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P. H. Wilson Armistice Address

SERVICE HELD AT MILLS HIGH SCHOOL

T. K. Stockard Presides, Mrs. McCullers and Others Render Special Music—Prof. Robt. H. Cru, of France, Present—Many Attend Ceremonies

The American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary of Louisburg staged a very interesting program celebrating Armistice Day, Wednesday in the auditorium of Mills High School in Louisburg at eleven o'clock a. m. The occasion was attended by the Legionaires and Auxiliary members, the student bodies of the high school and Louisburg College, and a number of the people of Louisburg.

The occasion was presided over by Mr. Tracy Stockard, who in the opening of the program stated that he thought it exceedingly appropriate to have such a celebration and important in view of the war clouds that are apparently beginning to gather. He said it was a celebration of a day of great victory and homecoming and rejoicing, and its celebration should be likewise.

Preceding the invocation given by Rev. A. D. Wilcox, pastor of Louisburg Methodist church and President of Louisburg College, the audience sang in unison one verse of "America". Following the invocation Mrs. Theo. Wooten McCullers, of the Voice Department of the Southern Conservatory of Music at Louisburg College, rendered a vocal solo, "When the Boys Come Home", being accompanied at the piano by Mrs. S. B. Berkeley.

Judge J. E. Malone, of Franklin Recorders Court, in his introduction of the speaker, told that there were two days celebrated in connection with the World War and its heroes. First is Memorial Day, on the 30th of May commemorating those of the heroes who have gone beyond. Second is Armistice Day, a day of rejoicing and one to reap pleasure from. Then, he introduced to the audience a special guest to the occasion, Professor Robert H. Cru, of France, who is teaching at Wake Forest College. Following this was his introduction of Mr. Percy H. Wilson, of Wake Forest, District Commander speaker of the occasion, referring to him as a soldier, a scholar, and a gentleman.

Commander Wilson's address was made on the purpose of organization and the service of the two organizations, the American Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary. The American Legion is an organization of the men who returned from "Over There" where they nobly served, now organized for Peace. They have great faith in the statement that "It is great to give service in War but still greater to give service in time of Peace". Stress was laid upon the fact that they were after no honor or gain but had as their aims assistance to their brothers who were less fortunate, building up of Americanism and American citizenship, and development of Youth for real American Citizens. Also Mr. Wilson said that this organization was a world-wide one it being in all the countries to whom Armistice Day meant victory and rejoicing.

In reference to the problem of Preparedness and Armament, Mr. Wilson stated that Legion believed in preparedness and defense and would until a better means can be made to prevent war. They would stand for strong national defense and preparedness.

Much of the spirit of those anxious days was revived among the audience when it sang that very familiar air "Over There".

The program was closed by the audience facing the flag and singing "The Star Spangled Banner".

Announcing Big Reductions

Attention is directed to the large double page advertisement in this issue of THE FRANKLIN TIMES of the Raleigh Salvage Co. in which a large number of wonderfully low prices are being offered. This Company is continually enlightening business by their periodical sales announcements. Read their advertisements.

F. T. A.

November program—19th. Thanksgiving program given by Mrs. Incoe's class. Song—No. 34—assembly. Prayer—Mr. M. Stamps. Subject for the afternoon—"Teaching Children the Value of Money." Review of Economical Dressmaking—Miss Roger's class. Paper on "The Child's Allowance"—Mrs. H. H. Johnson. Open forum discussion. Business of meeting.

Residence Burns Early Sunday

The residence of Miss Lucy Allen, located on North Main Street, was destroyed by fire about one-thirty o'clock Sunday morning together with practically all the contents. The origin of the fire is unknown as there was no one in the house at the time, Miss Allen being on a visit at the time. The fire having gained such headway before it was discovered it was impossible to save the building. At one time the flames greatly endangered other nearby residences.

The estimated loss of the building is placed at \$10,000.00 with \$5,500 insurance. The building was owned by J. M. Allen.

The estimated loss to contents is placed at \$5,500.00 with insurance of \$3,500.00.

The fire department did splendid work in preventing the spread of the fire to nearby residences.

Cantata At Methodist Church

The cantata, Gallia, by Gounod, which the choir of the Methodist church is presenting on Sunday night November 15, at 7:30 o'clock is one, which is well adapted for a large group of singers. The voices, which Mrs. McCullers has been able to secure, are brilliant and will manage the difficult choruses with considerable dramatic quality.

