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## FIRST COMMUNITY FAIR

Louisburg School District  
To Present Its First Fair  
Today—Great Promise of  
Exhibits and Special Fea-  
tures

The first Community Fair at  
Louisburg will start Friday morn-  
ing at eleven o'clock. At that  
hour the Better Babies Contest  
will take place.  
At twelve o'clock the parade  
will start, with all of the pupils  
at the Graded School taking part.  
The parade will proceed from the  
school down College Street to  
Church Street, then down Church  
Street to Nash Street, returning  
up Main Street to the school.  
Lunch will be ready as soon as  
the parade is over. This will be  
followed by a contest to select the  
boy and girl with the most freck-  
les, the boy and girl with the red-  
dest head, the boy and girl with  
the whitest head, and the fattest  
boy and girl.  
At three o'clock a Fashion  
Show will be held. Music will be

**PROGRAM**  
**LOUISBURG COMMUNITY FAIR**  
October 20, 1933

Better Babies Contest	11:00 A. M.
Parade	12:00 M.
Lunch	1:00 P. M.
"Freckles"	
Contest	2:00 P. M.
Fashion Show	3:00 P. M.
Classroom Exhibits	3:45 P. M.
Chump vs. Chump	
Divorce Trial	8:00 P. M.

furnished by the College Orches-  
tra. Girls from the Home Eco-  
nomic classes at the College and  
High School will model dresses  
furnished by local dealers.  
Following the fashion show, the  
class rooms will be thrown open  
for inspection by the public.  
Samples of work done by the pu-  
pils will be on display.  
Exhibits of crops, fruits, can-  
ning, cooking, sewing, etc., will  
be placed in the gymnasium. Live-  
stock will be shown in the yard.  
The agriculture teachers of the  
county will act as judges for the  
crops and livestock. Local doc-  
tors will judge the babies. Miss  
Ann B. Priest, Home Demonstra-  
tion Agent, Miss Eunice Butts,  
Home Economics teacher, and  
Miss Sara Fussell, Home Econo-  
mics teacher at Franklin, are  
the judges for the cooking, can-  
ning and sewing exhibits. No  
cash prizes will be awarded, but  
exhibits are to be placed accord-  
ing to merit.  
At eight o'clock the divorce  
trial of Chump versus Chump,  
alias Ed Bartholomew and Baldy  
Wilson, will be held. This prom-  
ises to furnish much amusement  
for everybody.

### Student Recitals

Friday afternoon, October 27, at  
five o'clock will mark the begin-  
ning of the series of student re-  
citals to be held by the Fine Arts  
Department of Louisburg College.  
Students of the College and the  
people of the town of Louisburg  
are cordially invited to attend these  
recitals which will be held in the  
College social hall on the last Fri-  
day afternoon of each month.  
Mrs. McCullers, head of the mu-  
sic department and teacher of  
voice; Mr. Frank, teacher of pi-  
ano; and Miss Kinsland, of the  
department of spoken English and  
Dramatic Art have been working  
on a plan of programs which will  
add interest, unity, and variety to  
these "less than an hour" perfor-  
mances. With the very cooperative  
spirit now existing in the Fine  
Arts Department it is offering not  
only its best to its students but  
is also filling a most valuable and  
definite place in the life of the  
college and town.

The program on next Friday will  
consist of vocal and piano numbers  
from the music department, and  
a one-act sketch from the depart-  
ment of dramatic art.  
You are invited to enjoy your  
hour from five to six on Friday  
afternoon with the college folk.

### Baraca - Philathea Convention

The Baraca-Philathea Convention  
of Franklin County will meet at  
Bunn Baptist Church the 1st Sun-  
day in November, 1933. All class-  
es are urged to send representa-  
tives.

