

17TH FAIR IN PROGRESS

EXHIBITS OF HIGH ORDER,
GOOD NUMBER

Good Crowd Attended Wednesday—
Fair Only Opens at Night Other
Days Except Saturday—Good
Crowds at Night—Boy Scouts
Make Fine Showing

Franklin County Fair had its formal opening Wednesday morning, September 30th, having prospects of a fine and successful fair, more so than ever before even in view of the much talked-of depression. Wednesday was observed as School day and was the only day the fair was conducted the Franklin County Fair having adopted the night fair plan, except for the negro school day to be held Saturday, Oct. 3, and it appeared quite different in weather conditions than has the school day in the previous few years. The sun shone and pleasant weather urged a large crowd to the fair. School children were there in the hundreds.

The fair opened with the School parade which formed on Church street and marched down West Nash street, around the Court House square and up Main street to the fairground. The parade was led by the local Boy Scout Band who played the marches during the parade being followed by the remainder of the Troop. Following them were the school children of the different school districts which were present as follows: Bunn District Schools, Edward Best District Schools, Gold Sand District Schools, Ellis Schools District, and Youngsville District schools. The parade broke as it entered the fairground. The Boy Scout band is to be complimented on its first appearance in public and its music rendered, it reveals another light of living at home to get the best.

home to get the best. The prizes awarded in the parade contest went to Youngsville and Louisburg, District schools. Youngsville was judged as having the best appearance and awarded a prize of \$10. The prize of 75 for the largest per cent of the enrollment being in the parade was given to Louisburg School. The judges for this and also of the school booths were Miss Anne Benson Priest, County Demonstration Agent, Miss Edna Oliver, County Nurse, and Mr. James Harris, Publicity Agent of Louisburg College.

In the exhibit hall a variety of booths arranged on both sides. On one side of the hall the schools of the different districts of the County had their booths, in which were the exhibits of the work of the various departments of the respective schools who had booths as follows: Louisburg, Bunn, Edward Best, Gold Sand, and Youngsville. Among the high school exhibits of each school were the handiwork of the home economic departments, the science departments and the other courses, such as history, French, Latin, and English, posters, projects, and samples of the work in each department being displayed splendidly. All of the booths of the schools were especially good showing splendid work of the part of the students and teachers. The Bunn winner receiving \$15 and the Gold Sand School Booth as second prize winner receiving \$10.

Along with the school exhibits but in a separate booth the departments of Vocational Agriculture training, the Bunn, Gold Sand, Edward Best, Franklin and Epsom High Schools, gave a splendid and most educational display. On a large poster with the pictures of the animals discussed the following wording was given, "A Two-Arm Farmer produces crops and Livestock plus Home Grown Feed for the Cow, the Pig, the Chicken. Beneath the picture of each animal was an array of feeds for the growing of the animal and also the products gotten from each. Many farmers and citizens found much information of value from this booth and exceedingly much interest was shown in the exhibit.

The exhibit of the colored schools were especially worthy of mention for the splendid and good work of the pupils in the form of study work in different courses and handiwork in clothing and fancy work. Also the booth of the colored people of the County was fine in its display of fancy work, pantry supplies, home made furniture and flowers.

Louisburg College showed in its booth a typical room of Louisburg College dormitories showing the college life and its fine surroundings. This is the first time in a number of years that the College has had an exhibit and the one this year is exceptionally interesting and good.

The fancy work booth this year was filled with many different kinds of articles of handiwork, including quilts, tablespreads, both crocheted, embroidered and otherwise, scarfs and pillows and slips of sizes and designs, dresses and all kinds of clothing. Many participants were in this department and

Wins Another Pennant



Connie Mack piloted the Philadelphia Athletics to the flag for the ninth time in 28 years.

many different prizes were awarded. The flower booth was better this year than ever before. Flowers of all description and kind were displayed. Ferns, potted flowers and cut flowers were in abundance and made a beautiful exhibit.

All kinds of dried fruits and vegetables, pies, candies, cakes, breads, etc., were displayed in the pantry booth, many entries being made by a number of people who apparently are handy in the work thus displayed in this booth.

