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# To Sell Property

RELIEF ASSOCIATION

Commissioners Handle Many Matter Of Minor Importance At Meeting Monday-Usual Reports Received.

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session on Monday with all members being present. After reading and approving minutes of former meeting the Board disposed of matters as follows:

Referring to former minutes it was condend that recently the proceeds from the spice of

ordered that proceeds from the sale of road equipment of Cypress Creek township be applied to the debt ser-vice of that township.

W. R. Griffin was before the Board asking to be appointed Standard Keeper for Franklin County. The County Accountent was instructed to write Commissioner W. A. Graham for instructions as to the proper proceedings of the Board.

ceedure of the Board.
Claims of the Paramount Chemical Co., was order paid when funds were available.

Upon motion of Jones seconded by Speed it was ordered that jury tickets from the May term of Court be applied to the payment of taxes of those jurors who have not paid their taxes.

The County Accountant was order. ed to correct acreage of J. C. Aycock if found in error.

J. L. Palmer was advanced \$32.81

for service in tax suits. The County Accountant was ordered to segregate and value the Mrs. Mar-tha Davis estate, provided that all

heirs agree. J. M. Broughton and R. N. Simms, attorneys for Wake Forest and Mere-dith Colleges were before the Board asking that these colleges be exemptasking that these coneges be exempted from paying tax on the Hill Live Stock Co., building in the town of Louisburg, which is now owned by these Colleges. It was ordered that

this matter be held open for investi-gation by the County Attorney.

The bill of costs in the Dick Ayes-cue case from Granville County was held over to the next regular meet

Several members of the Tax Relief Association were before the Board with a petition asking that property le not advertised for tax until on or after Nov. 1, 1932. The petition was read by W. L. Lumpkin in the Court room before the Commissioners and an audience of citizens.

A motion by Jones seconded by Speed that the petition be granted was lost.

was lost.
On motion the County Accountant was ordered to correct the 1931 tax of W. G. Ball on 64 acres and allow a draw back for the error in 1932. On motion the bid on J. D. Alston on the Pattie Coppedge land was allowed to be transferred to the Coun-

The County Accountant reported collections as follows: 1931 tax \$11,-473.50; 1930 tax \$172.33; back taxes

Moss reported the Home in good condition.
T. S. Dean filed report for the Wel-

fare Department, which was received and filed. H. P. Speed filed report for the

Home Demonstration Department which was received and filed. The report of the Health Department was received and filed.

After allowing a number of ac-counts the Board adjourned to its next regular meeting.

### **Annual Inspection** Battery B.

The Annual Federal Inspection of Battery "B" 113th F. A. our docal National Guard unit, was held on Monday afternoon and night by Capt. Rumsey Campbell, U. S. Army, Battery "B" showed up well and this inspection was by far the best Federal Inspection ever put up by

our local battery.

Capt. Campbell was highly complimentary in his remarks with respect to the inspection and assured Capt. Griffin that his battery would

Quite a large number of officers attended the inspection and among them was Gen. J. V. B. Metts, the Adjutant General of North Carolina.

# **Bowie To Speak**

Hon. Tam C. Bowie, candidate for the U. S. Senate, will speak, to the voters of Franklin County on Wednesday, May 11th , 1932, at 2 o'clock m. All voters interested in the sues in this campaign are invited

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# May Day At Levy Additional For Taxes Louisburg College

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RECEIVE PETITION FROM TAX Exercise Conceded Best In Recollection Of The Large Crowd In At-

> The unusually gay and colorful May Day Pageant presented at Louisburg College on Wednesday afternoon, May 4th, opened with the "Grand March", played by the Wake Forest Band, and in which a great gathering of girls beautifully attired in evening gowns of every hue took part. Entering from the right, these participants marched in groups of two directly to the foot of the throne where they parted, the throne where they parted, marching single file, then round and round again in groups of two, four, and more. The march ended with the young ladies forming an aisle down which the royal procession approached the throne. They, as, a chorus, hailed the queen when she entered.