### Mr. G. M. Perry Dead

Mr. G. Marvin Perry, a well  
known tobacco warehouseman, died  
at the Community hospital Sunday  
evening at 7 o'clock following a  
short illness. He was 56 years of  
age and besides his wife, is sur-  
vived by six sisters, Mrs. High-  
smith and Mrs. Mozella Allen,  
of Durham, Mrs. R. D. Black-  
burn, of Selma, Mrs. Mamie Davis  
and Mrs. Jennie Moore, of Burling-  
ton and Mrs. R. D. Mooney of Cher-  
ryville.  
Mr. Perry has been connected  
with the tobacco sales warehouses  
in Franklin County practically all  
his life, being active and promi-  
nent on the Youngsville market  
until it closed, then coming to  
Louisburg where he has been iden-  
tified with the same work here.  
He had won much commendation  
for his ability. He was a Metho-  
dist and believed strongly in the  
teachings of his church.  
He had been in declining health  
for a good while.  
The body was taken to Youngs-  
ville where the funeral services  
were held, conducted by Rev. O.  
F. Fitzgerald and the interment  
was made in the Youngsville cem-  
etery. The services were largely  
attended.  
The pallbearers were his tobacco  
associates, Ricks Pearce, S. M.  
Washington, Napier Williamson,  
Cary Howard, Sam Meadows, G. C.  
Harris, C. W. Lea, George Ford,  
W. E. White, Jr.  
The floral tribute was very pret-  
ty.

### Gold Sand Community Fair

The following program for the  
Gold Sand Community Fair will  
be presented in the high school  
auditorium at Gold Sand Friday  
morning, October 27, at 10  
o'clock:  
Song—America.  
Prayer—Rev. G. W. May.  
Announcements—W. O. Reed.  
Student Activities:  
1. Athletics—A student.  
2. Societies—Presidents.  
3. Publications—Editor.  
4. Transportation—Thomas  
Denton.  
5. Attendance—A student.  
A Word of Greeting:  
1. School Board—Chairman.  
2. Parent-Teachers Association  
—President.  
3. Junior Order U. A. M.—A  
representative.  
4. Womans Club—President.  
Selection—Glee Club.  
Address—Speaker to be select-  
ed.  
Selection—Glee Club.  
Dismissal—Rev. J. H. Harper.  
The public is cordially invited  
to attend this program.  
The County High School League  
baseball finals will be played  
off on the Gold Sand diamond in  
the afternoon.  
The "Noble Outcast" a three  
act comedy drama will be pre-  
sented in the auditorium at 8:30  
o'clock that night.

### Mid-Night Show

As will be seen from their ad  
in another column in this issue  
the Louisburg Theatre is an-  
nouncing a mid-night show for  
Sunday night, Oct. 22nd, with the  
picture "International House"  
featuring such stars as Peggie  
Hopkins Joyce, Burns and Allen,  
W. C. Fields, Rudy Valee, Bing  
Crosby and Cab Calloway. This  
popular movie house is giving its  
patrons the cream of pictures and  
deserve your patronage. Look  
up their ad in this issue.

### Visits Fair

Fifty four students of Voca-  
tional Agriculture from Edward  
Best and Mills High Schools at-  
tended the State Fair Friday ac-  
companied by their teacher, Mr.  
J. B. Litchfield. The boys went  
in a large truck and visited ex-  
hibits during the morning. They  
stayed over until after the fire-  
works at night.

### Minstrel at Justice

Come to the "Negro Minstrel"  
to be presented at the Justice  
schoolhouse on Thursday night,  
Oct. 26, at 7:30 by the commu-  
nity.  
A group of funny black faces  
and dancing chorus girls will en-  
tertain you.

### Heads Credit Plan



Mr. Henry Bruere, (above), Presi-  
dent of the Bowery Saving Bank of  
N. Y., is the man selected by Presi-  
dent Roosevelt to head the govern-  
ment's plan to expand credits and  
loosen cash into trade channels of  
the country.