Mrs. J. S. Carrell and Mrs. Fred Wheeler of Raleigh, soloists of wide experience in concert and church work, have studied extensively in the north and are at present connected with the prominent musical circles of Raleigh.

The male singers from Raleigh have well trained, choir and solo voices and will ably assist in the rendition of this cantata.

Mrs. Walter W. Cooke of Franklin, soprano, and Mrs. O. Y. Yarboro, organist are well known for their talent and musicianship.

The public is cordially invited to attend this service.

To Tell How To Get 8 Cents For Cotton

What to Do with Cotton under Present Price Conditions will be discussed with Franklin County farmers, Monday next week by M. G. Mann, Secretary-Treasurer of the North Carolina Cotton Growers Cooperative Association. Mr. Mann will explain the plan under which the cooperative association is handling cotton for its members this season and will tell how the cotton farmer may have the use of his money from his cotton and still hold for better prices.

The meetings Monday will be of special interest to farmers who have borrowed from the Government Seed Loan Office because they will get specific information as to how they may get credit from the Government for eight cents a pound on their cotton when pooled with the Cooperative Association and how the Association handles their accounts with the Government. A representative of the Government Seed Loan Office has also been invited to attend the meeting.

All cotton farmers are invited to attend the meeting nearest them and inform themselves concerning the best way to handle their cotton under present market conditions.

Colored Fire Company Trains

The Warrenton Colored Fire Department was in Louisburg Tuesday night giving training to the newly organized Louisburg Colored Fire Department in the reel team. Splendid work was done and much interest shown by the members. Among those from the Warrenton team here were Peter Collins, who is secretary of the State Colored Fire Association, J. B. Plummer, vice-president of the State Col. Fire Asso., R. L. Stainback, foreman of the Warrenton Team, and Tom Branch and R. E. Harris.

SAREPTA CHURCH

There will be special services at Sarepta church at Centreville Sunday night, Nov. 15th, at 7:30, at which time Rev. S. E. Wright will preach. Special music will also be a part of the services. The public is invited.

TO SPEAK OVER RADIO

Monday Nov. 16, 7:30 to 9:30 Eastern time. Judge Rutherford will speak on "The Truth" to be broadcast live in English then in Spanish. Location CNEK, Havana, Cuba. All radio users should tune in and enjoy this address.

FOR FIRST CLASS JOB PRINTING
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Louisburg College Defeats Oxford

Louisburg College Football team defeated a strong and plucky Oxford High team by a score of 6 to 0 Wednesday afternoon at the field at Louisburg. Fussell, Louisburg's right end recovered a blocked punt on the ten yard line and went across the goal line for the touchdown. The pass for extra point was completed but was not counted because completed beyond the end zone. Most of the ground gained was by Burgess and Rogers. The line did good work in spite of the splendid defensive work of the Oxford team.

Line-up: Thomas and Richards ends; Wilson and Edwards tackles; Waddell and Ziegler guards; Black center; Burgess and Griffin backs; Rogers F. B. and Clark Q. B.

First downs: Louisburg College 13; Oxford 3.

Yard gains in scrimmage: Louisburg 207; Oxford 39.

Passes: Louisburg College tried 14 and completed 4 for 72 yds. Oxford tried 5 and completed 2 for 18 yards.

Mrs. Mann Entertains At Rook

Mrs. J. W. Mann delightfully entertained at a rook party in honor of Mrs. C. T. Stokes, of Louisburg, formerly Miss Grace Hall, of Henderson, whose marriage was a recent event, on Monday night, Nov. 9th, at 7:30 o'clock at the Four Winds Tea Room in Louisburg.

The decorations were of yellow chrysanthemums and evergreens. After a number of games, prizes were awarded to Mrs. J. H. Boone, who received a cameo necklace, high score prize and Mrs. Albert Whelless, who was given a dainty linen handkerchief, consolation prize.

The hostess presented Mrs. Stokes with a beautiful guest prize of a Silver Butter knife and Sugar shell.

Refreshments of a salad course and nuts were served, the nuts being served in miniature silver slippers.

Those attending were Mrs. C. T. Stokes, Mrs. Beatrice Carroll, Mrs. S. E. Berkeley, Mrs. F. W. Whelless, Mrs. J. A. Whelless, Mrs. J. H. Boone, Mrs. M. C. Pleasants, Mrs. B. N. Williamson, Mrs. W. L. Beasley, Mrs. C. K. Cooke, Mrs. D. F. McKinnis, Mrs. B. T. Holden, Mrs. E. S. Ford, Mrs. S. F. Boddie, Miss Virginia Foster, Miss Lynn Hall, Miss Annie Green.

