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THE FRANKLIN COUNTY FAIR

WILL OPEN TUESDAY NIGHT

County Agricultural Fair Will Get Under Way

Franklin County's twentieth annual agricultural fair formally will get under way at the Fair Grounds.

Thursday will be white school childrens day, and all white children under fifteen years of age will be admitted free.

Twenty-eight big attractions will line the midway, the Empire Shows bringing the latest mechanical rides and World Fair shows; free acts in the grandstand; Popularity contest Tuesday night, and Hollywood wedding Friday night; dare devil casting act direct from the Century of Progress in Chicago, and other events all week.

Canned goods, needle work, fine arts and flowers, childrens school works, farm machinery, and hundreds of other exhibits will be on display for the visitors. The Empire Shows are bringing the latest in rides, the newest in shows, and the finest in free acts obtainable, in fact, an exact replica of the Worlds Fair in Chicago.

Detailed plans are being made for this event, and this years Fair holds promise of being the most interesting ever held in Franklin County. The two big specials, the Popularity contest and Coronation of the most popular girl in the county on Tuesday night, and the Hollywood public (legal) wedding on Friday night. Both to be held in the grandstand.

Sell in Franklin

New Health Officer in Franklin

The Franklin County Board of Health recently elected Dr. James E. Fulghum as the County Health Officer. Dr. Fulghum is a native of Franklin County and received his early education in the Louisburg School, graduating from the local high school in 1923.

He graduated from Wake Forest College with a Certificate in Medicine, subsequently transferring to the Medical College of Virginia, at Richmond. After receiving his M. D., he served for fifteen months as Resident in Urological Surgery and Dermatology in the United States Naval Hospital in New York. He returns to Franklin County from Montana, where he was Lieutenant (Jg), U. S. N. Medical Corps, stationed at the Civilian Conservation Camp at Darby.

Dr. Fulghum already has assumed his new duties as Health Officer and has moved his family to Louisburg. In 1930 he married Miss Evelyn White, of Richmond, Va., and they have one son, James, Jr. They have taken an apartment at 206 North Main Street.

Buy in Franklin

Injured By Falling Timber

Son Thomas, colored, a worker on the old Ford Warehouse was very painfully if not seriously, injured Monday at one o'clock, when a heavy timber fell across his shoulder, crushing his chest.

In tearing down this house it became necessary to throw the heavy timbers that supported the top. In throwing this one all workers had gotten out of the way except Thomas, who, we are informed, instead of leaving his position for a place of safety, lay down where he was and the timber struck him in falling. Had he stood the timber would probably have missed him.

He was taken immediately to the Community hospital where first aid was rendered, and later taken to a hospital at Rocky Mount for further examination and treatment.

Buy in Franklin

Fire At College

Fire early Monday morning at Louisburg College created quite a bit of excitement until it was learned that it was found in the boiler room where it was extinguished without any particular damage. The fire burned a wood partition in the coal bin and a small quantity of coal. The fire department responded promptly and took the situation under control preventing a possibility of a much larger fire.

Buy in Franklin

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\$21.66 MARKET AVERAGE

\$21.66 cents was the market average for Louisburg Market on Wednesday, with daily averages ranging from 19 cents to \$21.53 other days this week. To Wednesday night the market has sold \$174,116 pounds at a season average of \$17.15, according to information given out by the Supervisor of Sales.

The local market is especially popular this season and is selling tobacco from a wide territory. All growers selling here, so far as has been ascertained, go home well pleased with each sale and with assurance that he will return.

Louisburg welcomes you to its market and the town.

Sell in Franklin

Franklin Makes Good Showing

Mr. Harry P. Stevens, genial and popular U. S. Government Seed Loan representative, returned Wednesday from Winston Salem where he attended a District meeting of all field men in this department. At this meeting Mr. Stevens was very complimentary to Franklin County people who had availed themselves of the assistance of this department of the government. He reported collected of Franklin County loans 78 per cent, leaving only a possible 22 per cent to be collected and with a probable credit on this amount due to unrecorred credits, sufficient to reduce it to 10 or 15 per cent. Mr. Stevens speaking of the amounts collected stated that he had collected \$68.77 of 1930 accounts, \$312.89 of 1931, \$2,788.79 of 1932 and \$91,317.88 of 1933 loans, making a total of \$95,588.33. He also said that Mr. Mattox had collected \$52.07 of 1931 and 1932, and \$31,438.38 of 1933 loans making a total of \$32,130.45, or a grand total coming through his office of \$127,718.78. Adding to these figures the amounts paid on Franklin County loans through other offices brings the total credits up to \$140,368.00, leaving only a possible \$41,127 to be collected.