### CLYDE HOEY TO SPEAK AT RALEIGH

Raleigh, Oct. 18.—W. Tolman  
Shaw, Wake County chairman  
United Dry Forces, is visiting  
every township in the county and  
every precinct in the city with  
circulars announcing that Hon.  
Clyde R. Hoey of Shelby will  
speak in Raleigh, in the City Mem-  
orial Auditorium, Sunday after-  
noon, October 22, at 3 o'clock;  
subject: Temperance and Prohibi-  
tion.  
Mr. Shaw is having the speak-  
ing announced in every church  
and Sunday School in the county,  
and circulars are being sent to  
all adjoining counties. Mr. Shaw,  
county chairman, and Mr. Bur-  
gess, State Campaign Direc-  
tor of the United Dry Forces are  
making definite plans for the  
meeting which will be of state  
wide significance, as Mr. Hoey,  
having been asked for by five  
hundred places, cannot speak ev-  
ery where, and many who other-  
wise could not hear him, are com-  
ing to Raleigh, for this occasion.

### NOT IN CHARGE

In last week's Times it was  
stated that Mr. Ayon F. Sharpe  
had come to Franklin County to  
take over the relief work. This  
was stated without a full explana-  
tion of the work Mr. Sharpe was  
to do and we are publishing be-  
low a statement from Mr. Sharpe  
making his work a little more  
clear:  
"This article is written to cor-  
rect a mistake which appeared in  
last week's issue stating that I  
would have charge of the Feder-  
al Relief in this County. I will  
be working in this county for  
three days a week as a social  
case worker under the direction  
of Mrs. Mitchiner. The other  
three days I will be in Chapel  
Hill training for the work. The  
State started a training course in  
social work this term at Chapel  
Hill with a class of thirty-five  
who work in the relief work in  
the various counties in the State,  
for three days a week. It is the  
plan for them to remain in the  
counties where they take their  
training as full time social cases  
workers after the three months  
training period is completed."

### LOUISBURG METHODIST CHURCH

Preaching service at eleven  
o'clock with the theme "The Folly  
of War," and Sunday evening at  
7:30 the subject will be "The  
Spirit of Neighborly Kindness."  
Sunday School 9:45. Epworth  
League Sunday evening 7 o'clock.  
Prayer service Wednesday eve-  
ning at 7:30.  
"OCTOBER IS TITHE MONTH"  
Come worship the Lord, and  
bring your tithe.

### ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Services for St. Paul's Episco-  
pal Church Sunday are as follows:  
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Prayer and Sermon,  
"What is Faith," 11:00.  
Young People's Service League,  
7:30 p. m.  
The Regional Meeting will be  
held in Henderson this Friday  
evening, at 7:30 p. m. It is for  
both men and women and we are  
hoping a good representation will  
attend. No supper will be served.

## COMPLETE PLANS ADVANCES ON COTTON

Commodity Credit Corpora-  
tion To Lend 10 Cents;  
Seek to Peg Price at Ten-  
Cent Level; However,  
Price Pegging Plan Hinges  
Upon Acreage Reduc-  
tion

Washington, Oct. 17.—Stepping  
to the aid of the cotton farmers,  
the administration today organ-  
ized the Commodity Credit Corpora-  
tion and made \$250,000,000 of  
Reconstruction Finance Corpora-  
tion funds available to bring the  
price of cotton to 10 cents a  
pound for low middling and bet-  
ter.  
Conservative official estimates  
placed the enhancement in value  
of cotton still in producers' hands  
at about \$30,000,000 based on  
yesterday's quotations.  
Under the plan, the govern-  
ment will lend 10 cents a pound  
to farmers who still have their  
cotton, if it is low middling and  
better in grade and 7-8 inch or  
better in staple. Loans of eight  
cents will be made on low mid-  
dling or better cotton of less than  
7-8 in staple. No loans will be  
made on cotton classing below  
low middling.  
The money is to be loaned at  
four per cent interest to farmers  
who agree to participate in the  
acreage curtailment agreement.  
The notes mature on July 1, 1934,  
or are callable when the price of  
middling seven-eighths spot cot-  
ton reaches 15 cents a pound on  
the New Orleans exchange.

More than a million note forms  
and loan agreements will be sent  
out before the end of this week  
to county agents and lending  
agencies of the Reconstruction  
Corporation at Federal Reserve  
Bank and branch points in the  
South. Loans may be negotiated  
directly with lending agencies of  
the R. F. C., or through brokers,  
merchants, warehousemen, Co-  
operative associations, banks and  
other lending agencies.