The canned goods and field and garden crops exhibit revealed the work of many who are interested in the live at home program, and shows what can be done at home in much better ways and to advantage.

In the poultry and livestock exhibit many specimens of fine quality and breed were present. A variety of chickens in kinds were displayed and represented by fine specimens. Among the exhibits was one of two fox, which were very interesting.

The fair this year is an exception. Its exhibits all around are of good quality and splendid. The midway attractions are many and afford much fun and entertainment to the people attending Franklin County's Seventeenth Fair. A success is apparent and much interest and enthusiasm manifest in the people all over the County who take great pride and interest in their County fair.

Baptists To Meet In Louisburg

Tar River Association to Be Guests
Of Louisburg Church October 7th
And 8th—Full Program.

The Tar River Association of the Baptist churches will meet with the Louisburg Baptist church on October 7th and 8th, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

The program as announced by the association will be as follows:
Wednesday Morning,
10:00—Introductory Sermon.
10:50—Organization and Appointment of Committees.
11:10—Missions—State, Home, Foreign.
12:40—Recess for Dinner.
Wednesday Afternoon,
2:00—Devotional.
2:10—The Cooperative Program.
3:10—Colportage.
3:30—Sunday Schools.
4:00—Miscellaneous and Adjournment.

Thursday Morning,
9:30—Devotional.
9:45—Benevolences—
The Mills Home.
The Baptist Hospital
Ministerial Relief
11:15—Education.
11:45—Religious Literature.
12:15—Women's Organizations.
12:45—Miscellaneous and Dinner.

Thursday Afternoon,
2:00—Stewardship and Tithing.
2:30—Baptist Young People's Union.
3:00—Public Morals and Law Enforcement.
3:30—Miscellaneous and Adjournment.

The membership of the local church is making all arrangements to make the stay of the several delegates pleasant while in Louisburg through its hospitality committee which is composed of Messrs H. C. Taylor, Mack Stamps and Mesdames F. W. Wheelless and A. B. Perry.

A most interesting meeting is contemplated.

Seed Loan Representative In City

W. C. Lloyd, a representative of the Seed Loan office of Washington, D. C., was in Louisburg Tuesday for the purpose of collecting loans for the Department.

All who have loans will find him on the markets in Louisburg again on Tuesday October 5th, 1931.

Most folks think it better to be assisted from a poor family than descended from a great one.

Mrs. F. W. Justice Passes Away

On late Saturday evening Mrs. F. W. Justice, wife of Frank W. Justice, Sheriff of this County died at their home about five miles southwest of Louisburg, after having been ill for some time and her health having been in the decline for several years. The passing of Mrs. Justice brings sorrow to all of her many friends. Although they realize her gain, their loss looms great in their hearts.

Mrs. Justice was fifty-six years of age. Her life has been one of cheer and tenderness and love for her loved ones and friends. Even in the darkest hours of sickness and suffering her love and tenderness shown through. Much has been taken from this husband and relatives and friends; sweet ties have been severed, but much is left. The Christian's hope and fadless memories are still theirs. Since this life has passed into the joy of her Lord, the memory must prove a perpetual inspiration. To her the struggle and burden of earth are ended, and we confidently trust that like one who awakes from a troubled dream she has awakened to see life's endless morning break and knows herself at home with all the vast throng of loved ones, missed from earth, safe about her.

Mrs. Justice is survived only by her husband and a brother and sister, who are Mr. J. P. Timberlake, of near Louisburg, and Mrs. T. B. Wheeler of Scotland Neck. She was a member of Flat Rock Baptist church to which she was faithful and loyal always.

Rev. Mr. Morris, pastor of Flat Rock Church, conducted the funeral services from the home on Sunday evening at four o'clock. The service was very impressive and the interment was made at Oaklawn cemetery at Louisburg. The pall bearers were Messrs. W. N. Fuller, J. J. Young, B. H. Meadows, S. C. Holden, G. L. Cooke, C. E. Pace, M. S. Clifton, and L. L. Joyner.

The floral tribute was profuse and beautiful.