ALLISON HODGES JR. WINS BOY SCOUT AWARD

Raleigh Youth Awarded Eagle Scout Rank; Other Awards Made By Council

Addison Maupin, of the Christ Church troop, was awarded the Eagle Scout rank at the November Court of Honor of the Raleigh Scouts, meeting last night at Broughton High school.

Mayor George Iseley presented civic duty badges to John Downing, James Stephenson, Battle Hales, and Benton Brown for work done for various civic clubs of the city.

The bugling contest, held annually, was won by Allison Hodges, of Louisburg, who will be the official council bugler for the coming year. George Hunter, of Troop No. 4, won second place.

The following awards were made: Tenderfoot: Paul Bodwell, Hugh Smith, Mettauer Davidson, Bill Williams, Bruce McDonald, and Eddie McGee; Second Class: Roy Honeycutt, Atwood Whitman, Fred Miller, Bob Dalton, Harold Hales, C. M. Craig, Sherwood Cox, Dickie Mitchell, J. C. Munns, Rodney Squires, Jake Hartsfield and Don Johnson. First Class: Edward Cloyd, Troy Ferguson, Jesse Mewborn, Horace Greason, Charles Holding, Paul Paschal.

Star Scout: George Baucum, Jess Reid, Frank Norris. Life Scout: John Foster, Marion Eisenhart. Eagle Palm: Armstead Maupin and Jack Berber.—News-Observer.

CURRENT LITERATURE CLUB

Mrs. S. P. Burt was hostess to the Current Literature Club and four special guests at her home on Tuesday. Guests were Misses Sadie Jarman, Rebecca Davis, Camilla Carroll and Mrs. Frederick Williams.

The subject for the afternoon was Lisette Woodworth Reese—"A Victorious Village". A most interesting paper of her life was read by Mrs. W. H. Pleasants, followed by a piano solo, "Romance—Sibelius," by Miss Carroll, after which several poems were read by Mrs. M. C. Pleasants. At the close of the program a plate dinner was served by the hostess.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet next Tuesday afternoon, November 16th, at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. S. E. Berkeley and Miss Lynn Hall, the hostesses being Mesdames S. P. Boddie, J. W. Mann, S. B. Berkeley and Miss Lynn Hall.

1931 Red Cross Roll Call

However we may differ in other matters, in the activities and in support of the activities of the Red Cross we are a united people! Now we have the opportunity to help to make those activities possible.

The National Red Cross Roll Call for 1931 was launched Wednesday, November 11th. The campaign will continue through the 26th.

Your membership will aid in putting across all the projects of the Red Cross. Membership in the Red Cross is not a donation, but a real investment to relieve human suffering! The Annual Roll Call is open to every one, at \$1.00 per member. Fifty per cent of each membership fee remains in the County for the local chapter to carry on essential activities.

National Red Cross is possible only through individual memberships. Red Cross, humanity's helper, needs help, to answer its thousand upon thousand of calls.

In the recent drought the Red Cross administered relief in nearly one-third of all the counties in the United States. Through the Louisburg chapter, Franklin County was benefitted a thousand dollars, in money, seed, yeast and food. Through the Franklin chapter, separate from Louisburg, the National Red Cross also gave community relief. In past years, the County received National Red Cross aid following cyclone.

For a number of years the local chapter of Louisburg sponsored Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick instruction, conducted by National Red Cross nurse in Mills High School. A number of girls received certificates. This course gives wonderful training in practical nursing.

There is no organization, so well organized and so widely known in its activities as the Red Cross. While half of the membership fee remains in the county, the remainder serves humanity in this and other nations.

The volunteer workers and publicity matter distributed from Headquarters gain the victories in Red Cross membership drives.

Confidence in and pride in the organization brings to the locality a larger fund than possibly could be obtained otherwise. Organization leads to success. And that is what Red Cross has done. When the local campaigns begin, National Red Cross has more than prepared the way; it has paved the way, with its National and local speakers in advance of the campaign, with its marvelous posters, with its thousands of circulars, leaflets of instruction, buttons, tags, etc.

Red Cross service is constantly in demand. Franklin County needs its assistance. Memberships are needed in greater numbers than ever before. Let a membership be the answer.

Publicity Chairman.