Loans will be made only on cot-  
ton delivered by the producers at  
warehouses. Producers will be  
permitted to select any acceptable  
warehouse, but no allowance will  
be made for freight and no differ-  
ence in valuation will be made  
because of the location of the  
warehouse. Producers who have  
already stored cotton and hold  
warehouse receipts may procure  
loans. Warehouses that have  
state licenses or approval of the  
R. F. C., district agency are qual-  
ified under the rules of the cor-  
poration.  
Warehousemen were "advised  
to communicate with the loan  
agency of the Reconstruction Fi-  
nance Corporation as to unlicen-  
sed warehouses and approval will  
either be given by letter or pub-  
lication of the list of approved  
warehouses."  
Without Recourse  
The board's statement disclosed  
that the loans would be made  
"without recourse" upon the  
maker or any other endorses,  
making the cotton stand for it-  
self at 10 cent a pound.  
A banker or warehouseman who  
has collateralized cotton may pass  
his loan along to the government  
without recourse upon himself if  
the note is defaulted next July  
and the government has to take  
the cotton in.

Secretary Wallace has explained  
that the difference between the  
pegging operations of the  
Federal Farm Board, abolished  
by Congress, and the Commodity  
Credit Corporation was that the  
credit corporation's operations  
would be tied in with the farm  
administration. The farm board  
had no control over production.  
Ginnings up to October 1 had  
reached 6,000,000 bales and the  
estimated yield was 12,800,000.  
A great deal of cotton has been  
sold since October 1, officials said,  
and they regarded it as highly  
improbable that much more than  
6,000,000 bales remained in the  
hands of the growers.  
December cotton was quoted  
today in New Orleans at 9 1/2  
cents. The loan operation jump-  
ed the value of staple still in the  
hands of producers by almost a  
cent.  
The cotton that has already  
passed out of the grower's hands  
and the 8,000,000 bales of carry-  
over cotton were not directly af-  
fected by the credit operation, ex-  
cept insofar as withholding 6-  
000,000 bales from the market

### National Commander



Edward Hayes, of Decatur, Ill., is  
the National Commander of the  
American Legion, elected at the  
Chicago reunion. He was in the navy,  
stationed mostly at the Great Lakes  
Naval Training Station as a court  
reporter in court martials.

would increase their price.  
Cotton farmers are now receiv-  
ing the last of checks for \$111,  
000,000 for curtailing their acre-  
age during this year and officials  
estimated they would receive ap-  
proximately \$90,000,000 for acre-  
age reductions for next year.  
In some official circles it was  
also regarded as likely that the  
relief administration would short-  
ly announce a plan of cotton pur-  
chases for relief purposes for the  
winter.

### Cotton Checks

Mr. G. L. Winchester, voca-  
tional teacher in charge of the cot-  
ton acreage reduction campaign  
in Franklin County, makes the  
following announcement about  
the checks:  
Cotton checks are being given  
out during banking hours at The  
First Citizens Bank and Trust  
Co., in Louisburg on Tuesday,  
Thursday and Saturday of each  
week at Franklin High School  
Monday, Wednesday and Friday.  
It is necessary that the producer  
appear in person to sign for his  
check. You will aid very much  
if you will call as early as pos-  
sible after you receive your no-  
tice, stating that your check has  
arrived. The administration has  
asked that we return all checks  
not called for in two weeks after  
receiving them. You will also  
help in locating your check if you  
will bring the card announcing  
the arrival of your check. Many  
checks are being held up on ac-  
count of some minor correction.  
Options will be mailed to you  
sometime by November 1 and you  
may sell at anytime you wish  
provided cotton is 9 1/2 cents or  
more. These options are not  
transferable. Many have asked  
about applying it on their govern-  
ment loan. You cannot assign it  
to the department as it will  
still be in your name. You will  
have to sell it and the money will  
come to you. Instructions will  
come with the option.