Quite an exceedingly large number of relatives and friends attended the services, many from surrounding towns and sections among whom were: Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wheeler, Mrs. Joe Cotten, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Josey, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McDowell, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Burroughs, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Cherry, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Shields, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Harden, Mrs. R. P. Blackwell, Mrs. Hugh Johnson, Mrs. J. A. Pittman, Misses Myrtle Wheeler and Lillian Harden, of Scotland Neck; Rev. T. L. Justice of Washington City.

Some one has said, "When death strikes down the innocent, for every fragile form from which he lets the panting spirit free, a hundred virtues rise, in shapes of mercy, charity and love, to walk the world and bless it. Of every tear that sorrowing mortals shed on such green graves, some good is born, some gentler nature comes." And so it seems with this life of patience and love and tenderness that has just entered into eternal peace and rest the many virtues of her soul rise and bless the earth.

2139 Crossed Bridge Sunday

Quite a large number participated in the guessing at the number of vehicles crossing Tar River Bridge conducted by Messrs. J. Lehman and J. T. Howard on last Sunday. Thirty-two prizes were offered by her merchants of the town. No one guessed the exact number, 2139. The count was made from 8 a. m. to 3 p. m. Sunday. The following is a list of those winning prizes by having guessed nearest to the correct number, the order in which they win and their guess. All are from Louisburg except where otherwise mentioned:

1. Everette Spencer, 2141.
2. Ollie Fisher, Castalia, 2135.
3. J. S. Marshall, 2130.
4. Lucille Person, 2149.
5. J. E. Williams, 2125.
6. W. L. Beasley, 2153.
7. L. R. Southall, R. 2, 2160.
8. J. A. Wheelless, 2160.
9. R. G. Person, Jr., 2160.
10. F. B. Walters, 2117.
11. Mrs. H. J. Cash, 2116.
12. Glycerine Turnage, R. 1, Bunn, 2163.
13. C. E. Timberlake, 2113.
14. Mrs. J. L. Spencer, 2113.
15. D. C. Batchelor, 2111.
16. J. A. Pearce, 2104.
17. Gaynell Tharrington, 2175.
18. Jimmie Ragland, 2102.
19. Bill Morris, 2100.
20. J. M. Bullock, Stem, 2100.
21. Will Swain, 2100.
22. T. W. Edwards, R. 5, 2179.
23. Mrs. Chas. Macdon, 2186.
24. Mrs. H. R. Strother, 2189.
25. Mrs. J. J. Barrow, 2075.
26. Hazel Spencer, 2072.
27. Joe Allen, 2207.
28. U. G. Woodlief, 2060.
29. Mrs. W. N. Fuller, 2222.
30. Graham Holmes, 2222.
31. Edward Stovall, 2225.

Cumberland County farmers cooperated to ship a mixed car of hogs and sheep to the Richmond market last week.

Louisburg College Gets A Coach

Coach Jack Parker of Louisburg College held his first scrimmage with the novel team of the College on Wednesday afternoon after having just taken over the coaching reins at the College this week. Louisburg College is indeed fortunate in securing Coach Parker to train its first football team in its history which gives much promise of success and fine play, especially under his guidance and coaching. Parker was center and captain of the 1930 Wake Forest College football team which was one of the strongest line-ups in the South. He has had eight years of football experience, four years at Oakridge and four at Wake Forest, having to his credit a splendid reputation on the football field.

Upon his taking over the reins of coaching the Louisburg College boys, the team, although it was doing fine work before and played beautifully in the game against Cary High last Friday, shows better team-work and more pep and enthusiasm. The boys look good and are working vigorously. They have been giving time to some entirely new plays and are practicing with increasing determination and enthusiasm. They are in the right spirit, having a great ideal of team-work and co-operation, energy, pep, enthusiasm and determination.

In the practicing and scrimmage Wednesday afternoon in preparation for its game with Apex High School Friday afternoon the team did fine work. Thomas left-end, Clark quarterback, Shag Waddell full-back, Burgess and Griffin halfbacks, and Wilson, in the line, showed up nice in running through the plays.

Prospects for Louisburg College's first football team are bright. It has the backing of a large band of proud and enthusiastic students of the College, many of whom turn out to observe the practice each time. Also, the people of Louisburg are manifesting much interest in its first college football team and a number of them are present at the sides of the field watching the interesting scrimmages of the team each day.

