

Franklin Times Announces \$1,500 Prize Campaign

Campaign To Open Saturday Morning, October 26th And Last Until 8:00 P. M. Saturday, December 7th, Six Weeks - All Have Equal Chance To Win A Prize - Make Your Time Profitable To You This Fall.

This newspaper announces today a subscription and prize campaign that will get started on Saturday, October 26th, and run for a period of six weeks. At the expiration of that time there will be awarded to those who enter the enterprise and work for the renewed and new subscriptions to the Franklin Times close to \$1500 in automobiles, cash prizes and cash commissions.

WHAT THE PRIZES ARE Prizes to be distributed include two automobiles, three cash prizes and a cash commission to all who enter and remain active participants from time of entering to the close of the campaign.

First prize on the list of five prizes is to be a 1930 model Ford, two-door sedan, completely equipped. This car sells for \$625 and is purchased and is now on display at Hodges-Green Motor Company.

The second prize to be awarded December 7th, is another 1930 model Ford, a Sport Roadster that sells fully equipped for \$675. This prize is also bought and on display at Hodges-Green Motor Co.

Third prize is one hundred dollars in cash. The fourth prize is fifty dollars in cash, and fifth prize is twenty-five dollars in cash.

Other prizes to active workers will be given in the form of commission checks. Each and every candidate who enrolls in the drive and remains active by making at least one report each week from time of entering the campaign will be given a cash commission of ten per cent on all subscription money turned.

HOW TO ENTER Those wishing to enter the campaign and compete for one of the automobiles or other prizes are urged to turn to another section of the paper where a page announcement appears.

This ad gives the rules and regulations under which the campaign will be governed and the voting schedule showing just how many votes each subscription will earn. Double votes are to be given on all new and old subscribers secured from subscribers living outside the city limits of Louisburg. This double vote provision makes it possible for all out-of-town entrants to compete on an equal footing with the local workers with stronger possibilities of being successful.

You will also see the free voting coupon good for 200 votes. These free votes may be collected by the individual workers and also saved by interested friends for them. There is no limit to the number of free votes a worker or their friends may send in.

Then there is the Entry Coupon, when properly filled out and received by the campaign manager will count one time for 5000 votes as mentioned. You may send in your own name or the name of a friend or neighbor. You may nominate more than one friend if you wish.

EVERYTHING FURNISHED Upon receipt of an Entry coupon or personal call at The Franklin Times office enterprising workers will be furnished free of cost with the necessary subscription receipt books and other stationery to write friends for their renewals to The Franklin Times.

From time to time, after the campaign gets well under way, the campaign office will supply ambitious contestants with lists of those now taking the paper. Some of these are a little in arrears and all money collected will be given the same credit as a new subscription.

NOTHING TO BE LOST Everything connected with the campaign is free. It costs you nothing to enter, nothing to try, and nothing to win. There is nothing to be lost by any one who cares to enter his or her name and make the effort for one of the autos and other prizes. Either you win one of the five prizes or The Franklin Times will pay you in cash

commission of ten per cent on all subscription money turned in, or in other words one dollar for every ten you turn in during the next six weeks.

SHORT, SNAPPY CAMPAIGN The campaign is only six weeks from Saturday night the winners will drive home in their new cars, or will be paid in cash. There is no luck connected with the drive, and no amount of popularity is needed to win. Spare time work, and initiative in seeking out the old readers to The Franklin Times and asking those folks who do not now take The Franklin Times to help you win a car is all that is needed to win. The campaign office will be in The Franklin Times building, Court street, Louisburg. Some one will be in attendance every day from nine in the morning to six at night. Other hours may be arranged by appointment.

OPENING DATE The Campaign is scheduled to open Saturday morning of this week and run for a period of six weeks. The closing day and hour is set for eight o'clock on the night of December 7th with the awarding of all prizes about an hour or two later.

Those who are anxious to have a brand new automobile are urged to get their names in early to the campaign office. More votes are given for subscriptions during the early stages of the drive, as noted on the vote schedule, than will be given during the later stages.

