

## MRS. H. W. PERRY ELECTED PRESIDENT

State Department  
American Legion  
Auxiliary

New President Very Efficient And Popular In Legion And Auxiliary Circles—Mrs. H. A. Newell Elected First Vice-President.

Complimentary to her splendid work and service in the American Legion Auxiliary work and other organizations, Mrs. Hugh W. Perry, of Louisburg, was overwhelmingly elected State President of the American Legion Auxiliary at the State Convention at Morehead City this week. There was only one other candidate for the place, she being Mrs. Royce McClellan, of Wilmington. Mrs. Perry has for the past year been acting as first vice-president of the State Auxiliary and in recognition of her former service and record she was found by the State Convention to gratifyingly qualify to administer the office of State President of the Auxiliary, in the North Carolina Department.

Mrs. Perry's rise to this position of President of the North Carolina Department of the American Legion Auxiliary has been made by the bountiful service in a number of offices of the State Department and the local unit at Louisburg. For two terms she served as Auxiliary District Committee-Woman; after which another two terms were spent in service as Prison Chairman. She has held the position of Second Vice-President and then that of First Vice-President and Third Area Chairman of four districts. In her local unit work at Louisburg, Mrs. Perry has at times occupied all of the offices in the local unit Auxiliary, having been Secretary for a period of four years and President for two years. In these services Mrs. Perry has revealed her interest in and unsurpassed ability and efficiency for the position just bestowed on her by the members of the State Auxiliary at the Convention—this week at Morehead City. Her loyalty and interest in the work of the Auxiliary and other such organizations only strengthens greatly her efficiency for this position and honor.

During the time of the World War Mrs. Perry worked in the United States Department of Navy at Washington, where her interest in such work was founded and her foundation for this service was formed.

Mrs. Perry is a native of Halifax County, being born there on July 28th, 1896. She received her education at the public schools and Louisburg College. Following her service with the Department of Navy at Washington, D. C., she was married to Mr. Hugh W. Perry, of Louisburg, who is a member of the Louisburg Bar, who saw service at the Texas border, after which he joined the First Officers Training Camp, gave services with the Draft Board and who organized Battery "B", 113th F. A. N. C. N. G., at Louisburg. Mrs. Perry has been very active in the organization and functioning of the Franklin County Memorial Association, the only organization of its kind known. She has served both as President and Secretary of the U. D. C. Chapter at Louisburg for several terms each. For ten years, Mrs. Perry was Deputy Register of Deeds for Franklin County and has for a number of years acted as Court Stenographer in the County. She has her church affiliations with the Louisburg Methodist Church.

Mrs. Perry is the mother of three children, one daughter, Jane Grey, the oldest, and two sons, Hugh Weston, Jr., and John Uzzell.

Among the many endorsements of Mrs. Perry for this position was that of the James Post 105, American Legion, in which the following statement was made: "We have a particularly keen interest in Mrs. Perry, because she is an ex-member of our Post, and therefore we know well of her loyalty and efficiency, both as a member of the American Legion and of the American Legion Auxiliary. She has given unlimited, unselfish service to hundreds of disabled and distressed World War Veterans in our community. Her record of service is sufficient recommendation, and we do not think that a person can be found in North Carolina who is better qualified to administer the office of State President of the Auxiliary in the North Caro-

### World's Greatest Beggar



Dr. Hans Luther, president of the Reichsbank, Germany's leading financial institution, asked the Allies for a \$500,000,000 loan.

lina Department."

Louisburg is the smallest town ever to be the State Headquarters for the American Legion Auxiliary and it is a distinct honor both to it and the local Auxiliary unit to have Mrs. Perry honored in this way.

The delegation from Louisburg Auxiliary unit to the State Convention attending with Mrs. Perry were Mrs. J. E. Malone, Jr., Chairman of the delegation, and Mesdames C. A. Ragland and F. B. Leonard and Miss Lucy Baker.

