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FULLER IS RE-ELECTED

TEN APPLICANTS FOR AUDITOR

Auditor Makes Interesting Report—Authorizes Transfer of Property—Accepts Bonds Deputy Tax Collectors—Receive Reports

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session on Monday with all members present. After the usual opening formalities the Board disposed of business as follows:

With the assistance of the Sheriff the Board drew a jury for the November term.

Terms on the sale of the Gilbert Wilder place near Franklin to Milton Wilder was approved.

The question of employing a County Farm Agent was dismissed because of no funds being provided in budget.

The bill of Coroner, except as to his mileage and service, this for one day only, was approved.

Report of John Hedgcock, Superintendent of County Home was received and filed.

Report of Health Department was received and filed.

W. N. Fuller, County Auditor, made the following report which was received and filed:

During the month of October the following taxes have been collected: 1931, \$2,352.63; 1932, \$6,350.99; 1933, \$29,928.94. All bills have been paid in full which have been passed by the Board, interest and bonds due in New York on October 15th and November 1st, have also been paid.

A number of tax payers have talked to me regarding the 1933 taxes which are greatly reduced, and seem well pleased with the Board's work during their first year of office. Lots of them paid two and three years taxes at one time this fall and many others have signified their intention of paying up or arranging their taxes in full before the year is past.

The Clerk of the Court paid for October fees \$615.11, and the Register of Deeds \$117.50, same being deposited in General purpose funds. Funds are on hand with which to pay such bills as you may pass today.

S. C. Wilder was appointed tax collector for Youngsville and Franklin townships.

The matter of Will Daniel was turned over to the County Attorney to settle according to contract.

Claude E. Pearce was permitted to sell hogs in Franklin County for years 1933-34.

Elijah Branch, of Gold Mine township was relieved of poll tax.

T. W. Boone was authorized to sell cotton of George Bridges and pay \$75 to the County for rent and balance be turned over to Bridges.

Report of Miss Priest was read and approved.

J. C. Tant was relieved of poll tax.

Upon order one acre of land was sold to Mrs. Arnold for \$35 provided she pays same within 30 days.

A formal resolution passed subject to approval of C. H. Banks and County Attorney instructing W. N. Fuller to convey certain property to Mary Kearney Harris.

It was ordered that the Hotel property in Franklin be sold under mortgage, said mortgage being hypothecated by Citizens and Commercial Bank to County to secure deposits, matter to be handled by County Attorney.

R. M. Minor appeared before the Board and stated he would not be a candidate for jailor and janitor, same to be appointed first Monday in December.

The following were applicants for auditor: W. N. Fuller, F. W. Wheelless, Jr., Hugh W. and Gladys Perry, M. S. Davis, P. B. Fleming, J. T. Baker, M. P. Sykes, J. O. Purnell, C. W. Edwards.

Upon second ballot W. N. Fuller was elected until January 1st, 1935.

C. H. Banks was appointed to pass upon bonds of deputy tax collectors.

The bonds of J. J. Lancaster, E. J. Fuller and R. R. Kissell were approved.

FRANKLIN GOES DRY

The repeal election held in Franklin County Tuesday passed off very quietly with an exceedingly light vote but sufficient to record Franklin in the dry column by a good safe majority, both as to a decision on the question of holding a convention and as to the delegates.

The day was wet, but evidently the only thing of record except Louisburg township which was damp by the small majority of 27.

Advocates of both sides have been busy since Tuesday explaining how it happened. The drys telling you they knew it all the time, and the wets, well they are still figuring it out. Maybe we'll know their side later.

The tabulated vote of Franklin County can be seen in another column.

Louisburg Defeats Campbell

Homecomers See Good Game As Their Alma Mater Wins 12-0

Louisburg College upset the "ole cope bucket" Saturday when they defeated the strong Campbell eleven by a score of 12-0 at College Park.

Coach Suttentfeld's boys came on the field with a fighting spirit that grew stronger as the game went on.

With a stubborn line and a backfield that played heads-up football, Louisburg held Campbell to only 3 first downs, while they were making 8.