Mr. Stevens attributes his success in making this record to the wonderful cooperation he has had from the people generally and is especially proud of it.

Buy in Franklin

Junior B. Y. P. U.

The Junior B. Y. P. U. of Maple Springs Baptist church had their usual program Sunday night, November 13, 1933, as follows:

Leader—Mrs. W. H. Perry; Assistant Leader Miss Eunice Sandford; Virginia Perry, President; Elsie Gupton, Secretary; Linda Perry, Group Leader.

First on program was: Stories of Brazil, by Linda Perry. A Brazilian Welcome, by Elsie Gupton.

A Junior Boy and his Bible, by Bruce Wester.

Pase, by Lottie Mae Wheeler. A Faithful Wash Woman, by Leonard Perry.

A Bandit is converted, by Linda Perry. An answer to prayer, by Hamilton Sandford.

Sixteen on roll, fourteen present, fourteen on time. One joined and twelve visitors.

Sell in Franklin

Christmas Seals at Scoggin's, Boddie's Pleasants' and Andrews'

Before another issue of THE FRANKLIN TIMES appears, the Christmas-Tuberculosis-Seals will be on sale at Boddie's, Pleasants' and Scoggin's Drug Stores. Please give this your attention!

In the annual house-to-house campaign, house-holders, sometimes make excuse from buying, saying they had bought Seals in Raleigh, not knowing they were on sale in Louisburg.

The Seal-Sale is always advertised in THE FRANKLIN TIMES and well posted, and the seals put on sale the National Opening Day, Thanksgiving Day.

Every Franklin County citizen, who buys Christmas Tuberculosis Seals in Franklin County thereby, contributes to the County Tuberculosis fund.

The schools do not begin their sales until after the Thanksgiving holiday.

Mrs. R. F. Yarborough, Chrm. Buy in Franklin

The animal husbandry department at State College recently purchased 11 high grade Hereford and Angus steers from Alleghany County farmers for some experimental work.



MISS ALTA GUPTON

Student of Edward Best High School, who won the \$5 in Gold for writing the Best Essay of her school mates, on the subject "Why we should Buy and Sell in Franklin County." In her letter of thanks to F. R. A. for the prize she says, "you may rest assured that I am still boosting the movement of buying and selling in Franklin County." She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gupton.

Wedding To Be Staged At Fair

Couple Will Be Married Friday Night, December 1st, During County Fair

All arrangements have been completed to give the people of Franklin County one of the greatest treats in entertainment. Mr. H. Liggett has arrived in Louisburg and already has started things moving to stage a Public (legal) wedding at the Fair grounds on Friday night, December 1st at about nine thirty P. M.

The wedding will be staged out in the open, and will reflect a perfect Hollywood atmosphere. Surprises galore, and treats for lovers of thrills, will mark the "I now pronounce you man and wife" finale.

The contestants of the Popularity contests will act as bridesmaids. A deluge of flowers will be seen that will be worthy of a Worlds Fair performance.

Entertainment to please everyone, and don't forget, a complete version of famous Hollywood splendor in all its glory will be witnessed. Come and see this matrimonial debut.

Buy in Franklin

J. L. TWISDALE DEAD

Funeral services for James Lex Twisdale, prominent farmer of Vance County, who died at the Henderson hospital Thursday afternoon, of last week, were held at 3:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon, at Tabernacle Methodist church, near Townsville.

Rev. J. H. Miller, pastor of the church, was in charge of the services, assisted by Rev. L. Kennison of the Presbyterian church.

Mr. Twisdale had suffered from a complication of diseases for two years. He had been in the Henderson hospital for two months.

Surviving are the following children: Mrs. F. G. Baker, Louisburg; Mrs. C. F. Coghill, Richmond, Va.; Mrs. Jennie Wallace, Mrs. George Newton, Mrs. Manuel Greene, Cephas, Coleman, John Early, Marshall and Eugene Twisdale, all of Townsville.