In this announcement all are pledged a fair and square deal with the many prizes going to those who earn them according to the rules. Nothing will be allowed at any time to mar the fair conduct of the enterprise. It makes no difference who you are or where you live; just as long as you are qualified to enter you have the same opportunity to win the leading prize as any one else.

There will be no favorites. Plenty of hard work and attention to details will return you rich rewards for the spare time expended during these next six weeks.

HEAVY DOCKET IN RECORDERS COURT

Franklin Recorders Court had quite a big docket on Monday, having the accumulations for two weeks. In the disposition of the cases several were continued and some were not prossed. The following is the disposition of the docket:

John Perry was found guilty of distilling and given 6 months on roads, suspended upon payment of \$50 and costs.

Prayer for judgment was continued for Walter Aycocks, after pleading guilty to a charge of public drunkenness. The same action was taken in another case of unlawful possession of whiskey.

Bud Spivey was found not guilty on a charge of larceny, and the prosecuting witness, Tom Rogers, was taxed with the costs.

R. G. Bradley plead guilty to passing a bad check, judgment was suspended upon payment of costs.

Allen Perry appealed from a judgment of 12 months on roads, suspended upon payment of costs, after pleading guilty to a charge of distilling.

Nol pros with leave was taken in two cases, one false pretense and the other abandonment, against Jordan Williamson.

James Brantley plead Nolo Contendere to a charge of assault and public drunkenness, prayer for judgment was continued upon payment of costs pending good behavior.

Dave Perry was given a 12 months sentence for distilling. It was suspended upon payment of \$100 and costs.

George Arrington was given 12 months on roads for distilling. The following cases were continued.

Claude Wrenn, assault with deadly weapon and operating automobile while intoxicated.

J. S. Place, public drunkenness, nuisance.

Nick Gupton, bad check.

D. P. Woodlief or Wooten, carrying concealed weapon, also, assault with deadly weapon.

J. D. Wester, bad check.

Ernest Mitchell, distilling.

DIVERSITY AND BETTER FARMING

To be one of the biggest features of the Franklin County Fair which will begin next Tuesday. The preparation for the Great County Fair is just about completed and next week will be a busy week for Louisburg and the entire County.

The schools are making plans for the best exhibit ever shown in this or any other County. The vocational teachers in all the schools will have a joint display and twenty-one Vocational boys will put on individual displays.

The Vocational teachers are certainly doing a wonderful work in the schools of the county in that they teach a boy how to do things at home after the schools have educated him to want to stay at home.

Franklin County is rapidly going to raising hogs, cattle and dairying and quite a number of nice hogs and cattle will be on display.

Along with the fine exhibits there will be the Midway on which the rides for the young and the games for the older and "Hi-Ki" the only living wonder, the three legged rooster and the Snake Charmer and all the other things that go to make fun on the Midway.

A balloon flight every afternoon and fire works each night will add much to the enjoyment of those who attend the Fair.

SUPERVISING PRINCIPALS MEET IN LOUISBURG

On Monday afternoon, Oct. 21, at 4 o'clock, the supervising principals of the county met in the office of the County Board of Education.

At this meeting several items of interest were discussed and definite plans made. It was decided to emphasize an attractive program as possible during Educational Week November 11-17. During this week the actual school work in each district and as nearly as possible all phases of school work will be brought to the attention of the public.

Pamphlets issued by the State Dept. of Education with suggestions concerning these programs for the week were given out to the principals. Definite plans were also made for school Day Wednesday of Fair Week. All indications evidenced the fact that the school exhibits this year will be better than ever before. An attractive school parade has also been planned.

The question of attendance during September was discussed and a detailed comparison made with the attendance during September of 1928. A copy of this comparison may be seen in another column of this issue of The Franklin Times. We are stressing and emphasizing this year more than ever before the importance of school attendance. We all realize that the greatest economic loss in school work today is lack of attendance. At a future time we shall give figures that will inform the public of this great economic loss that is realized in the county each year.

We also realize that the average farmer must have his children to help harvest his crop, yet we feel like that the schools are doing their best to co-operate with the farmer by running short schedules during the months of September, October and November and thereby allowing the children to remain in school half the day and to remain the other half to aid their parents. This plan is working very successfully and we are hoping that there will be rare cases where the parents will find it necessary to apply to the attendance officer for permit to keep their children at home all of the time.