P. T. A. MEET

The first meeting of the Parents-Teachers Association was held Thursday afternoon September 17, at 3:30 o'clock.

The meeting was opened with a few remarks by the newly elected president, Mrs. W. B. Barrow, after which the song "America" was sung, followed by the Lord's Prayer.

The minutes of the last meeting were then read by the secretary Miss Mary Wilson and approved.

Dr. Yarborough made a talk on "Health". He told of a Tubercular Clinic that was to be held.

The roll was called, and there was quite a large attendance.

Mr. Mills next discussed the New School Law, after which the meeting adjourned.

GOLD SAND COMMUNITY FAIR OCTOBER 9TH

The community fair day exercises will begin in the high school auditorium, Friday October 9th, at 9:30 a. m.

Various forms of entertainment have been arranged for the day. Also those in charge are expecting the people of the community to bring together a large number of good exhibits. A community fair should be an enjoyable get together for all people of the community.

Patrons of the school are asked to help the following fair committee members secure the exhibits—M. M. Person, chairman; H. P. Speed; G. C. Parrish; J. F. Parrish; Roy Duke; Hugh Moseley; N. H. Griffin; and W. D. Fuller.

THE O'HENRY LITERARY SOCIETY

The O'Henry Literary of Epsom High school elected the following officers for the new fall term:

President—Bruce Pace.
Vice-President—D. T. Hayes.
Secretary—Grace Ayscue.
Junior Critic—Jessie Jones.
Chaplin—Estelle C.
Sponsor—J. J. Wolfe.

September 24th the following freshmen joined our society: Blanche Weldon, Bettie L. Jones, Oscar Ayscue, Vernon and Virgil Ayscue, Edwin Parnell, Fred Finch, Edgar Edwards and Smith Dickerson.

J. B. PRIVETT DEAD

Mr. J. B. Privett, one of Franklin County's oldest and most highly respected citizens died at his home near Riley on Tuesday afternoon. He is survived by his wife and several children and a host of friends.

THANKS

I wish to extend my deepest gratitude to all those who extended so many kindnesses and expressions of sympathy in the recent illness and death of my wife. Each and every little act and word will be remembered as a priceless treasure by me.
F. W. JUSTICE.

Gen. Pershing at 71



This picture of the man who commanded America's greatest army was taken at Hot Springs, Va., just after his birthday.

TO OUR SCHOOL CORRESPONDENTS

We are delighted to get the news from each of the several schools in the County each week, but on account of our limited space and a desire to serve all of the schools we are forced to ask each school correspondent to send in only actual news articles of their school and community. Essays or compositions on certain books or great men are not interesting to our readers and have no news value. Likewise jokes are dangerous in that in too many cases offense is taken by the one involved or some of his or her family and friends. Therefore we are asking you to send us news and leave out essays and jokes.

Plays 0 to 0 Game

Louisburg College and Cary High School Played Friday—First Game For College.

Louisburg College played the first game of football in its history when it played a non-scoring game against Cary football team on Friday afternoon. The score 0 to 0 was kept throughout the game with vigorous fighting and team work on the part of both teams. Louisburg College's football team, the first ever formed and to play, made a splendid showing, its members giving many good plays.

Among the good plays made during the game Smith of Louisburg College made a twenty-five yard gain on a pass from Waddell of Louisburg during the first quarter, and during the second quarter Burgess played a good game making a couple of gains. Creel of Cary made a good play in intercepting a pass thrown by Waddell and ran seventy yards, before being downed by Waddell. During the latter part of the game Louisburg got the ball near its own goal but was unable to get it over the goal. Outstanding plays were made by Creel and Kametches of Cary, and White, Waddell, Smith, Ziegler, Wilson and Clark, Louisburg College.

Captain Wilson, tackle, was outstanding on defense for Louisburg.

Herbert Clark, former Methodist Orphanage player who was coaching and playing for the Louisburg team, subbed at fullback for his team's only substitution.

The line-ups:
Cary—Massey, Barker, J. Johnson and J. Evans, ends; Craddock and Smith, tackles; Holloman and Bacon, guards; Justice, center; Wyatt, Creel, Kametches, Poplin and Johnson, backs.