### Big Square Dance

Friday night, October 27th there  
will be a Big Square Dance in the  
Union Warehouse at Louisburg,  
sponsored by Messrs. Sam Pearce  
and Edward Stovall. Music will  
be furnished by Reginald's Ten-  
Piece Band. There will be round  
dancing between sets. Everyone  
come from 9 p. m. 'til 1 p. m.

### Federal Court Jurors

The following have been drawn  
as Jurors to the Federal Court  
at Raleigh, Criminal term, be-  
ginning November 6th:  
W. E. Roe, Louisburg, R. 6.  
A. Y. Allen, Youngsville.  
June Perry, Bunn.  
W. W. Davis, Franklin, R. 3.  
J. A. Williams, Youngsville.  
C. C. Pippin, Zebulon, R. 2.  
J. A. Cash, Louisburg, R. 3.

### LOUISBURG BAPTIST CHURCH

At the Louisburg Baptist  
Church Sunday there will be the  
following services:  
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.  
Preaching—11 a. m. and 7:30  
p. m.  
B. Y. P. U. meetings, Junior,  
Intermediate and Senior, 6:30 p.  
m.  
On Wednesday night at 7:30  
the usual Prayer Meeting.

## R. L. HARRIS ACQUITTED

GARRET MASSENBURG  
GIVEN 18 MONTHS

Franklin Superior Court In-  
Session; Regular October  
Criminal Court; Judge W.  
C. Harris Presiding; Mes-  
srs. E. H. Malone and E.  
F. Griffin Assisting Solic-  
itor Little

The regular October term of  
Franklin Superior Court convened  
in Louisburg Monday morning  
with Hon. W. C. Harris, of Ral-  
eigh, presiding and Solicitor J.  
C. Little representing the State  
in the prosecutions. This is a  
Criminal term and while no  
large number of cases have been  
disposed of quite a bit of work  
has been accomplished. In his  
charge to the Grand Jury, which  
is conceded to be the best heard  
here in many terms, Judge Har-  
ris said: "We need closer co-  
operation between the people and  
the Courts. You can have the  
best officers in the world, but un-  
less the people of a community  
want law enforcement and stand  
behind it, the law will not be  
enforced. There is more reason  
now than ever before for the  
courts to stand up and merit the  
confidence of the people; and the  
only way for this to be brought  
about is through co-operation."  
In explaining the duties of the  
grand jurors he laid particular  
stress upon their duty to make  
investigations of all departments  
and to report any irregularities.  
The grand jury is composed of  
the following gentlemen: Phil R.  
Innes, Foreman; J. E. Rogers,  
W. S. Boone, F. E. Frazier, Geo.  
W. Nelms, W. S. Hocutt, C. F.  
Best, Leonard Husketh, J. W.  
Blackley, C. L. Wheelless, B. T.  
Boone, J. R. Earle, Jr., F. E.  
Tharrington, T. W. Cooke, J. M.  
Wildler, J. N. Tharrington, Ed  
Meerritt, T. S. Wilder. H. F.  
Perry was sworn in as officer to  
the grand jury. The grand jury  
occupied their new quarters over  
Andrew's Drug Store.  
The docket was then taken up  
and disposed of as follows:  
Charge of disorderly conduct and giv-  
ing 4 months on roads.  
R. L. Harris was acquitted of a  
charge of manslaughter.  
Robert E. Perry tendered a  
plea of nolo contendere to a  
charge of non-support and was  
given six months on roads, to be  
suspended on the condition that  
he pay to the benefit of his chil-  
dren one-third of his weekly  
wages.  
Vance Medlin was found guilty  
of housebreaking and larceny and  
given 6 months on roads. Zollie  
King, in the same indictment  
was found not guilty.  
Garret Massenbourg was found  
guilty of housebreaking and lar-  
ceny in two cases and given 18  
months on roads in each case to  
run concurrently.  
S. C. Holden under charge of  
embezzlement tendered a plea of  
guilty of violating section 4385  
C. S. for failure to make, file and  
publish proper reports and for  
failure to demand and collect fees  
for papers filed and recorded in  
his office, prayer for judgment  
continued until May term 1934  
upon condition that he by that  
time pay to the County the sum  
of \$350 and the costs of this ac-  
tion.  
Solicitor Little having to return  
to Raleigh Wednesday night due  
to urgent legal matters being  
heard in Wake, Messrs. E. H. Mal-  
one and E. F. Griffin assumed  
the prosecution of the docket in  
his stead.