Early in the first quarter Hawley, right tackle for Louisburg, intercepted a pass on Campbell's 20 yard line and carried over for the first score.

The next score came in the second quarter when Louisburg drove from midfield to touchdown. "Coon" Weldon, the main cog in his scoring drive, got away for a 15 yard run for the last score.

Campbell threatened only once, this came in the last quarter when they put the ball within one foot of the goal line. They tried four times to get across, to score but the strong Louisburg eleven threw them for a loss each time.

Weldon and Waddell were the outstanding players of the backfield, while Hawley and Bullock featured in the line for the home team. Humphries and Taylor featured for Campbell.

Educational Meeting

The Louisburg Council Junior Order announces that it will hold a public meeting on November 20th at which it will present an educational program. All ladies and especially school principals and Superintendents are invited to be present. The meeting will be held in the lodge rooms.

Junior-Senior Play

To Be Given at Franklin High School.

Much interest is being centered around the rehearsals of the "Hoodoo", the Junior-Senior play that is to be given at the Franklin High School, November 17th, 8 o'clock P. M. The cast is composed of talented members of both classes. A course is put upon every person who possesses the "Hoodoo". Come and find out what this "Hoodoo" is. The admission is 10c for all school children and 20c for adults.

Junior-Senior Play

Jones County farmers report harvesting the largest crop of hay ever to be stored in the county. The quality is exceptionally good. The weather during the harvesting period.

The Welfare Officer was allowed \$12.50 per month beginning July 1st, 1933, to July 1st, 1934.

T. W. Boone was appointed to rent land for County Home.

A motion by Hudson seconded by Beddingfield, and carried reads "that there be taken from the salary of Sheriff F. N. Spivey the sum in an amount equal to one week's salary for the time lost while attending the Century of Progress Fair in Chicago, Ill., without properly filling office of Sheriff of Franklin County during his absence."

After allowing a number of accounts the Board adjourned.

AVERAGE REACHES \$18.97

LOUISBURG TOBACCO MARKET MAKING HISTORY

Splendid Sales Past Week With Block Sale Monday—Growers Well Pleased—Demand Remains Strong

The Louisburg Tobacco Market is making very pleasing history to both the growers and warehousemen this season. Up to Wednesday night it had sold 2,217,614 pounds and until Monday night had made a season average of \$18.97.

Monday's sale of more than a quarter million pounds made an average of \$18.92 and Wednesday's average reached \$18.97.

The demand for all grades, especially the middle grades for cigarettes is strong and prices very encouraging.

Many growers from a distance are coming to Louisburg daily and the increased sales are proving very satisfactory to all.

The warehousemen say they are utilizing every effort to provide the greatest convenience, accommodations and service to the growers who visit Louisburg and the growers are evidently appreciating it.

Louisburg invites you to bring your tobacco here for sale.

Fire At Cotton Yard

An early morning fire on last Monday morning destroyed the shed adjoining the Stokes Cotton Warehouse at the Cotton yard and with it about seventeen bales of cotton belonging to Cooper Bros. The cause of the fire is unknown but is thought to have come from a bale of cotton that had been burning for some time. The loss was covered by insurance.

For a while it looked as if much damage would be wrought by the flames but the splendid work of the fire department prevented the spread and the two cotton storage houses adjoining and nearby passed through without serious handicap.

C. H. Wheelless Dead

Mr. C. H. Wheelless, one of Harris township's most substantial planters died on Thursday of last week following an accident in which he was thrown from a wagon load of wood by a mule becoming frightened. He was 73 years of age and is survived by his wife, one son, Jennie Wheelless and one daughter, Miss Mattie Wheelless and other relatives.

He was a good citizen, honest and sincere in his purposes and strong in his convictions. He loved his home and family, his church and his community and will be missed by many neighbors who knew him best.

The funeral was held Friday afternoon, conducted by Rev. C. E. Crawford, assisted by Rev. C. B. Howard at Rock Springs church and was largely attended. The interment was made in the church cemetery.