Louisburg—Ziegler and Thomas, ends; White and Wilson, tackles; Parrish and Griffin, guards; Black, center; Waddell, Smith, Burgess, Bacon and Clark, backs.

U. D. C. MEETS

The J. J. Davis chapter of the U. D. C. will hold its monthly meeting with Mrs. C. K. Cooke on Tuesday, October 6th, at 3:30 p. m. All members are urged to attend.

MISS SUE ALSTON, Sec'y.
By Mrs. H. H. Johnson.

ENTERTAINMENT AT SHILOH

On Friday night Oct. 9th at seven-thirty o'clock there will be given a free entertainment at Shiloh Methodist church. After the program ice cream, candy and sandwiches will be sold to raise money to buy new song books for the church. The public is cordially invited.

PRICES HIGHER AT LOUISBURG

SALES INCREASING OVER LAST YEAR

Many Growers From a Distance Sell in Louisburg—General Satisfaction Prevails at Daily Sales.

Sales on the Louisburg tobacco market the past week have been very satisfactory to both growers and warehousemen.

Sales have been reasonably light due to the fact that the growers are busy saving other crops during this splendid spell of weather, but each day has brought sales that showed increase in pounds over corresponding days of last year and an even but positive advance in price. Many growers from a distance are patronizing the Louisburg market this year, among which are many who have never patronized the market before.

It is a noticeable fact that while some types or grades of tobacco are not selling well, others are as high or higher than they were at any time in the past several years. The market Wednesday made an actual average of \$11.29 and the indications yesterday morning were that Thursday's average would be a great deal higher.

Many of the farmers are expressing themselves as receiving more than they expected and some of the visitors say "we are going to keep coming here as long as you make such good sales for us."

It is estimated that the market has already sold more than twice as much as at the same time last year and with averages ranging a good deal higher. Louisburg is proud of the fact that its daily averages are higher than other markets of the State and those in charge are determined to keep it in that position.

Visit Louisburg market for better prices.

Raleigh Salvage Company Opens

The Raleigh Salvage Co. received its first big shipment of goods Wednesday for their new store on Market street and are now busy arranging their stock in display to receive the many customers they expect.

This Company was organized just a few years ago and the David Harris stock in Louisburg was their first purchase. They are returning to Louisburg this fall to open a permanent store, according to information given the FRANKLIN TIMES by Mr. Levy. Associated with Mr. Levy in this business is Mr. Rogers, of Raleigh, both of whom are in Louisburg directing and supervising the opening of the new store here.

Watch for their announcement next week.

EPSOM SENIORS ORGANIZE

The seniors of Epsom High school have started the year of '31 and '32 to strive for success. The following officers have been elected:

President—Virginia Dickerson.
Vice-President—Grace Ayscue.
Sec. and Treas.—Lillian Grissom.
Reporter—Estelle Cattle.
Mascot—Milton Fuller.
Sponsor—Mr. G. E. Crawley.

Each of us are trying to do our best as we know it will be our last chance at Epsom to leave a good record. We want to leave a name that has never been left before. By the cooperation of the teachers and the students we will reach the goal.

REVIVAL SERVICES AT LEAH'S CHAPEL

The revival meeting will begin at Leah's Chapel church on the Louisburg Circuit Saturday night October 3 at 7:30. There will be services at 11 o'clock Sunday morning and on Monday night at 7:30 the Rev. L. A. Tilley of Bynum, N. C. will be present to assist the pastor through the week. The public is cordially invited.

At The Louisburg Theatre Next Week

The following is the program at the Louisburg Theatre, beginning Saturday, Oct. 3rd:
Saturday, Oct. 3—Richard Arlen in "Caught."
Monday-Tuesday, Oct. 5-6—Lionel Barrymore in "Guilty Hands" with Kay Francis.
Wednesday, Oct. 7—Richard Arlen in "The Secret Call."
Thursday-Friday, Oct. 8-9—John Gilbert in "Phantom of Paris."
Saturday, Oct. 10—Bill Cody in "Under Texas Skies," also Serial "Finger Prints" and Metro Comedy.