Recorder's Court

Franklin Recorder's Court held a short but busy session on Monday morning when a number of cases were disposed of and others continued, as follows:

J. Make Bridgers was found not guilty of violating fishing law.

J. Make Bridgers was found guilty of violating prohibition law and was fined \$5.00 and costs. Appeal.

Otis Perry order of Court in assault case not complied with, required to pay one-half costs now and other by January 1st.

Roosevelt Harris given 60 days on roads for disturbing public worship.

Willis Williams, for operating automobile intoxicated, execution of jail sentence ordered.

Buck Mills plead guilty to a charge of drunk and disorderly and resisting an officer, and was given 60 days on roads.

Margaret Perry, was given 90 days on roads for larceny.

The following cases were continued:

Charles T. White, assault.

Crudup Davis, worthless check, capias and continued.

Willie Stallings, assault with deadly weapon.

Carl Pearce, operating automobile intoxicated.

R. B. Bryant, forcible trespass.

JUNIOR ORDER TO PRESENT BIBLE AND FLAG

Youngville Council No. 273 and Sandy Hill Council No. 263 will present a bible and flag to the Harris school, near New Hope, next Sunday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock. Several speakers will be present and a musical program will be part of the exercise, the flag will be raised while Al Hodges, Jr., a boy scout who has recently won honor as a bugler, will blow to the colors, every Junior is requested to be present. The public is cordially invited.

NOTED FROM NEW YORK

Miss Betty Holden and Mrs. Bertha Krueger returned from Amityville, Long Island, N. Y., to Youngville, N. C., where they were guests of Miss Holdens' mother for a week. Subscribe to The Franklin Times.

China Claims Japan Is On Offensive

Japanese troops in the Nonni bridge area in Manchuria have resumed their advance, and have bombed and shelled the retiring Chinese army, the Chinese government declared tonight in an urgent message to the League of Nations.

The message said the Japanese forces were twenty kilometers along the road to the Chinese-controlled town of Tientsin.

Girl students attending the Keen School at Tientsin, operated by American Methodist missionaries, were marched to the French concession yesterday to get them out of the danger zone.

Many of the students were in a state of collapse from fear and the rigors of the long march when they arrived. The Nankai school at Tientsin also was evacuated.

An unconfirmed report said Japan had issued an ultimatum demanding the removal of all Chinese soldiers from Tientsin. Negotiations between Chinese and Japanese were going on, it was authoritatively said, apparently on the basis of the substitution of a Chinese regime friendly to Japan.

Another Battle. Emperor Hirohito of Japan, ordered a fresh brigade of troops and four naval destroyers to Manchuria after word was received of a battle on a new front in which 300 Chinese and three Japanese were killed.

Japan's dead to date total 129; China's are estimated at 800 to 1,000.

In Nanking, 3,000 students paraded, demanding war with Japan. Martial law was declared in Hankow and Shanghai.

Repairs to the Nonni bridge should be completed before the end of the week, Mukden reported. Meanwhile, China continues massing troops in the vicinity.

Peiping report Japan's strength in the Nonni region was increased to 4,000 men, with 40 field guns, and 6,000 Chinese rebels, friendly to Japan, were near by.

London attached much importance to the fact that United States Ambassador Dawes and Sir John Simon, British foreign secretary, will attend the League of Nations council meeting on the Manchurian conflict in Paris November 16.

Secretary of State Stimson announced receipt of "a very conciliatory note" from Japan.

CHINA SAYS JAPANESE ON ADVANCE IN MANCHURIA

Geneva, Switzerland, Nov. 11.—Japan has resumed the offensive in the Nonni bridge area in Manchuria, China declared tonight in an urgent communication to the League of Nations.

The message said Japan's troops had advanced their lines and were 20 kilometers on the road to Tsitsihar.

The Chinese were retiring, the communication continued, under bomb attacks and shell fire from the Japanese forces.

JAPANESE CONTINUE WORK ON THE NONNI RIVER BRIDGE

Mukden, Manchuria, Nov. 11.—Repairs on the Nonni river bridge went steadily ahead today behind a screen of Japanese infantrymen, while the Chinese continued concentrating troops in the vicinity and pressed ahead with their work of strengthening the defenses of the walled city of Tsitsihar.

Japanese engineers estimated the bridge repairs would be completed by the end of the week. Japan has promised to withdraw all her troops as soon as the repairs are made.