Also at the Convention, Mrs. Hodge A. Newell, of Henderson, a daughter of Franklin County, was elected First Vice-President. Mrs. Newell is the wife of Dr. H. A. Newell, who was a well known candidate for State Commander of the American Legion in 1930. She is a member of one of the County's most prominent families and is a sister of Mr. Hugh J. Hayes, of near Louisburg.

### Community Meeting at Epsom

A community meeting has been called at Epsom High School at 8 P. M. Saturday, August 1. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss with the teacher of agriculture and the Agricultural Advisory Committee the work of the department of Vocational Agriculture which has recently been established in the Epsom High School. Parents who will have boys in high school are especially urged to attend. The work will be fully and carefully explained and any questions in regard to the work will be answered. As this work deals with the grown people as well as with the high school pupils all patrons of the school as well as any others interested should attend this first meeting.

### Y. W. A. And G. A. Camp

The Y. W. A. & G. A. Camp at Poplar Spring Church will begin August 4th and last through 7th. It is a splendid place for your vacation. The very kind of rest, recreation and religious activities you need. Please notify Miss Eleanor Collier, Louisburg, N. C., if possible. Go Monday afternoon if you can. The Leaders are: Mrs. J. S. Howell, Misses Irene and Pearl Gupton, Sallie C. Murphy, Mary Dickerson, Eva Cooke, Neva Harper and Eleanor Collier. Bring articles on list published in the FRANKLIN TIMES on July 17th.

### CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE METHODIST CHURCH

There will be no regular services at the Methodist Church during the month of August.

The Sunday School will meet however every Sunday at 9:45 A. M.

The church will unite in the Union Services on the College Campus at 8 o'clock every Sunday. Next Sunday the Rev. D. P. Harris will preach at the Union service.

LOUISBURG BAPTIST CHURCH

"Building the Tower of Babel" is the topic of Rev. D. P. Harris' sermon for Sunday morning service at the Louisburg Baptist Church at eleven o'clock. Rev. Harris will also deliver the sermon at the Union Services at the College Sunday night.

## INSPECTS FRANKLIN JAIL

L. G. Whitley, State Inspector, Recommends County Feeding Prisoners From County Home.

The following report on the condition of the Franklin County Jail as the result of an inspection made by State Inspector L. G. Whitley, on July 22nd, 1931, with recommendations has been received by Chairman W. T. Moss, of the Board of County Commissioners and Supt. E. C. Perry, of the Welfare Department:

Jailor: A. S. Wiggs; Asst. Jailor: R. M. Minor.

Population: White male 1, Colored female 2, Colored male 3.

The jail was remodeled a few years ago and has adequate facilities for the usual jail population of the county.

Method of Management: The jail is operated on the fee system. The jailer receives 50 cents per day for feeding the prisoners. Some complaint was made by the prisoners regarding the quality of the food served.

The prisoners remain locked in the cells and corridors at all times. No jail official stays at the jail either day or night.

General Conditions: The women's apartments of the jail were in good condition. The apartments for the male prisoners were not being maintained in a clean and tidy manner.

Rubbish and collections of materials were observed. Old rubbish and inflammable materials were found in cans and metal barrels in and about the jail. The practice of allowing inflammable materials to remain in and about the jail building where cigarette stubs, etc. may be thrown, has already demonstrated the fire hazard. A can sitting on the porch filled with rubbish, etc., was ignited sometime ago and burned part of the posts on the porch. The jail is fire proof, however, the danger lies in the possibility of suffocation from smoke.

Recommendations

1. Remove all rubbish and garbage from jail daily.
2. The jail cells need painting in some sections.
3. The elimination of the fee system for feeding prisoners is becoming common practice. Probably a satisfactory arrangement could be worked out to feed the prisoners from the kitchen of the County Home, which would be advantageous for all concerned.