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> 'The royal processional was led by the pages Minnie Russell and Winnie Russell, who were followed by the Ladies of Court, in lovely evening gowns: Helen Browning, Ruth Cathey, Mildred Dozier, Sarah Hicks, Jane Gulley, Ruth Parker, Ellen Matthews and Hazel Allen, Miss Lydia Hartmann, as Sceptre bearer, preceded the maid of Honbearer, preceded the maid of Hon-or, Miss Nora Browning, who was dressed in a pretty evening dress of white net and lace. Little Miss Virginia Howard, in a frock of yellow and white, followed bearing the crown. Immediately preceding the May Queen, Little Misses Nancy Carlyle Griffin and Talmadge Thomas, in yellow , ad blue respectively, car-rying ba ts of roses, strew flowers in her path.

The lovely Queen, Miss Dorothy Duval, attired in a beautiful gown of white satin and train of white tulle, entered the court and grace-fully ascended the throne, where she was received by her attendants. Master Clyde McKee, in a little white suit served as her train bearer.

The crown was graciously presented to the Queen by the Maid of Honor, and the sceptre by Miss Hartmann, the bearer. The Queen accepted both with fitting words and invited everyone to join in their festival in welcoming the month of tival in welcoming the month of

The festival, as entertainment to The festival, as entertainment to the Queen, opened with a butterfly dance by Imogene Philips, Helen Tucker, Frances Ann Earle, Betsy Spivey, Jean Fleming, Betty Johnson, Jane Murphy and Elizabeth Egerton in costumes of yellow and orange with black spots on wings. Miss Ketherine Barbar entertained. Miss Katherine Barham entertained with a graceful flower dance; following which Misses Christine Mann, Isolene Wells and Evelyn Bradshaw, as clowns, and Miss Mildred Forte, as fairy, provoked much mirth and applause with their gymnastic stunts and dancing. Little Miss Jill Allen in a costume of green tulle presented a dance, Ballet Migonne. The Perry, the Tax Collector was instructed to advertise and sell property in accordance with law. ed to advertise and sell property in accordance with law.

The Superintendent of the County Streamers. The Sailor's Hornpipe Streamers. The Sailor's Hornpipe Streamers and gold, collisions to the colors of the by non-residence cleaning concerns and laundries, also for oil companies ceived and flied. He reports 16 white sies immediately preceded the Scart with bulk plants in Louisburg or within one mile of Louisburg. blue costume. An Old Fashion Dance was given by Misses Margaret Ram-sey, Katherine Barham, Laura V. Lupton and Mildred Forte in colon

The festival was concluded with a one-act play, "The Dream Lady" presented by the following char-acters: King, Beatrice Galloway; queen, Mary Wheless; prince, Joyce Price; Princess Fiametta, Louise Pratt; Astorre, Peggy Ford; Amellotte, Jean Fleming; Mignonne, Mildred Forte; Corsette, Helen Chand-

dred Forte; Corsette, Helen Chandler; Ninina, Mary Scott Gurley; Denina, Pearl Cavanaugh; page, Myrtle Mitchell; Dream Lady, Kathrine Barham.

The queen and members of her court left the throne to the recessional was played by the Wake Forest Band, who played at different intervals during the program.

The entertainment was given under the direction of Mrs. Hattle Mae Parker McKee. Teacher of Dramatics

Parker McKee, Teacher of Dramatics and Physical education. Musical accompaniment was played by Miss Dorothy Hurley.

A large number of out-of-town people were present and an immens crowd of local patrons and friends of the College attended.

ness session delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

TOWN TO TAKE OVER OAKWOOD CEMETERY

Bank Not Interested in Town's Account-Many Minor Matters Attended To.

