

TOBACCO MARKET OPENS TUESDAY

ALL HOUSES EXPECT BIG SALES

Full Corps of Buyers To Be Present—Southside, Planters and Union Warehouses To Run—Everything Ready To Go.

Louisburg is ready for the big opening of its tobacco market on next Tuesday. The proprietors of all three warehouses have been busy the past week putting their houses in ship shape to receive the tobacco and take care of its customers at the beginning of the season. A full corps of buyers will be on hand at the beginning.

The Southside Warehouse will be operated by Messrs Sam Meadows and Grover Harris. The Union by Messrs R. M. Beasley, J. M. Bullock, Zeb Wheeler and R. E. Cash, and the Planters by Ricks, Pearce, George Ford, Napier Williamson and Marvin Ferry. Mr. Tom Burton will auctioneer for the Southside and the Union and Mr. Carl Pearce will auctioneer for the Planters.

Last season Louisburg made a most enviable record among the tobacco markets in the State. Its increase in number of pounds sold was greater in proportion than any market in the State and the season's average price was greater than the average for the belt. These facts justify the statements of the warehousemen that the Louisburg market is the friend of the farmer. It is the market upon which he can meet and mingle with friends and upon which he gets the personal attention to his tobacco that assure him he got the top notch, even though the price may seem small in some cases.

Those interested in the Louisburg market this season are predicting the sale of not less than ten million pounds and feel sure that upon the basis of last year's record and the attention that will be given the farmers it will sell at least that much. Likewise the merchants of Louisburg are showing a special cooperative interest in building the market by making it possible to trade here at a great financial advantage.

Get a load ready and visit Louisburg market next Tuesday—then come regularly. Come anyway, whether you have tobacco or not. Louisburg welcomes you.

Big Exhibits At State Fair

Raleigh, Sept. 17.—A nine-division exhibit by the United States Department of Agriculture will be one of the features at the North Carolina State Fair, to be held in Raleigh, October 12-17.

This exhibit, it is pointed out, will interest not only the men who see it but house wives also, whether they reside in a city or some rural district. Livestock, forestry, aviation and weather, and the dangers of careless camping will each be the subject of special attention. Bulletins will be distributed on these subjects and prospective Fair visitors are invited to avail themselves of these.

For example, the exhibit will provide expert information on how to cook the shoulder, breast and neck of lamb to make it taste just as good as the more fancy cuts. This is designed to promote conservation and prevent waste, and will be illustrated with motion pictures and slides.

The exhibit will hold lessons of value for draymen in the section devoted to the lessening of feed costs, while the housewife will be taught to make full use of dairy products in the home. The timber exhibit will teach the value of growing trees and of the various uses to which wood can be put.

There are numerous other subjects to be covered in this mammoth exhibit which will be in place shortly. It will be in charge of a corps of workers who will explain it in every detail.

Gets Leg Shot Off

Belle Perry, colored, is minus a portion of her left leg as a result of a shooting affair near Lynch's Creek Tuesday night. Ed Curry did the shooting about six thirty Tuesday evening using a shot gun loaded with squirrel shot. The load took effect about half way between the knee and foot and made amputation necessary. Ed Curry is the one who it is alleged \$500 was taken from about a month ago and it is alleged that Curry bought Belle and her people were among those who stole the money and he was seeking revenge. Curry has not been apprehended.

FAIR WEEK ALMOST HERE

The Fair Association, as usual, is alive to the needs and wants of Franklin County people, and besides bringing the best amusement company that will be seen in this section of the state this year, the management has worked out a plan by which everybody who brings twelve pounds of seed cotton will be admitted to the Fair, except on Wednesday. As the admission for that day is fifty cents, it will take twenty four pounds of cotton for that day. This is indeed a novel idea and it will give everybody in the county an opportunity to come to the Fair, even if they don't want to sell as much as a whole bale of cotton at this time.

The exhibits promise to be unusually good, and already carpenters and workmen are putting the grounds and buildings in shape for the Fair, which opens at five o'clock on Tuesday, the 29th.