Buy in Franklin

COLLEGE RECITAL

The public is reminded of the piano recital which is to be given in the Social Hall of Louisburg College on Monday, November 27 at 8:00 p. m. by Professor Lawrence S. Frank, A. B. Mus. B. F. A. G. O. of Louisburg College. The program will consist of a wide variety of compositions and may be studied by referring to last week's issue of THE FRANKLIN TIMES. In addition to giving the recital, Mr. Frank will speak briefly on the subject of each number and composer represented.

Buy in Franklin

Apron Sale

The TIMES is requested to state that Circle No. 3, of the Methodist Missionary Society will hold an apron sale on December 7th. Tea, sandwiches and home made candy will also be on sale. The place of sale will be announced later.

DAMAGE SUIT MISTRIAL

The \$35,000 damage suit of James Monroe Privett by his next friend J. B. Privett vs. T. J. Burgess, Sanford Brooks Co., being tried in Franklin Superior Court as we went to press last week resulted in a mistrial.

The trial of the Rowland Will case was taken up Monday morning and resulted in the jury deciding that the purported will was not a will and therefore dissolved or set it aside.

One of the hardest fought divorce cases that has been tried in Franklin County in many years was that of Robert E. Stallings vs. Glenn Stallings, which consumed two days, and was in the hands of the jury as the Times forms closed yesterday.

Quite a number of people have been in attendance upon Court the past week, and business has been disposed of as rapidly as circumstances would permit.

Later—The jury found a verdict in the Stallings divorce case in favor of the plaintiff.

Buy in Franklin

Home Coming Baptist Church

The following programme for the Home Coming Day at Louisburg Baptist Church Sunday, November 26, 1933, has been announced by Rev. D. P. Harris, pastor.

- (1) Doxology and invocation.
- (2) Hymn No.—Congregation.
- (3) Scripture Reading and prayer—Pastor.
- (4) Special music—Choir.
- (5) Brief History of Louisburg Baptist Church—W. R. Mills.
- (6) Roll Call of members—R. A. Bobbitt, Church Clerk.
- (7) Short Talk—G. M. Beam.
- (8) Offering—J. H. Boone and W. N. Fuller, Church ushers.
- (9) Special music—Choir.
- (10) Closing Hymn No.
- (11) Benediction—Rev. M. Stamps.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Evening Sermon at 7:30.

On Wednesday night, November 29th, 7:30, we will hold our annual Thanksgiving service in the church basement. At this time we bring our gifts to our Baptists Orphanage at Thomasville, stated Rev. D. P. Harris, pastor. It is suggested by those in charge of the Orphanage that very one bring as much as a day's wages; more if possible. There will be no sermon that night, but we are asking each class of our Sunday School to make some little contribution to ward this hour. It may be that he class might give a special song, or talk, or whatever might seem best to them. We hope to make this entertaining for those who are present, and we especially hope to make a fine offering to the Orphanage.

Sell in Franklin

Branch Office To Open In Louisburg

The Carolina Motor Club will open a permanent branch office in Louisburg at Beck's Garage on December 1st, according to announcement of Mr. Beck. This office will be open the year round for the benefit of auto owners of Franklin and adjoining counties who will find it a convenience in the sale of auto license plates and title transfers.

This will mean not only a convenience to auto owners, but quite a saving also. This service is rendered the public by the Carolina Motor Club.

1934 license plates will go on sale December 1st, office open from 8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. except during dinner hour. Under management of R. C. Beck of Beck's Garage who is well known to the people of Franklin County. Please bear in mind that license plates cannot be sold after 5:00 p. m.

Buy in Franklin

Captures Prisoner

Johnnie Johnson, colored, who escaped from the Louisburg Convict Camp No. 306, on June 18th, 1933, was captured in Blacktown, a suburb of Louisburg on Wednesday morning by officers F. W. Jacobs and S. W. Young and returned to camp.

Sell in Franklin

P. T. A. To Meet

The P. T. A. of Wood School will meet Friday night, November 24th, at 8 o'clock at the school building. A very interesting Thanksgiving program has been arranged. Each parent is urged to be present and visitors are welcome.