The Board of Town Commissioners met in regular session May 3, 1932, with the following members present: A. W. Person, W. E. White, F. H. Allen, R. W. Smithwick, M. C. Murphy,

L. L. Joyner, Mayor, presided. Dr. R. F. Yarborough called the Poards attention to an unsanitary condition existing at the residence on Clifton Avenue, owned by Mrs. J. M. Allen. This unsanitary condition is caused by defective plumbing. The Board instructed Dr. Yarborough to write to Mrs. J. M. Allen, who is in Florida, and call her attention to the said unsanitary condition.

The minutes of the previous meet-

ing were read and approved.

The monthly reports of the Town Clerk, Tax Collector, and Chief of Police were read and approved.

Mr. White advised the Board that the Citizens Bank & Trust Co., of Henderson, N. C., had informed him that they would not be interested in providing banking facilities for the Town of Louisburg, N. C., unless substantial Sinking Funds were kept

on deposit.

Mr. White informed the Board that the Episcopal Church of Louisburg formerly owned the Oakwood Cemetery and had formerly turned it over to the Betterment Association with the understanding that the Bet-erment Association would be given a deed to the Cemetery, provided the cemetery were kept in good condition; and that the Town of Louisburg could secure a deed to the cemetery provided the Town would keep it in good order. This matter was disposed of as follows:

"That the Town of Louisburg secure the ownership of Oakwood Cemetery, under proper legal pro-cedure, and maintain the Cemetery in good condition." This motion was carried.

The Board ruled to allow the ac-

count of Dr. H. G. Perry, for pro-fessional services rendered to the Town employees, in amount of \$86.00, to apply on his Town Taxes.

The Board authorized the Tax Collector to make a tax refund of \$2.10 to S. C. Foster, on his 1931 taxes, to rectify an error in addition of \$100.00 on the tax abstract of

The Board authorized the Tax Collector to credit Estella Hill with a \$5.00 Partial Payment Tax Receipt, which she holds in her possession, and with which the records show she was not credited, by the

former Town Clerk.

The Board instructed the Tax Collector to accept School Teachers Vouchers as payment on Town Taxes. The Clerk was authorized to pur-chase 4,000 first class stamped

windowed envelopes.

The Board passed ordinances re-

A petition relative to the post-ponement of the sale of land for After allowing a number of ac-

### Glee Club Concert

ounts the Board adjourned.

On Friday evening, May 13, at 8:00, the Louisburg College Glee Club will present its annual spring concert in the Social Hall at the College, under the direction of Mrs. Theo Wooten McCullers. Miss Jane Gulley will be the accompanist and Mr. Ward Wilcox, basso, will be soloist for the occasion.

This will be the third public per-formance of the year by the entire Glee Club tho different groups have given programs for local organizations and at various high schools in the eastern section of the State.

This is the first Glee Club concert to be given in the College parlors since the auditorium was distroyed by fire a number of years ago, and the public is cordially in-vited.

## Fire Destroys Barn

Class Meets

The Voda Vita class of the Louisburg Baptist Sunday School held its regular monthly business meeting at the home of Miss Marie Meade Monday evening, May 2, at 8 o'clock. After the devotional the business matters of the class were discussed and plans for further development outlined.

Immediately following the business session delicious refreshments.

The large stock barn belonging to Mrs. J. M. Allen located just back of her residence on North Main Street was destroyed by fire about 1 o'clock yesterday morning, together with its contents and three nice mules. The fire had gained such headway when the firemen arrived it was beyond the possibility of saving it. The barn was the one in which Mr. J. M. Allen ended his loss has not been determined. It is understood the property was insured.

Idle curiosity needs deflation.

# Maxwell Speaks Privilege Taxes To Franklin Voters

Outlines His Platform For Governor-Introduced by W. W. Neal

Allen J. Maxwell, candidate for Governor for North Carolina addressed a large number of citizens in the Court house in Louisburg, on Monday at 1:30 o'clock, setting before the voters of Franklin County his platform and emphasizing that he became a candidate for governor because he wanted to present some important issues to the people of North Carolina. He stated that he was free from any obligation and independent of any political machine.