The TIMES join the many friends in extending sympathy to the bereaved family.

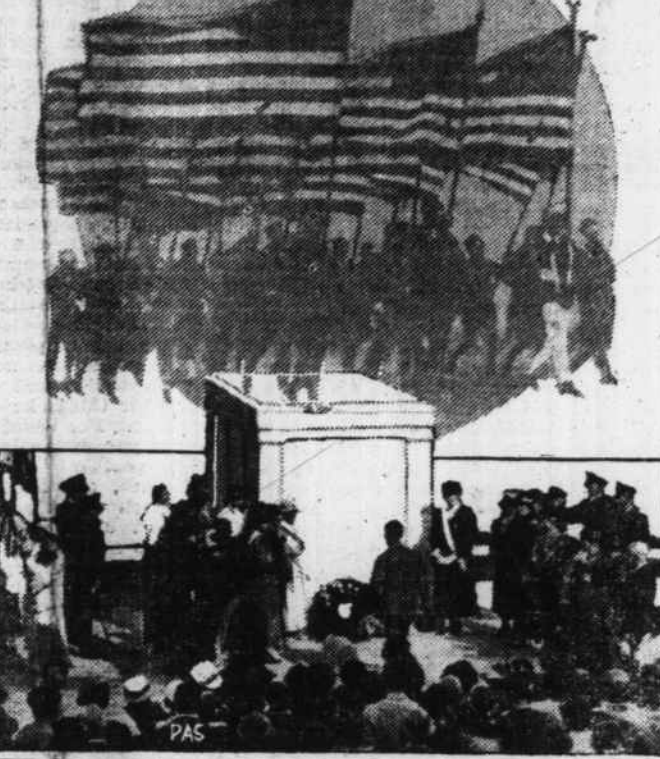
List of Jurors

The following is a list of Jurors drawn for the November term of Franklin Superior Court, Civil term, which begins November 13th, 1933:

- Dunn—J. B. Stallings, G. F. Alford, J. E. Alford, R. A. Perry, Graham Brantley.
- Harris—F. D. Driver, Jno. Chamber, J. D. Baker, Walter J. Perry, T. Young, S. P. Pearce.
- Youngsville—J. T. Bridgers, F. R. Williams, C. E. Mitchell, M. D. Hoyle, B. H. Patterson, A. D. Timberlake, J. K. Tharrington, W. F. Leonard, Sr.
- Franklin—W. E. Perry, B. F. Norton, D. B. Kearney, W. F. Mitchner, W. M. Buck Edwards, L. H. Preddy.
- Hayesville—W. T. Harris, E. J. Grissom, T. F. Ayscue, L. O. Frazier.
- Sandy Creek—J. E. Joyner, R. M. Fuller, N. B. Smith, R. T. Tharrington, J. R. Tharrington, Wiley Taulker.
- Cedar Rock—J. W. Wheelless, C. W. Matthews.
- Cypress Creek—W. F. Moses, P. A. Sledge.
- Louisburg—C. G. Cash, W. B. Tucker, W. E. Strange.

Turn Again To Tomb of Unknown Soldier

November Eleventh



★ Armistice Day - - 1933 ★

NORTH CAROLINA VOTES DRY

North Carolina Tuesday refused to call a convention to consider re-pealing the 18th amendment, and to make assurance doubly sure elected an overwhelming majority never to assemble. Only 16 repeal delegates were elected as against 104 anti-repealists.

The trend was unmistakable from the earliest returns and applied alike to rural and urban counties, east and west.

Mecklenburg, considered a battleground, and Wake, regarded as sure for repeal, were the first two large counties to land safely in the dry column. Rowan, home of Walter Murphy, man-York, Rochester, Buffalo joined them although reputed to be one of the wettest counties in the state.

Some of the traditionally wet counties in the east remained true to their wet moorings, but other eastern counties which had been expected to go wet veered sharply to the dry column. Alleghany was the only county west of Raleigh to vote for repeal.

Counties with a large Republican vote went overwhelmingly dry, without exception, the ten to one margin of Yadkin being rivaled by other traditionally Republican counties.