STUDENTS LEAVE SCHOOLS IN TIENTSIN DANGER ZONE

Tientsin, China, Nov. 11.—The Keen School for Girls, operated by American Methodist missionaries and the Nankai school were evacuated today in fear of a renewal of the fighting that has kept Tientsin in uproar the last few days.

At the same time, troops of the British and French concessions set up an international military patrol on the neutral zone adjacent to the Japanese concessions.

At The Louisburg Theatre Next Week

The following is the program at the Louisburg Theatre, beginning Saturday, Nov. 14:
Saturday, Nov. 14—Tom Tyler as "The Man From Death Valley," also Chapter 3 "Mystery Trooper" and McG-M-M Comedy.
Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 16-17—Will Rogers in "Young as You Feel."
Wednesday, Nov. 18 (Bargain Day) William Haines, as "The New Wallflower" with Lolla Hyams.
Thursday and Friday, Nov. 19-20—Ina Clavin in "Rebound."
Saturday, Nov. 21—Tom Tyler as "A Rider of the Plains" also Chapter 4 "Mystery Trooper" and Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Comedy.

TOBACCO PRICES IMPROVING

ON LOUISBURG MARKET SINCE MONDAY

Biggest Sale of The Season on Last Monday—More Than Quarter Million Offered

Although the tobacco prices remain low a noticeable change for the better has been evidenced on the local market this week. It is understood that Monday brought the biggest offering of the season when more than a quarter of a million pounds of the bright leaf was on the market. Prices dropped some on this sale but gained a portion of the loss back before night, and has regained its position since.

Quite a large number of growers are selling in Louisburg this season and are satisfied that Louisburg prices compare very favorably with all other markets in the belt.

Louisburg extends a special invitation to all to visit here and sell here.

No Court Next Week

The FRANKLIN TIMES has been requested to announce that there will be no Court to convene in Louisburg on next Monday, November 16th, as Judge Small is unable to be present. Therefore the first week of the term is called off and no juror summoned for the first week need attend.

Court will convene on Monday, November 23rd and hold through the second week of the term.

HEALTH MEETING IN COURT HOUSE NOVEMBER 16TH

A Health meeting will be held at the Court House in Louisburg, Monday, November 16th, 8:00 o'clock p. m. The public is cordially invited, yea, urged to attend.

The speakers for this occasion will be Dr. J. M. Parrot, State Health Officer, Dr. P. P. McCain, Supt. of the N. C. Sanatorium for Tuberculosis, Dr. Herman Eason, Clinician of the State Sanatorium. Each of these speakers has a message of enlightenment in various phases of health work for this community.

Since so much information along health lines will be given out at this meeting, no person who can attend should fail to be present.

Dr. Parrot, one of the best speakers in the N. C. Medical Society, with his store of health information, always holds the interest of his audience.

Dr. McCain, among the most noted tuberculosis specialists in the United States will speak on the prevention and treatment of Tuberculosis.

Dr. Eason, an outstanding tubercular clinician from the State Sanatorium, has been in Franklin County a month, making a survey of tuberculosis among the school children. He will explain his work at the meeting.

Those who expect to attend the meeting may be assured of a most entertaining and instructive program. Remember the date, November 16th, 3.00 P. M., and let no other engagement interfere.

"LET GEORGE DO IT"

Raleigh, Nov. 11.—Pointing out that solving the South's cotton problems is very largely, or should be, a mutual problem of cotton producers, manufacturers, bankers, and business men, U. Benton Blalock, president of the American Cotton Cooperative Association, today scored these groups for lack of cooperation and said there was too great a willingness to "let George do it."

"There is a lack of the proper cooperation between these various groups and not the proper spirit of cooperation among individuals of the various groups," he declared.

"In fights for our protection and in efforts to broaden our markets there is too great a willingness to 'let George do it'."

Mr. Blalock added that if there is any one thing the people of the South should be united on it is on policies affecting the South's greatest industry—the production and manufacture of cotton.

As bases for his statement Mr. Blalock pointed to the recent blocking by the organized jute interests of the Postal Department's move to use cotton twine, and the present efforts being made by New England manufacturers to lower tariff on staple cottons.

"In creating our tariff schedules," Mr. Blalock said, "a little 'pop' was thrown to the Southern cotton producer in that he was given a little protection in the production of the longer staple cottons against importation of Egyptian, Peruvian, and other long staples. But, unless there is a united and strong effort made, even this little 'pop' will be taken away from us—and with it will go a certain amount of encouragement that has been given to us in the production of better staples."

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