In beginning his address he made answer to several criticisms made of him by his opponent, Ehringhaus. He stated that he had been largely responsible for the removal of state tax from property since 1921. He listed the issues upon which the three candidates for governor agree which were that the next legislature should assume the administration of the schools of the state for the six months term without tax on proper-ty, a genuine revaluation of real estate, creation of no new bureaus, against the short ballot, loyalty to the principal of local self-government.

Maxwell gave as his advocations other than the above as the prevention of any member of the General Assembly being appointed to any office created by the General Assembly or an office in which the salary has been increased by the General As-sembly, povision of protection for the depositors in the Banks in North Carolina, state-wide systems of ren-tal of school books, reduction of the cost of government, abandonment of the idea of building a new state prison, and the employment of the prisoners for their keep. In conclusion Mr. Maxwell stated

that he did not think there should be radical change in the cost and make-up of government as to adjust it to the bottom of the curve of depression but that it should be adjusted to reach a "happy me-dium". He desires a reasonable adjustment made so that there will be maintained efficient, capable and

adequate governmental service.

Mr. Maxwell was welcomed by Mr. E. H. Malone, chairman of the Democratic Executive committee of Franklin County, and was intro-duced by Mr. W. W. Neal, President of the Franklin County Tax Relief Association.

Preceding the introduction of the speaker, Mr. W. L. Lumpkin read to the audience a petition made to the county commissioners asking for the continuance of tax sales until November, it being signed by a committee of Messrs. W. W. Neal and J. H. Fuller

#### Re-Union At Justice

The annual Confederate Re-Union will be held at Justice on Tues-day, May 10th, 1932. The occasion this year will be an all day affair present and take part in the program and every body, especially every old Confederate veteran, is invited to attend.

#### Barbecue Supper

The TIMES is requested to an nounce that a barbecue supper will be held at Seven Oaks Dairy, near Katesville, on Friday evening, May 13th, from 6 to 9 o'clock. Tickets for supper will be sold and the pro-ceeds will be given to Ebeneezer Church and used to put a new top on same. All are invited to go out.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express to my friends and neighbors my thanks for the kindness and sympathy rendered during the illness and death of my dear mother.

WALTER J. PERRY.

Fifty-six Durham County farmer

sold \$271.88 worth of surplus produce on the curb market last Satur SALE

FRANKLIN COUNTY MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION TO MEET

The officers, chairmen and members of all Committees of the Franklin County Memorial the Franklin County Memorial
Association and any person interested are invited and asked
to meet in the Board of Education rooms in Louisburg on
Tnesday afternoon, May 10th,
at 8:80 o'clock for the purpose
of electing officers for the ensuing year and arranging to observe Memorial Day this year.

E. D. BEST, President.
Mrs. H. W. Perry, Secretary.

# Dr. Wilcox Speaks At Epsom

Dr. A. D. Wilcox, President of Louisburg College, preached the Baccalaureate sermon to a large au-dience in the Epsom High School auditorium yesterday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

The exercise began with the pro-cessional. The Seniors came in from the rear of the auditorium followed by the Juniors, who will soon take their places. The Seniors, who are using cotton dresses in all the commencement exercises, were attractively dressed in rainbow colors.

Dr. Wilcox took the building, which we see with our eyes, and showed how character was the fundemental qualification which could make any building either a palace, a house, or a hovel. He pictured how the building, as it is today, is the product of material plus mind, thus giving credit to the minds of the people of the past who made possible the opportunities of today.

In conclusion, Dr. Wilcox showed that all educational systems can do is to furnish the tools, and each individual must train himself. He suggested that the graduating class continue their education, either in schools of higher learning, or through

Mr. George H. Cooper, one of Franklin County's most prominent citizens, died at his home on Kenmore Ave., Louisburg, Monday morning, May 2, at 4:15 o'clock. He had been sick for about two weeks, his illness having developed into pneumonia last week.