Much interest is already being shown among the vocational students, and it is expected that the display run on by the five schools having vocational teachers will be the most interesting ever shown at any county Fair. All of the schools will be represented, and the children will be here in large numbers on Wednesday to scrutinize what is being done by the students in the schools that they do not attend.

Much constructive rivalry has been created in the different schools and each one is trying to win the grand prize which was won by the Louisburg school last year.

The Secretary informs us that he has already made special arrangements with Mr. Wiley Holmes and the other weather men to furnish nothing but pleasant fair weather so everybody is certain to enjoy a full week at the Fair.

The idea in changing to night Fair only, with the exception of Wednesday and Saturday, at which time the gates will open at ten o'clock, is one of the best we have heard advanced so far. This is a forward step in educational amusement, as it will allow people to work all day and attend the Fair at night. This being the first Fair to be held in the state is an assurance that it will be well attended, as the Franklin County Fair has made an enviable reputation all over the State as being The Best County Fair in the State, hundreds of people will attend from other counties. It is a kind of unwritten law that the Franklin County Fair is a standard by which all other Fairs are judged, and the people in Franklin County have always manifested a wonderful spirit in co-operating with the Fair Association, and the management thoroughly realizes that it is this cooperative spirit in the people of this county that has made it The Best County Fair in the State. Let's all stand this year and have a good time.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY MEETING

Mesdames D. T. and R. W. Smithwick delightfully entertained the Legion Auxiliary Sept. 15th, at the home of Mrs. D. T. Smithwick.

The meeting opened with the usual formalities with Mrs. J. E. Malone, Jr., newly elected President, presiding.

Mrs. R. W. Smithwick read a paper on Legion Aid in time of Disaster.

A committee was appointed to make arrangements with one of the local Tea Rooms, to entertain at luncheon the State Executive Committee, which will be here in conference with Mrs. Hugh W. Perry, October 15th.

Mrs. Malone gave a report in full of the business and social side of the recent convention held at Morehead. This report was full of information and so enthusiastically told that each member felt inspired to go forth with renewed effort to make the coming year, one of the biggest in actual accomplishments our Auxiliary as yet know.

MRS. FORREST JOYNER, Sec.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

The enrollment in the different schools of the Cedar Rock-Cypress Creek District, up to Tuesday, Sept. 15, is very gratifying. The enrollment by schools is viz:

High School	152
Hickory Rock-White Level	203
Justice	128
Seven Paths	99
Cedar Rock	90

Total

672

It is very encouraging to note the lively interest in school attendance, as manifested by the pupils and parents.

OBSERVE HOLIDAY

On account observing Jewish holiday, Day of Atonement, on Monday, Sept. 21st, the following stores will be closed on that day: N. C. Salvage Co., A. Tonkel, A. Lazarus, J. Lehman.

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HOW MANY CROSSES

All Invited to Make a Guess—Many Prizes Given—Count To Be Made Sunday 27th.

A contest having for its object a little boosting for Louisburg as the best town in North Carolina, sponsored by J. Lehman and J. T. Howard, and in which the merchants and business men are co-operating with prizes to add a little interest will be held on Sunday, September 27th, 1931, when a complete count of all vehicles that cross Tar River bridge between the hours of 8 a. m. and 8 p. m. will be made. Every body wishing to do so are invited to make a guess at this number. The time for guessing will begin on Tuesday morning September 22 and continuing till Saturday night September 26th, at 10 o'clock. All those wishing to make a guess will secure at ticket and write plainly thereon their name and address, and the figures representing their guess. This ticket must be deposited in a box provided for it at J. Lehman's Repair Shop on or before 10 o'clock Saturday night September 26th. Those guessing the nearest correct number will be notified and awarded prizes in the order as follows:

- 1 Baby rocker by W. E. White Furniture Co.
- 2 Soles and rubber heels, Louisburg Repair Shop.
- 3 \$1.00 worth of merchandise, L. Kilne Co.
- 4 Pair silk hose, Fashion Shop.
- 5 Box perfume, S. P. Boddie.
- 6 Flashlight, L. P. Hicks.
- 7 Calling cards, J. T. Howard.
- 8 Gent's dress shirt, N. C. Salvage Co.
- 9 1-8 barrel flour, G. W. Murphy and Son.
- 10 Pipe, Beasley Bros.
- 11 Suit or dress cleaned and pressed, Louisburg Dry Cleaners.
- 12 2 tickets, Louisburg Theatre.
- 13 Flue joint, Davis and Rogers.
- 14 Can top dressing, Freds' Filling Station.
- 15 Suit or dress cleaned or pressed, Service Cleaners.
- 16 2 lbs. coffee, L. J. Fernel.
- 17 1-8 barrel flour, A. L. Hicks.
- 18 Box face powder, F. R. Pleasant.
- 19 Bowl, M. C. Pleasant.
- 20 Meal, Welcome Inn.
- 21 Necktie, A. Tonkel.
- 22 10 cigars, Ellis Rabel.
- 23 Pair rubber heels, R. E. L. Lancaster.
- 24 1-2 box gun shells, Perry and Moseley.
- 25 1 quart oil, Hodges-Green Motor Co.
- 26 Pound coffee, D. Penders.
- 27 Pint ice cream, Smoke Shop.
- 28 Pound cake, Fuller and Macon.
- 29 Tooth brush or paste, Scoggin Drug Store.
- 30 Bottle Vanilla extract, Seaboard Store Co.
- 31 Three pounds lard, Thomas Grocery Co.
- 32 Pair ladies bed room slippers, F. N. Spivey.

CO-OPS TO RECEIVE COTTON IN FRANKLIN

Raleigh, Sept. 17.—"Cotton" prices below the cost of production are turning farmers more and more to cooperative marketing as the solution," U. Benton Blalock, vice-president and general manager of the North Carolina Cotton Growers Cooperative Association, remarked this week as he looked over a number of new membership contracts, among which was one from a 300-bale grower.

The State cooperative is advancing its members within one cent per pound of the average open market price and, in addition, is allowing a substantial grade and staple premium on cotton above middling 7-8.

Mr. Blalock pointed out that in many instances the cooperative advance exceeds the average open market price.

"Suppose," he reasoned, "cotton is selling for \$6.25 on the open market. The cooperative member, in that case, will receive an advance of \$5.25 and, in addition, will be given a premium on grades and staples above middling 7-8. If, for example, his cotton is strict middling 1-16, his grade premium would be 25 points and his staple premium 85 points—a total of \$1.10, which would bring his advance ten points above the average market price. And he has a chance to receive still more when the cotton is sold."

Although the season is not yet in full swing, the cooperative receiving agents are already busy receiving cotton, Mr. Blalock said. The cooperative cotton season was opened Monday, September 7.

Three receiving agents and one warehouse have been appointed to receive cotton in Franklin County. They are: Robert White, Bunn; E. A. Harris, Franklinton; J. R. Pearce, Youngsville; and Howell's Warehouse, Louisburg.

Most husbands have found that losing their temper results in locating their wife's.

INSTALLS NEW EQUIPMENT

Local Theatre Is Replacing Old Equipment With Western Electric.

Realizing that talking pictures have reached a point of perfection demanding the best possible reproduction, the management of the Louisburg Theatre is replacing its old equipment with a Western Electric Sound System.

In the four years that have elapsed since talking pictures were first heard so many improvements have been made in the art that they can be heard at their best only with the most up-to-date apparatus. The Western Electric Sound System meets this qualification because it has constantly maintained the lead in scientific development and in faithful reproduction of the human voice.

The managements choice was made only after a survey of all available equipment and in the belief that his patrons are entitled to the highest quality of sound reproduction that can be obtained, regardless of expense. In doing this he is following the lead of 5,000 other theatre managers who have installed Western Electric, 1,400 of whom had previously had some other kind of equipment.

Western Electric engineers are now making the installation at this theatre which will be completed during this week giving the first show Saturday, Clark Gable in "Sporting Blood."

This installation places Louisburg Theatre among the foremost in the country and will, no doubt, be greatly appreciated by the many theatre goers in Louisburg and vicinity.

The New Bargain Store

The above is the title of a new store for Louisburg that will open for business on Saturday, September 19th, in the corner store room on Market and Nash Streets formerly occupied by the ladies department of F. W. Wheelers stores. This new store will be under the management of Mr. Arthur Polier, formerly with Kilne and Lazarus, of Raleigh, whose experience in this line is broad and places him in position to serve the trade in Louisburg's territory especially well.