### Recorder's Court

Business seemed to have picked up in Franklin Recorder's Court the past week as the docket showed a larger number of cases than former weeks. Judge Malone made a pretty clean sweep and disposed of the docket as follows:

L. B. Lancaster drew a fine of \$25 and cost upon being found guilty of a bad check charge.

Pleading guilty to operating an automobile while intoxicated, Percy Eaton was required to pay a fine of \$50 and costs and required not to operate a car in 90 days.

The case of disorderly conduct against Corbin Taylor was remanded to the Justice of the Peace.

The case of seduction against Herman Foster was remanded to the Justice of the Peace.

Willie Strickland was found not guilty of violating prohibition law. The case of housebreaking and larceny against L. E. Green was transferred to the Superior Court.

Will Winston plead guilty to carrying concealed weapons, and was given 90 days in jail, Commissioners to hire out.

Genie Hagwood's case for violating prohibition law was continued.

Lonnie Strickland was found guilty of operating automobile intoxicated and was given 90 days on roads.

Ben Whitaker was given 48 hours to leave the county after being found guilty of violating prohibition law, when a sentence of 4 months on roads was imposed with execution not to issue in 48 hours.

Ella Ray got his case for unlawful possession of whiskey continued.

A. S. Wiggs was found guilty of assault with deadly weapon, and was given 60 days in jail. Appeal.

Clyde Brodie was found guilty of violating speed law and was fined \$10 and costs. Appeal.

C. K. Mustian, bad check, called and continued.

### Camping Party

A number of young girls went on a camping party to Louis Wheelers' cabin during the week of July 15th, where they enjoyed sports of swimming, boating, picture taking, hiking and wicker roast. The girls were accompanied by Mrs. A. W. Person, chaperone, and Louis Wheelers. Those in the party were Doris Strange, Lydia Person, Temple Yarbrough, Tiny Allen, Marie Parker, Lucille Hudson, Marguerite Rouse, Josephine Perry.

### Eye on Paris

The United States takes more than half the coffee grown in Brazil.

### Bunn Chapter Y. T. H. F. Return

The Bunn Chapter of Young Tar Heel Farmers returned Saturday noon from a week's encampment at White Lake. Twelve members took the trip.

Sixteen other schools were in camp last week from various sections of the State, with a total of more than two hundred and sixty boys. While in camp the boys enjoyed such sports as baseball, volley ball, play ground baseball, tennis, boxing, swimming, horse shoe pitching, boating, etc. Hiking trips were also scheduled to the various beaches, along the lake and to Cape Fear river, which runs three miles south of the camp.

The Bunn boys took a trip to Wilmington and Carolina beach on Thursday of last week, surf bathing was the main feature.

All members who attended the camp expressed themselves as having had a very delightful time and we hope that more boys can attend next year.

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### Prima Donna Weds Millionaire



Anna Case, Metropolitan opera star, became mistress of many millions through her marriage to Clarence W. Mackay, head of the trans-Atlantic Cable and Postal Telegraph companies and father-in-law of Irving Berlin.

### To The People Of Louisburg And Franklin County Wins Craftman-ship Award

Louis Wheelers Wins Prize With Coach Model in Fisher Body Contest; Model Showed Expert Skill.

Louisburg boasts one of the most skillful boy craftsmen in the state of North Carolina. It developed at the recent judging of miniature Napoleonic coach models at Charlotte. He is Louis A. Wheelers, 17 year old son of F. W. Wheelers, of 209 North Church Street, and he won four of the special craftsmanship awards in the senior age division, totalling \$20 cash.

As many of Louis' friends know, the coach which he submitted represented many weeks of effort, and was wrought finely enough to rank as a museum piece. Built according to plans furnished by the Fisher Body Craftsmen's Guild, it involved a high order of skill not only in wood working but also in other mediums, including leather, metal, cloth and glass. The model after which it was designed was a composite of two famous coaches—that used by Napoleon at his coronation and that used on the occasion of his marriage to Marie Louise of Austria. The originals of both these coaches are preserved in European museums today.