Pres. Mrs. F. A. Read. Sec. Mrs. Cleary Parrish.

Litvinov at Capital



Maxim Litvinov, Soviet Russia's Foreign Affairs Commissar, photographed at Washington, during the days while he conferred with the State Department and President Roosevelt in person, regarding terms of the United States recognition of Russia.

Will Rogers Is "Doctor Bull" In Latest Film

Humorist Brings Genial Physician Of Famous Novel Living to the Screen

Will Rogers comes to the Louisburg Theatre beginning on Thursday, Nov. 30th for a 2 day engagement in his latest picture or Fox Film, "Doctor Bull." It is the screen presentation of the famous novel by James Gould Cozzens, "The Last Adam" best-seller and recent Book-of-the-month selection. It is reported as the most powerful vehicle the popular philosopher-comedian has ad on the talking screen.

The story concerns a physician in a small town who, in addition to ministering to the health of the community, acts as its unofficial father confessor. None of the town's secrets escapes him. He knows the inner life of everyone of its inhabitants. But it is of as a gossip that he finds himself interested in the private lives of the village. He is a mellow gentleman to whom everyone's reactions are an interesting bit of human document.

The film does not present the story of one character. Like "State Fair," the last of the Rogers screen plays, it deals with many characters, each typical of its kind. It is more than the story of one town. For it is the story of thousands of similar towns all over the country.

Vera Allen, star of the New York stage, has the leading feminine role opposite Rogers. She is specially engaged for this role, and advance reports of her performance have been so favorable that she is considered destined for a brilliant career in pictures. Others in the cast are Marian Nixon, Howard Lally, Jerton Churchill, Louise Dresser, Andy Devine, Rochelle Hudson, Temple Pigott, Elizabeth Patterson, Nora Cecil, Ralph Morgan, Latsy O'Byrne, Veda Buckland, Elsie Ellsler and Helen Freeman.

The screen adaptation of the Cozzens novel was made by the well known novelist and playwright, Paul Green, Pulitzer Prize winner of several seasons ago, who was also responsible for the adaptation of Phil Stong's "State Fair" for the screen.

"Doctor Bull" was directed by John Ford.

Sell in Franklin

BOX SUPPER

The Cedar Rock B. Y. P. U. will give a "box supper" at Edward Best School Tuesday night, Nov. 28th, at 8 p. m. The proceeds are to be used to send the delegate, Annie Lee McGowan, to the B. Y. P. U. Convention to be held in Nashville Tennessee, December 27-29.

Buy in Franklin

To Take Thanksgiving

The banks of Louisburg and Franklin and the stores of Louisburg will remain closed on Thursday of next week to observe Thanksgiving. All having business with these institutions will bear this in mind.

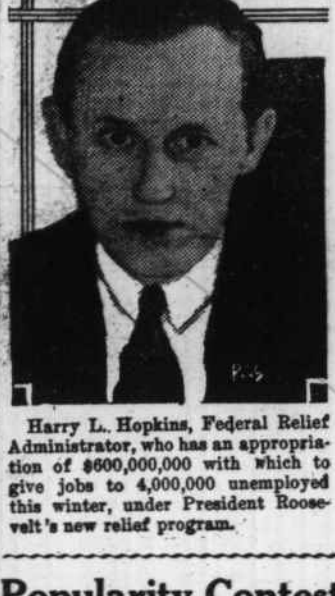
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4,000,000 Jobs



Harry L. Hopkins, Federal Relief Administrator, who has an appropriation of \$600,000,000 with which to give jobs to 4,000,000 unemployed this winter, under President Roosevelt's new relief program.

Popularity Contest Opening Night at The Fair Grounds

On Tuesday night, December 1st, at about nine forty-five P. M. the visitors to the Franklin County Fair will be presented an unusual event. There will be the coronation of the most popular girl in the County.

These contestants are under the sponsorship of local merchants, and keen interest is manifested in the outcome of who might be the most popular young lady.