They are busy opening up a complete line of new goods consisting of shoes, clothing, ladies and Misses ready-to-wear, millinery, notions, dry goods, etc. In speaking of the new venture Mr. Polier stated he was going to give the people the newest merchandise at the lowest prices in North Carolina.

See their advertisement in another column.

Texas For Cotton Reduction

Baton Rouge, La., Sept. 16.—After having been called a "liar" by the Texas Senate, Governor Huey P. Long tonight gave up his fight for a Southern cotton holiday.

Governor Long, in a radio address, said he was singing his "swan song" on the Louisiana cotton holiday plan and that he was "through" with his fight for cotton prohibition.

He fired a parting shot at Texas and its legislature for opposing his plan and said he would have nothing more to say.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 16.—The Texas House of Representatives defeated Governor Huey P. Long's proposal for a total cotton planting holiday in 1932 late today, and adopted a bill providing for reduced cotton acreage for next year.

The Long proposal was defeated, 92 to 38.

The acreage restriction measure was adopted in its stead, 95 to 34. The bill permits only one-third of all planted in all crops in 1931 to be planted in cotton in 1932.

AIRMEN CROSS PACIFIC SAFE

Seattle, Sept. 16.—The Coast Guard received a report today that Cecil A. Allen and Don Moyle, California aviators missing more than a week after a transpacific flight attempt, from Japan to Seattle, are safe on an uninhabited island.

The Coast Guard station here received a message from the naval radio on St. Paul Island in Bering Sea addressed to Miss Frances Bresson, fiancée of Moyle, at Riverside, Calif.

No Details

The message said the fliers had been found safe on an uninhabited island. No details were given in early reports. Several vessels of the Coast Guard have been combing the Aleutians westward of their base at Dutch Harbor.

From Ships

Captain H. D. Hinckley, commandant of the northern division of the Coast Guard, said the message was sent from the steamer Buriat through the St. Paul station which relayed it to Cordova, Alaska, and thence here.

The message was signed "Don," he said, and told Miss Bresson the fliers were safe on the island and would be in Seattle September 22. This was believed to indicate that the fliers were on the Buriat.

To Probe Report

Captain Hickey said he had advised the commander of the Bering Sea Coast Guard patrol of the message and asked him to investigate and report back immediately.

Moyle's message read:

"Landed on uninhabited island. Everything all right. Have Frank put publicity man on job. Will be in Seattle September 22."

Frank was not identified.

The naval radio station at Bremerton, which received the messages from St. Paul Island after they had been relayed at Cordova, said the Buriat was a Russian vessel which had supplied the Lindberghs with fuel on the Kanchataka peninsula.

The Buriat's position was not given in the messages intercepted by St. Paul Island, but was assumed she was off Kamchatka or the Kuriles.

Recorder's Court

After having suspended for two weeks on account of Franklin Superior Court, Franklin Recorder's Court had quite a large docket on Monday. A large crowd was present to witness the disposition of the cases which was done systematically by Judge Malone and Prosecuting Attorney E. F. Griffin. The docket as disposed of was as follows:

A verdict of not guilty was rendered in the case for larceny against Lucy Jane Foster Williams.

A. S. Harris was found not guilty of violating the prohibition law.

Cleveland Jones pleaded guilty to a charge of assault with deadly weapon and was discharged upon payment of costs.

Lee Morris Perry was found guilty of assault with deadly weapons, and was given four months on roads.

Jim Harris was found guilty of assault with deadly weapon and was given 60 days on roads.

Clarence Wright was fined \$5 and costs for giving a bad check. Appeal.

John R. Lewis was found not guilty in the assault with deadly weapon charge.

S. K. Tant was found guilty of violating prohibition law and was given two months on roads, execution not to issue except upon order of court, in addition to a \$25 fine and costs.

M. H. Stallings pleaded guilty to violating prohibition law, and was fined \$25 and costs and given a two months road sentence, which was not to execute except upon order of the Court.