CO-OPERATIVE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

The following is a comparison of average daily school attendance for September 1929-30 and 1928-29:

Table with 3 columns: School Name, 1929-30, 1928-29. Rows include Bunn, Youngsville, Epsom, Gold Sand, Cedar Rk.-Cypress Cr., and Elementary School.

According to the new school law, an elementary school may have four teachers for an average daily attendance of 110 during the preceding year, and an extra elementary teacher for each additional thirty-five in average daily attendance.

A high school may have four teachers for an average daily attendance of seventy-five during the preceding school year and an extra teacher for each additional thirty in average daily attendance.

DR. REED TO PREACH AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Dr. C. A. Reed of Wake Forest will preach at both hours at the Baptist Church in absence of local pastor, Rev. S. L. Blanton, who is at Elizabethtown holding a series of meetings.

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STRIKERS FOUND GUILTY SECOND DEGREE MURDER

Charlotte, Oct. 21—Seven National Textile Workers' Union leaders and members accused of the murder of O. F. Aderholt, chief of police of Gastonia, and assault in various degrees on three other policemen, were found guilty in Superior Court here today of second degree murder.

Assault Verdict The jury also reported a verdict of guilty of felonious assault on A. J. Roach and Thomas Gilbert, and assault with a deadly weapon on Charles Ferguson, three policemen, who were wounded in the same strike shooting in which Aderholt was fatally wounded, but a poll of the jury revealed that J. A. Helms, juror No. 3, was not in accord with the other jurors on these charges.

Helms asserted from the jury box that he believed the defendants "not guilty" of the assault charges and Judge M. V. Barnhill ordered the jury back to its room to further consider the case. He then recessed until 2:30 o'clock.

The men convicted were Fred Erwin Beal, Lawrence, Macs., formerly southern organizer for the National Textile Workers' Union; Clarence Miller, New York, Communist educator; George Carter, Mizpah, N. J., union member; Joseph Harrison, Passaic, N. J., union organizer, and W. N. McGinnis, K. Y. Hendricks and Louis McLaughlin, Gastonia union members.

Sentence From Two to Thirty Years

The verdict carries a sentence of from two to thirty years in prison, within the discretion of the judge.

The verdict came fifty minutes after the jury, which had listened to the evidence and arguments of attorneys for two and one half weeks, took the case.

The trial started on September 26. The first three days were taken up with selecting a jury and the last five days with arguments and the judge's charge.

Chief Killed June 7

Chief Aderholt was fatally wounded the night of June 7 when he and four other policemen went to a tent colony maintained by the National Textile workers Union and the Workers International Relief work strikers from the Loray mill in Gastonia. He died the next day.

No Demonstration

There was no demonstration when the jury returned the verdict of guilty of second degree murder. Twenty deputies were standing at various places in courtroom.

With the exception of Beal, all the defendants were pale and apparently nervous when the jury came in Beal smiled.

The jury asked Judge Barnhill for clarification of portions of his charge regarding the assault charges.

WILLIAM E. JOYNER RECEIVES CLASS HONORS AT DUKE

At a recent meeting of the Junior Class of Duke University for the purpose of electing its officers. The following were elected with great applause: Mr. Gray Frank, Mount Airy, President; Mr. Paul Massengill, Raleigh, Vice-president; Miss Mary Brown, Raleigh, Secretary; and William E. Joyner, Louisburg, Treasurer.

Each officer holder will name various and numerous duties to fulfill. The Junior class plans to do great things this year. These officers are trying to make it one of the best and most active of any Junior class in the school's history.

They are planning to have a Junior Prom, and carry out many other social activities if Bill Joyner is able to get enough money out of the class. He has already started to work on plans of getting the money to put these projects through. The class is betting on him getting the money if there is any in the class.