Complete returns showed that of the 14 counties which voted wet when State prohibition was adopted in 1908, nine voted dry Tuesday. Of the 14 counties which were wet a quarter of a century ago, only New Hanover, Martin, Pasquotank and Onslow were definitely in the repeal column with Durham dividing its two delegates. Wake, Franklin, Orange, Wilkes, Stokes, Yadkin, Johnston, Person and Stanley, all of which were wet in 1908, went definitely dry Tuesday and the repealists carried only 12 of the 100 counties in the State, with the drys carrying 87 and Durham the only one to divide. The other eight wet counties were Alleghany, Beaufort, Craven, Currituck, Edgecombe, Halifax, Pitt and Wilson.

Voters dealt the death blow to the Eighteenth Amendment in Board of Estimate.

Official Vote Franklin County

IN THE REPEAL ELECTION

HELD TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7th, 1933

	Dunn	Harris	Youngsville	Franklin	Hayesville	Sandy Creek	Gold Mine	Cedar Rock	Cypress Creek	Louisburg	TOTAL
Convention	42	25	56	198	14	45	82	60	23	224	769
No Convention	152	44	233	199	126	126	89	86	49	192	1296
Delegate											
Inscow	155	47	239	205	128	128	89	89	49	200	1329
Perry	42	22	52	192	12	43	82	58	22	227	752

TOWN COMMISSIONERS MEET

The Board of Town Commissioners met in regular session, November 7, 1933, with all members present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The reports of the Town Clerk, Chief of Police and Tax Collectors were read and approved.

A request from Mr. R. H. Welch for a revaluation of his property was referred to the Tax Committee for settlement.

A motion prevailed allowing Mr. D. E. Cone \$20.00 for Notary Public services rendered to the Town during his term as Tax Collector, for which he was never paid.

The Board instructed the Cemetery Committee to provide heating facilities for the keeper of the Louisburg Cemetery.

A motion prevailed ordering a Sinking Fund to be established for the Cemetery. All proceeds from the sale of cemetery lots shall be deposited in a sinking fund, and this sinking fund may be used for the purchase of additional land for cemetery lots, and for no other purpose.

The Board ruled to proceed immediately to collect personal property taxes and to levy on personal property for taxes if necessary. The Board established a Privilege License Tax of \$25.00 for Tobacco Warehouses.

The Building Committee was instructed to proceed with the demolishing of the old Ford Warehouse, and to secure the best possible contract for this work.

The Clerk was instructed to pay Mr. F. L. Herman, \$20.00 in payment of an extra week's work, in view of the fact that he did not take a week's vacation as allowed him by the Board.

The Board approved the purchase of oil burners for heating the town's office and fire house.

The Board ruled to pay Vassie Winfree twenty cents per hour. A number of accounts were allowed and the Board adjourned.

Baraca - Philathea Convention

Held at Bunn Sunday—Largely Attended; Interesting Program

The Baraca-Philathea Convention of Franklin County, met November 5th, 1933, with the classes at Bunn Baptist church.

The morning session began with the audience singing, "Loyalty To Christ." Mr. Johnson led in prayer. S. L. Bowen, of Bunn, conducted the morning devotion and used as scripture, lesson, Acts 9:1-25. The welcome address was graciously extended to all present by J. R. White, of Bunn, and J. Forest Joyner of Louisburg, responded. The Durham Male Quartette furnished special music throughout the day.

Reading minutes of last meeting and roll call of classes by acting secretary, O. A. Johnson, of Durham gave the morning address using as a subject: "Baraca and Philathea Work." This was especially inspiring to all Baraca and Philathea workers. We were dismissed for lunch by Rev. M. Stamps, of Louisburg.

"I Will Sing the Wonderful Story" was sung by the audience for the beginning of the afternoon service. Remarks were then made concerning problems confronting some of the Baraca classes by J. N. Perry, of Bunn and Mr. Byrd, of Durham. J. Forrest Joyner, of Louisburg introduced the afternoon speaker, namely, Dr. O. P. Fitzgerald, of Louisburg. He used as a subject: "Defenders of Our Civilization." The scripture was Ephesians 6:13—"Hold your ground, tighten the belt of truth." This address was thoroughly enjoyed.