Harry Hoffman, (colored) was given three months in jail Commissioners to hire out for violating prohibition law.

Buddie Hagwood was found not guilty of operating an automobile intoxicated.

Walter Murray pleaded guilty to simple assault and was given 30 days in jail. Upon payment of costs execution to issue only upon order of the Court.

Biddy Strother pleaded guilty to simple assault, drunk and disorderly, prayer for judgment was continued.

Edward Lee Parker having been found guilty of giving a worthless check, was sent to a training school.

G. B. Conn failure to comply with an order of court, was continued. Other cases continued were as follows: Matilda Hayes, violating prohibition law. G. D. Wester, bad check.

GOLD SAND TO HAVE COMMONITY FAIR OCTOBER 9TH

The Gold Sand Community will have a fair at the school building the ninth of October. Arrangements are being made for this event, and details will be published in next weeks TIMES.

FACING BRIGHT PROSPECTS

Louisburg College Enrolls One Hundred and Forty Eight New Students—Enthusiasm Engulfs Faculty and Student Body.

Louisburg College opened Wednesday of last week having the registration on Wednesday and Thursday, with very prosperous and promising outlook for the future. The enrollment to date is 167. However, President A. D. Wilcox states that this is not a complete enrollment for the year for registrations and prospects continue to come in. Of the number already enrolled 119 are dormitory students and 48 day students, or local students in Louisburg and Franklin County. Only 19 of these students were students at the College last year.

New registrations are still coming in and many are expected, especially new registrations and prospects in the musical field now in the hands of The Southern Conservatory of Music. The above stated enrollment does not represent the total enrollment in the music department, where new students continue to enroll.

The enrollment so far for this year represents a large increase over that of last year. There is a fifty per cent increase in the dormitory enrollment over that of last year and a one hundred and five percent increase in the enrollment of day students. It has been stated that many of the classes are larger this year than they have been in several years.

With this fine beginning and a continually increasing enrollment Louisburg College seems to be facing ahead for a greater service and success. President Wilcox who has been working in rebuilding Louisburg College during this summer has now a splendid showing for his untiring efforts and it is to him that the friends of Louisburg College turn with admiration and gratitude for this great work.

The work at the College has gotten into full swing and the spirit among the faculty and students is at unsurpassable heights. All are very enthusiastic and eager, and a spirit of determination of fiery zeal is manifest among the Louisburg boys and girls.

Dr. Poteat to Speak

Franklinton, Sept. 16.—Rev. R. L. Randolph has arranged a very interesting program of services in his church for the next four weeks. Dr. W. L. Pcteat, president emeritus, of Wake Forest College, will speak next Sunday, Sept. 20th, at 8 P. M. on "The Home". The following Sunday evening, Sept. 27th, Senator J. W. Bailey will speak on "The Church". The speaker for Oct. 4th has not been secured at this writing but he will use "The School" as his subject. On Oct. 11th Hon. J. M. Broughton, a leading lawyer and churchman of Raleigh, will be speaker. His subject will be "The State".

These four subjects cover the whole field of christian activity and civic development in our state and nation. And they are to be discussed by as able speakers and thinkers as can be secured in the State. The church and community are to be congratulated on securing them. An invitation is extended to all, irrespective of creed or denomination, to attend these services. Neither is the invitation extended to those of Franklinton community alone. The people of Louisburg, Youngsville, and all who would like to come are urged to do so.

MEETS WITH BOARDS AND TEACHERS

E. L. Best, Superintendent of the Franklin County Public Schools, met with the school boards and teachers Cay Gold Sand District on Thursday of three of the school districts this week. They were Bunn District on Wednesday Gold Sand District on Thursday and Edward Best District on Friday.

W. H. Avery of Morganton, rural route, has been elected president of the newly formed Burke County Guernsey Breeders' Association.

At The Louisburg Theatre Next Week

The following is the program at the Louisburg Theatre, beginning Saturday, Sept. 19th:
Saturday, Sept. 19—Clarke Gable in "Sporting Blood."
Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 21-22—Constance Bennett in "The Common Law."
Thursday and Friday, Sept. 24-25—"The Squaw Man" with Lupe Valdez and Warner Baxter.

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