### 44 Years On Job

Mrs. Ada B. Nafew, is one of the  
oldest postmasters, in point of  
service, in the country. She has served  
continuously at Eatontown, N. J. for  
44 years.

## TOBACCO PRICES ADVANCE

Louisburg Market Making  
Big Sales For Many Sat-  
isfied Growers

The past week has been a very  
satisfactory and encouraging week  
on the Louisburg tobacco mar-  
ket. The quantity sold while  
not blocking the sales has been  
sufficiently large to create much  
interest and yet not large enough  
to depress the prices, with the re-  
sult that exceptionally satisfac-  
tory prices have prevailed. The  
large number of growers visiting  
the market expressing the great-  
est satisfaction.  
There seems to have been a  
steady advance each day through-  
out the week.  
All buyers seem anxious for  
the weed and our warehousemen  
are doing all that is possible to  
push the price up with the result  
that the Louisburg Market is  
evidencing greater popularity this  
year than usual. Be an F. R. A.,  
and sell in Franklin.

### Franklin County Union

Franklin County Union will  
meet with Red Bud Church on  
October 28 and 29, 1933. The  
following program has been ar-  
ranged:  
Saturday a. m.—10:00 o'clock  
Devotional—Miss Annie Down-  
ey, Castalia.  
Christ's Cross and Ours—Rev.  
E. C. Crawford, Bunn.  
God's Dependable Men—Rev.  
F. G. Walker, Castalia.  
Solo—Miss Mary Bynum Dark,  
Gupton.  
Public Morals and Law En-  
forcement—Rev. D. P. Harris,  
Louisburg.  
Dinner.  
Devotional.  
The Outlook of the Churches—  
Rev. G. W. May, Centerville.  
Solo—Miss Ruby Daniels, Cas-  
talia.  
Choosing the Higher Plane of  
Living—Rev. J. F. Roach, Nor-  
lina.  
Freedom—Mr. T. H. Sledge,  
Louisburg.  
Sunday a. m.—10:00 o'clock  
Sunday School.  
Sermon.

### P. T. A. Meeting

The P. T. A. of the Edward  
Best High School District will  
meet Monday night, October the  
23rd at eight o'clock. The meet-  
ing will be held in the high school  
auditorium. It is hoped that a  
large number will attend this  
meeting. Several matters of ma-  
jor importance are to be discus-  
ed at this time.  
The following program has  
been arranged:  
1. Song—"Franklin"—Audience.  
2. Devotional—Mr. Fuller.  
3. Business session.  
4. Strong Points in our School  
System—Mr. Timberlake.  
5. Athletics in the School—  
Mr. Perry.  
6. District P. T. A.—Mrs.  
Champion.  
7. Community Fair—Mr. Litch-  
field.  
8. How to Start a School Cafeter-  
ia—Miss Priest.  
9. The Relation of the School  
and Home in Character Educa-  
tion—Mr. Miller.  
10. Duets—Mr. and Mrs. Miller.

### Program At The Louisburg Theatre

The following is the program  
at the Louisburg Theatre begin-  
ning Sunday, Oct. 22, Mid-Night:  
Sunday, Oct. 22nd, 12:01 Mid-  
Night—"International House"  
featuring Peggie Hopkins Joyce,  
George Burns and Gracie Allen,  
W. C. Fields, Rudy Valee, Bing  
Crosby, and Cab Calloway and his  
band.  
Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 23-  
24—Warren William and Joan  
Blonliel in "Good-Bye Again."  
Wednesday, Oct. 25—"Wild  
Boys of the Road" featuring  
Frankie Darrow and an All Star  
cast.  
Thursday and Friday, Oct. 26-  
27—Lillian Harvey and Lew  
Ayres in "My Weakness."  
Saturday, Oct. 28—Tom Mix in  
"Terror Trail."