Besides acquiring the title of "Miss Franklin County," to this girl will go the first award of a diamond ring. To the second most popular young lady, a bracelet will be presented, and to the third, a beautiful bar-pin. Come and see who is the most popular girl. This awarding is rendered by votes, and competition is a plenty. The prizes will be awarded in the grand stand on Tuesday night at about 9:45 P. M. Many surprises are promised on the program and this night will mark a memory that will be long remembered by Fair visitors.

Buy in Franklin

Dies Suddenly

Mr. G. S. Earp Passes At Home At Justice Sunday

Mr. George Strong Earp, one of Justice Community's most prominent and popular citizens died at his home Sunday evening about 9:30 o'clock. His passing was due to some heart trouble and was almost sudden. He had been in apparent good health.

Mr. Earp came to Franklin County about thirty years ago from Johnston County, living a number of years in Louisburg and later settling at Justice where he became a very valuable citizen to his community. He was a Master Mason, and had held the positions of Justice of the Peace, Registrar and School Committeeman for many years.

Mr. Earp was 65 years of age and is survived by his wife, one son, George, and a brother near Clayton, N. C.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home conducted by Rev. J. T. Williams, primitive Baptist minister of Castalia, and the interment was made in the Duke Memorial cemetery. Large numbers of friends of the family attended both services, and the floral tribute was especially pretty. The pall bearers, honorary and active were as follows: B. F. Wheless, R. L. Harris, J. E. Wilder, Rufus Bunn, Joe Perry, C. A. Long, W. T. Fowler, Grover Brown, E. J. Wheless, W. H. Creekmore, B. D. Stone. The ladies in charge of the flowers were Martha Fowler, Naomi Fowler, Ethel Hayes, Placid Hayes, Evelyn Stallings, Amy Creekmore, Hazel Bunn, Geraldine Gorges.

The bereaved family has the deepest sympathy of a large number of friends in this hour of sad bereavement.

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TO PUT ON FARM AGENT

The Board of Commissioners of Franklin County in special meeting Tuesday unanimously passed the following resolution cooperating with the State Extension Department to put on a Farm Agent in Franklin County.

"Resolution introduced by C. C. Hudson and duly carried; considering the imperative need of the farmers of Franklin County of having an agent to conduct crop control production and the numerous demands of various farmers of Franklin County; after being informed by the U. S. Agriculture Dept. that unless such agent was provided that the farmers of Franklin County would be unable to engage in the crop control act and the farmers of Franklin County would not be benefitted by it, therefore resolved:

"1. That the Board of County Commissioners for Franklin County, North Carolina, appropriate the sum of \$600 for the purpose of maintaining a County Farm Agent for Franklin County, North Carolina from December 1, 1933 until June 30, 1934.

"2. That Dean I. O. Schaab, Director of the Extension Bureau, Raleigh be requested to furnish Franklin County with an agent immediately under the provisions of the Federal Farm Agent agreement."

This action was taken at this time to assist the farmers in the present efforts of the government in bringing about a better price for farm products.

Sell in Franklin

ROAD WORK STARTED

The work of rebuilding the Warrenton road from Ingleside to the Warren County line begun yesterday morning, under the supervision of Mr. — Kitchen for the F. A. McGuire Construction Co. This project expects to work around eighty men and it is expected to be pushed rapidly to completion.

Buy in Franklin

Loses Home By Fire

Mr. P. C. Carroll lost his home and all his household belongings by fire on Tuesday night of last week, according to reports reaching Louisburg from Alert section. In addition to the loss of his home and furnishings, all clothing except that worn by the members of the family was lost. The total amount of damages has not been estimated and no insurance was carried on the property.

Mr. Carroll has the deepest sympathy of his many friends in his loss.

Buy in Franklin

Miss Victoria Adcock and James R. Allen Are Wed Here Yesterday

Miss Victoria Adcock, daughter of Mrs. R. W. Adcock and the late Mr. Adcock, of Granville county, and James Robert Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen, of Louisburg, N. C., were married yesterday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. J. W. B. Thompson, on South Street with Rev. Roscoe ones officiating. The bride wore a black suit with accessories to match and a shoulder corsage of allisman roses. Immediately following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Allen left for a trip to Washington and they will make their home in Louisburg.—Tidewater (Franklin, Va.) News.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen are among Louisburg's most popular young people and are receiving the early congratulations of their many friends. They returned home the past week and have taken apartments at 131 N. Main Street.

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