SCHOOL TRUCK DRIVERS HOLD MEETING

The Franklin County school Truck Drivers' Association held its regular monthly meeting in the office of the County Board of Education Friday night, October 18. There were twenty-six drivers present at the meeting. Mr. Richard Hill, President of the Association, and Miss Rachel Lindsey, Secretary, announced the program for the evening as follows:

Devotional by W. Owen Reed. The schedule for truck drivers by S. L. Bowen.

The Problem of Keeping Order on the Trucks by J. A. Woodward.

The Problem of Loading Children by T. H. Sledge.

How to Secure a Real Spirit in Our Association by E. T. Parham.

After the meeting ice cream was served.

The Association adjourned to meet again at the Edward Best High School Friday night, Nov. 13 at 7:30.

AYESCUE ACQUITTED FOR MANSLAUGHTER

Case Against J. A. Hodges Nol Prossed—Court Adjourned For Term Friday Afternoon—Grand Jury Makes Report

The regular term of Franklin Superior Court was adjourned Friday afternoon after the docket had been disposed of by trial or continuance and the report of the grand jury received.

Constable Frank M. Ayescue, who killed Butch Littlejohn at Mitchell Chapel negro church, on Sunday September 15th, after having been acquitted by the Judge of the Recorder's Court, and again by the grand jury on Tuesday of the term, was again acquitted by the grand jury on a charge of manslaughter.

Solicitor Brassfield ably represented the State in the prosecution of the docket.

The cases disposed of since our last report were as follows: R. L. Peoples, bad check, guilty fined \$10 and costs.

Hugh Brown, unlawful possession of whiskey, guilty, 4 months on roads, appeal.

Sam Green, murder, tenders plea of manslaughter, accepted, two years in pen.

Jack Egerton, housebreaking and larceny, and larceny, sentence changed to read six months in penitentiary in each case to run concurrently.

Arthur Johnson, Murder, nol pros with leave.

Oscar Surratt, murder, nol pros with leave.

F. M. Ayescue, manslaughter, Grand Jury failed to find a true bill.

J. A. Hodges, involved in the cases of the County Commissioners' misfeasance and malfeasance, nol pros with leave.

Grand Jury Report The grand jury completed its work Friday morning and was discharged after filing the following report:

We the Grand Jury drawn for the October term of Franklin County Superior Court, beg to submit the following report: We have visited the various offices of the County namely, the Sheriff's Office, Reg. of Deeds Office, Clerk of the Court, Welfare Office, and we find all of them well kept, with proper records etc., as far as we could ascertain.

We visited the Jail, and found same in good condition, sanitary and the prisoners well cared for.

We visited the County home, and found same clean and comfortable, a good home, and the inmates all seemed satisfied and happy with their treatment.

We have passed on all bills presented to us, and on all matters that have been brought to our attention.

We recommend that a suitable sign be placed on the Highway in front of County Home designating it as the Franklin County Home. Respectfully submitted.

J. A. WHELESS, Foreman Grand Jury, Solicitors Report

Solicitor L. S. Brassfield filed the following report:

To the Honorable R. A. Nunn, Judge Presiding.

The undersigned Solicitor of the Seventh Judicial District respectfully reports to the Court that he has examined at this term of said court into the condition of the office of J. J. Young, the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County, that he finds said office well administered in all respects, that said Clerk keeps in his office all books required by law, properly indexed for speedy and convenient reference.

Some of the guardians are behind with settlements but steps are being taken to require filing.

He further reports to the Court that so far as he can ascertain, the accounts of the said Clerk are regular and correct.

SERVICES AT METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Daniel Lane, pastor of the Louisburg Methodist church has announced his subjects for next Sunday. In the morning the subject will be "The Souls Cry for Satisfaction" and the evening "The Kings Ship of Service".

This will be the last service before Conference which convenes at Kingston on October 30th. Rev. Daniel Lane, Messrs. E. H. Malone, E. L. Best and Dr. C. C. Alexander will attend from Louisburg.

All are invited to attend.

MAKE BIG ADVANCE ON COTTON

Mrs. J. S. Howell, manager for the Cotton Warehouse in Louisburg storing cotton for the N. C. Cotton Growers Cooperative Marketing Association, has received the following telegram showing that members of that organization will receive an advance of nearly as much as the present market price of the cotton. The telegram follows:

Arrangements being made with Farm Board for us to advance sixteen cents basis middling on seasonal pool cotton. Members will continue to draw for thirteen cents on delivery and check for balance will be sent as soon as cotton is graded. Sending you full details by tomorrow.