Following the judging, Guild officials announced that boys who had constructed models this year might, if they desired, re-enroll in the Fisher Body Craftsmen's Guild and re-enter their models next year in the hope of earning even higher awards including on of the four university scholarships of four years each to be presented at Detroit at the close of the national judging. Models so re-entered may, they said, be rebuilt or improved or submitted just as they are.

### At The Louisburg Theatre Next Week

The following is the program at the Louisburg Theatre, beginning Saturday, August 1st:

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Monday and Tuesday, Aug. 3-4—"Lonely Wives," with Esther Ralston and Edward Horton.

Wednesday, August 5—George O'Brien in "The Holy Terror" also Selected Short Subjects.

Thursday and Friday, Aug. 6-7—Bebe Daniels in "The Maltese Falcon," a Warner Brothers Vitaphone Picture.

Saturday, Aug. 8—Jack Holt with Constance Cummings in "The Last Parade," also Our Gang Comedy.

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Dry weather preceding the recent rains has held down the infestation of boll weevils in Nash County and little damage has been done so far.

Jersey breeders, poultry growers and home demonstration club women will put on a joint agricultural show in Lenoir on September 22.

Undismayed by Ruth Nichols' accident, Laura Ingalls continued her plans to become the first woman to fly the Atlantic alone.

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## TOBACCO OPENING IN GEORGIA DRAB AFFAIR

21 Markets Open With Good Crowds And Plentiful Supply—5 to 75 Cents Paid.

Macon, Ga., July 28.—Georgia tobacco planters went to market today and found the opening 1931 auctions rather drab.

This however did not dampen their enthusiasm for spirited offerings in later bids as a dull opening was anticipated due to late maturity for bright leaf in the belt.

First offerings bore out government predictions of a sharply detailed crop forecast recently on reports of acreage reduction and adverse weather.

The 21 markets in the state opened with good crowds and the floor supply was plentiful particularly at Adel where more than a quarter million pounds were available. Prices improved as sales proceeded and an unofficial report said the average price there was seven cents.

The only official prices reported in the belt came from Douglas where the United States department of agriculture is maintaining a crop reporting service. First quality orange lugs there brought \$12.50 near the opening while fifth grade brought \$2.20.

The department said prices averaged below last year's at the opening but improved during the day. A total of 92,500 pounds was sold at Statesboro and the unofficial average price there was \$3.34 per 100 pounds.

Vidalia reported sales of 400,000 pounds for an unofficial average of \$5 per 100.

Growers generally did not offer their best grades today. Much of the choice leaf has not matured, and tobacco men agreed the sales would be comparatively slow until this crop is brought to the floors.

Tifton reported its warehouses as about half full. Best grade lugs there brought an unofficial average of 15 to 25 cents per pound.

### Hour of Broadcast Changed

The hour of the weekly broadcast of Louisburg College and the Southern Conservatory of Music has been changed from 8:30 to 8:00 o'clock. The programs will be rendered from 8:00 to 8:30 each Monday evening during August.

Mrs. Charles Gully, of Clayton, mezzo soprano, accompanied at the piano by her sister, Mrs. Theo. Wooten McCullers, will render the musical program on the evening of August 3. Mrs. McCullers who is associate dean of the voice department of Louisburg College and the Southern Conservatory of Music will contribute some instrumental solos to the program.

The program, as usual, will be begun with an interesting presentation of Louisburg College by the president, A. D. Wilcox.

### YOUNG PEOPLE OF RED BUD ENTERTAINED

On July 22, 1931, the G. A.'s, R. A.'s and Sunbeams of Red Bud spent an enjoyable afternoon together from four until seven o'clock at the church.

Games were enjoyed in the church grove and music and songs in the church. Among the music given were two special selections sung by Misses Lucille Foster, Julia Mae Wood, and Ella Ruth and Magdalene Wood. Supper was spread in picnic fashion in the grove where all those present eat much of delicious chicken, sandwiches, cakes, pickle, ham and lemonade.

After supper a delightful social hour was enjoyed until the prayer meeting.

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