Mr. Cooper, who was near 75 years of age, leaves his wife and two children, Mr. G. B. Cooper of Ra-leigh, and Mrs. W. R. Dean of Route 4, Louisburg. He also leaves three grandchildren.

Mr. Cooper has lead an active life in the interest of his community having served several years as Town Commissioner, being a leading member of the Louisburg Baptist Church and also a deacon of the church, and having served his county as Representative in the General Assembly of North Carolina in 1923 and during the special session of 1924. He was also a member of the Masonic Lodge.

Mr. Cooper came to Louisburg about 1890 and engaged in the Mer-cantile business with Col. Jones, later with M. C. Pleasants and by himself, later becoming interested in the manufacture of wagons came in possession of the Louisburg Wagon Company, which he was operating together with a lumber business at

the time of his death. The funeral services were held from the Louisburg Baptist Church at three o'clock Tuesday afternoon, being conducted by Rev. D. P. Harris, pastor of the Louisburg Baptist church, and Rev. C. B. Howard of Youngsville, and G. W. May, of Cen-

The pall bearers were as follows: bitt, F. H. Allen, W. E. Bartholo-mew, Q. S. Leonard, Jurdan Toone, C. P. Harris, S. J. Parham, J. P. Timberlake, P. B. Griffin, K. K. Al-Sherrod, J. B. Jones, S. P. Burt, M. C. Pleasants, W. H. Allen, W. H. Yarborough, Spencer Dean, T. J. Jeffreys, W. W. Shearin, S. B. Nash, N. M. Perry, W. W. Webb, A. F. Johnson, F. W. Justice, F. M. Fuller.

BABIES FOR ADOPTION

The Children's Home Society of N. C., Inc., of Greensboro, has the following babies for adoption during the month of May: 3 boys age 6 months, 4 boys age 12 months, 2 boys age 8 months, 1 girl age 24 months, 1 girl age 24 months, 1 girl age 4 months. Interested parties are invited to make applications for these bables.

### Facts About Tax Rates

It will be interesting to the many readers of THE FRANKLIN TIMES to know how the tax rates for Franklin County compare. In addi-tion to giving the County rate we are also giving the local rates for Louisburg township. Read them,

ij	compa	compare them and study them:				
ď	Year	Co.	School	Road	total	
š	1931	1.12	51	25	1.88	
g	1930	1.33	51	30	2.14	
ğ	1929	1.18	52	27	1.97	
g	1928	1.20	75	43	2.38	
9	1927	1.21	75	50	2.46	
	1926	1.23	75	50	2.48	
	1925	1.11	75	. 50	2.36	
	1924	1.20	53 h	36	2.09	
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# Rev. D. P. Harris Addresses Graduates

Mills High School Closed Thursday With Usual Formalities, and Big Crowds in Attendance.

The closing exercises at Mills High School, Louisburg, were held Thurs-day night, April 28, at eight o'clock, and was attended by one of the largest and most attentive audiences to

gather at such an occasion.

The Graduating Class, composed of eighteen members, were ushered down the aisle, through arches of dogwood held by the sophomore girls attired in dresses of green who sang a song to the Seniors, and on to the stage by the chief marshal, Jack Rouse. They were followed by the guests and officials.

In the absence of Prof. W. R. Taylor, who was to have given the address, Rev. D. P. Harris, pastor of the Louisburg Baptist Church, addressed the graduating class and audience in a speech full of wisdom, enthusiasm and beautiful thought on "A Righteous Posterity". As in-troduction, Rev. Harris asked the question, "What are our schools for?", and in turn gave answer that they were for the good of our child-Mr. G. H. Cooper Dead ren, for the betterment of humanity and the training of our land. Also, he stated that everything is prepared for the birth of a little one into this world and added that it was still more important that everything be prepared for its development and growth throughout life.