\$29.50 AVERAGE ON LOUISBURG MARKET

Tobacco Prices Take A Big Advance The Past Week—Growers and Public Generally Delighted

A big advance in the price of tobacco on practically all grades, was in evidence on the Louisburg Tobacco Market the past week.

The sales on the Louisburg market have already far exceeded the sales of last season and the indications backed by the steady increasing volume, are that Louisburg will sell a great deal more this year than heretofore.

With the increase in prices the enthusiasm spreads to an increase in demand and greater satisfaction from all.

The market averaged \$29.50 on Wednesday with many piles ranging in the sixties. Individual averages of \$50 and above is nothing uncommon on the market these days.

Louisburg market is offering the best accommodations and convenience and extends a sincere welcome to all growers to visit Louisburg.

FAIR EXHIBITS TO BE JUDGED ON TUESDAY

We are informed by the Secretary of the Fair that the exhibits on at the Fair, this year will be judged on Tuesday the opening day of the Fair.

Those who contemplate bringing exhibits will have to bring them Monday so as to get them in time to compete.

In previous years part of the judging has been done on Wednesday but this year it will be done on the first day.

Hundreds of dollars will go to Franklin County people for exhibits as only residents of the County are allowed to compete.

EATON-PERRY

Of interest to their friends in this section of the state was the marriage of Miss Lillian Perry of this City to Mr. Ira S. Eaton of Franklinton, N. C. They were quietly married on October, the nineteenth at eight o'clock p. m., at the home of the pastor of the Louisburg Baptist church, Rev. S. L. Blanton, officiating.

The bride wore a suit of cocoa brown flat crepe with fox collar and accessories to match. Her only ornament was an amber necklace and brooch. Mrs. Eaton is the only daughter of the late Richard C. Perry and Emma Timberlake Perry of Louisburg. She received her education at Louisburg College and Randolph-Macon Institute, Danville, Va.

Mr. Eaton is the son of the late W. T. J. Eaton and Sarah Curtis Eaton of Franklinton. At present he is in business with the Hodges-Green Motor Company in Louisburg.

The couple left immediately following the ceremony for Washington City and other points. After November the first they will be at home in Louisburg.

Guests, Mrs. Arch Alston; and members of the Twentieth Century Book Club, were delightfully entertained on the afternoon of October 22, 1929 by Mrs. R. W. Alston.

The topic for the afternoon was "Halloween," and one felt the spirit of Halloween on entering the room which was appropriately decorated for the occasion.

The following, very interesting, program was given: "The History and Customs of Halloween" by Mrs. Ernest Furgerson, "Magic On The Stage," by Mrs. J. E. Beasley, and "Charms and Superstitions" by Miss Mae Fisher.

Delicious refreshments consisting of creamed chicken on toast, stuffed peppers with potato salad, cheese straws, pimento sandwiches, Russian tea, crystallized ginger, and salted peanuts in attractive Halloween baskets were served by the hostess.

OH! OH! DEACON

Glennie Moffatt has written a play that has been accepted by a New York producer, Harrison Blair. He intends to have the play rewritten by Anthony Lynd who thinks that it would be impossible for such things to happen as the incidents in Miss Moffatt's play.

Miss Moffatt is very much disturbed at the idea of having her play rewritten. She finds that Mr. Lynd is to spend the summer in Maine Boarding with Hiram Meskell, her uncle. She determines to prove to Mr. Lynd that her play really could happen and jokes her cousin Theodore Meskell into her plans.

Many strange things happen during her efforts to convince Mr. Lynd that her play "Oh! Oh! Deacon" really is possible.

Come and see how she proves that her play can be given.

The Senior Class of Franklinton High School will give this play in the school auditorium on Friday night, October 25th, at 8:15 o'clock.

Attorney W. C. Webb and E. F. Thomas were in attendance at the Carolina-Georgia game played at Chapel Hill last Saturday.