The classes that won banners were: Bunn Sr. Baraca, Pearce Sr. Philathea, Bunn Jr. Baraca and Maple Springs Jr. Philathea. These banners were presented by Mr. Byrd, of Durham. The president appointed Luther Perry, of the Pearce Church, as program committee. The next convention will be held at Maple Springs Baptist church the first Sunday in May 1934. The audience sang, "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder" and were dismissed by Mr. Johnson.

To Open Toy Shop

Mrs. Annie Lee McGowan and Mrs. W. H. Gay of Rocky Mount returned Monday from Philadelphia and Baltimore where Mrs. McGowan went to buy toys and gifts for a shop which she will open in Louisburg very soon. Her new enterprise will be known as "Annie's Toy and Gift Shop."

REV. C. B. HOWARD SPEAKS

At Edward Best Fair—Exhibits Many and of High Order—Large Crowd Attends and Enjoys Day

Three rules for life were laid down by Rev. Charles B. Howard in his address at the Edward Best School Community Fair Friday, Nov. 3. Other events of the day included stunts by the high school faculty, a ball game between lady teachers of the district and ladies of the community, and an Old Maid's Convention.

The fair was sponsored by the Vocational Agriculture Dept. of the High School.

Mr. Howard, in his address, drew a comparison between life and a game or athletic contest. He stated that in order to win in the game of life one must play the game fair, hard, and cheerfully.

Just before the address all the children of the school district were lined up for a parade which ended in the school auditorium. A large number of parents and visitors were present.

In the afternoon a playground ball game was played between the eighth grade boys of the high school and the seventh grade boys from Justice. This took place of the steer race scheduled for that time.

At two o'clock the crowd was again assembled in the high school auditorium. Scenes from Macbeth were presented by members of the high school faculty. The glee club sang "The Little Red Schoolhouse." A contest was held to select the boy and girl with the reddest head, the whitest head, the most freckles, and the fattest boy and girl. This contest proved very interesting and amusing.

A playground ball game between lady teachers of the district and ladies of the community resulted in a 14-9 victory for the community ladies. The game was exciting throughout, and drew a large crowd.

There were many good exhibits, especially in the needle-work and canning departments. Unfavorable weather conditions caused a shortage of exhibits in the field crops and vegetables departments. Interesting and instructive school exhibits were put on by the Hickory Rock-White Level School, the Justice School, and the Home Economics and Vocational Agriculture departments of the high school. All exhibits were placed in the new community building which had not been used before.

The fair was declared by many to be "the best ever held at this place." A large crowd was present all day, and many returned for the old Maid's Convention at night.

Banks Close On Holiday

The First-Citizens' Bank and Trust Company of Louisburg and Franklin will be closed on Saturday to observe Armistice Holiday. All having business with these institutions will bear this in mind.

Dance Location Changed

The location for the Pre-Armistice Dance to be staged in Louisburg tonight had to be changed to larger quarters because of reports of an extra large attendance. The dance will be held at the Southside warehouse instead of the Union as first announced. This house is much larger and will accommodate more couples. Join the crowd and enjoy the evening.

Program At The Louisburg Theatre

The following is the program at the Louisburg Theatre beginning Monday, Nov. 13th:

Monday and Tuesday—"The Solitaire Man," with Herbert Marshall and Elizabeth Allen. On the stage, "The New Deal in Vau-deville Review" with Fay, Cooleys and Fay, also the Dixon Four, Harmony Singers.

Wednesday—Cecil B. DeMille's production "This Day and Age," with an all star cast. This show sponsored by the Athletic Association of Mills High School.

Thursday and Friday—Warner Baxter and Janet Gaynor in "Paddy The Next Best Thing."

Saturday—Tom Mix in "The Rustler's Roundup," also First Chapter "Gordon of Ghost City" with Buck Jones.