Upon delving into his main theme, "A Righteous Posterity", he re-marked that a righteous posterity is the greatest gift we can make to this world. Such gift, he said, guarantees our freedom, although that freedom depends upon the world in termined by the ideas and ideals of the boys and girls and the people in it. It guarantees the purporting of our schools; and here, he asked it is the people hate to pay a little tax to have good schools and the best teachers for their children. Making examples of Rome and the Papacy and Germany and her mili-tarism before the war, he said that they realized that when they governed the schools they governed everything. Too, this righteous posterity seeks a true happiness, which comes upon development through self-searching and self-forming. It gives courage and the possibility of being

somebody.

In closing, Rev. Harris reminded his audience that youth has a life full of ambitions and that these ambitions must be guided for a righteous posterity for a true happiness. Do our schools give us a righteous posterity and it a true happiness? His warning was that this world is a poor place to get riches, a poor place to find happiness, a poor place to get fame, but it is a great place

to build character.

The exercises were opened by the verse of America being sung by the audience, followed by a prayer by this year will be an all day affair the pair bearers were as follows: audience, followed by a prayer by with dinner served on the grounds. Everybody is requested to bring a basket. Prominent speakers will be the pair bearers were as follows: audience, followed by a prayer by Mc. Stamps, H. C. Taylor, W. B. burg Methodist Church. The exertices the prominent speakers will be the pair bearers were as follows: audience, followed by a prayer by Mc. Stamps, H. C. Taylor, W. B. burg Methodist Church. The exertices the pair bearers were as follows: audience, followed by a prayer by Mc. Stamps, H. C. Taylor, W. B. burg Methodist Church. The exertices the pair bearers were as follows: audience, followed by a prayer by Mc. Stamps, H. C. Taylor, W. B. burg Methodist Church. erett, W. R. Mills, F. W. Wheless, sor W. R. Mills, superintendent of W. J. Cooper; Honorary—W. N. Mills High School. The speaker was Fuller, J. W. Weaver, S. T. Wilder, L. P. Hicks, E. L. Best, R. B. Bobperintendent of the Public Schools of Franklin County.

> Professor Mills awarded the Citizenship medal given by the S. A. R. to a student of the Seventh Grade to Miss Edith Harris. Certificates of promotion from the Seventh grade into high school were presented to students by Prof. Mills as follows: Elizabeth Person, Miriam Downey, Wayne Simmons, Richard Wayne Simmons, Richard Yar-borough, Gertrude Foster, Adele Holmes, Robert Peoples, Fisher Beasley, William Aycock, Gaham Prince, William W. Ragland, Alma Lee Shearin, Sudie Toone, Bernard Ivey, Edith Harris, Janet Hayes, Eugenia May, Rose Malone, Beverly Shearin, Sophia Spivey, Wm. A. Jones, Jr., David Collier, Charles Gattis, McKinne Pearce. Also, perfect attendance certifi-

cates went to the following: Eleanor Beasley, Frances Anne Earle, Evelyn Johnson Smithwick, Thomas Eaton Holden, Juanita Hall, Ernes-tine McFarland, Rebecca Toone, Gaither Beam, Jr., Robert Ingram, James Shearin, Margaret Wiggins, Jennie Cheatham Alston, Irma Grif-fin, Virginia Spivey, Viola Alston, Marie Hilton, Helen Peoples, Wm. T. Person, James Edwards, Karl Al-len, Glenn Beasley, Shirley Downey, Hugh Perry, Jr., Martha Holden, Joe Macon Beasley, Wilson Vaughan, Mary Helen Gordon, Estelle Hunt, Marion Matthews, Wm. A. Jones, Jr., William W. Ragland, Richard Yarborough, Mildred Matthews, Beverly Shearin, Sudie Toone, Robert Peoples, William Lee Beasley, Thomas Wheless, Athlea Boone, Ma-mie Davis Beam, Mary Fuller Beas-ley, Dorothy Foster, Gertrude Hold-

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