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## TOBACCO SIGN-UP PROGRESSING NICELY

### Mr. C. A. Rainey, Auditor Agricultural Department, Assisting

Farmers Rallying To Enthusiastically Co-operate With Government in Effort to Control Production And Secure Satisfactory Price—Revised List Of Committees Announced—Cotton Campaign To Follow Completion Tobacco Sign-up

Chairman Roy Strange, A. J. Wilson. Meeting place, County Agent's office.

County Agent E. J. Morgan announced this week that the campaign for the cotton sign-up would begin immediately after the completion of the tobacco sign-up campaign, now in process. He is especially anxious that all farmers eligible to sign the tobacco contract do so at once so that the Cotton Campaign can be started as early as possible as the dead line on closing the Cotton Campaign has been set at February 1st.

Buy in Franklin—  
Enforce License Tag Ordinance

The members of the Louisburg Police Department have been ordered to enforce without exceptions the ordinance pertaining to the purchase and display of city automobile license tags. This ordinance provides that every person, firm or corporation owning and operating an automobile, truck, or other motor driven vehicle within the corporate limits of the town of Louisburg, shall be required to pay an annual license fee of \$1.00. Any person convicted of violating this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined not to exceed the sum of \$5.00 in the discretion of the court for each offense.

Sell in Franklin—  
Sanitary Improvements

Mr. S. Z. Downey, County Sanitary Supervisor, working under the State Board of Health, reports that he is meeting with much success in relieving the unsanitary conditions found in the County. While he has arranged for many projects Mr. Downey states there are many more in the County that should be taken care of. In this work of promoting better health conditions Mr. Downey states that through the C. W. A. and the State Board of Health he will furnish the labor to build new privies, or make other necessary sanitary improvements for any individual in the County, and would be glad to extend this service to any one wishing it. If you are interested write Mr. Downey at Louisburg, N. C.

Buy in Franklin—  
A gross income of \$313.45 was secured by Paul Lylerly, 4-H club boy of Granite Quarry, Rowan County, from 300 baby chicks purchased last winter.

## COMMISSIONERS SELL LAND

### WANT CHANGE IN EXPENDITURE RELIEF MONEY

Returning Tax Foreclosure Land To Tax Books—Allow License Pauper List — Many Reports To Sell Pigs—Place Several on Received

The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session Monday with all members present. After opening formalities business was transacted as follows:

A correction in the minutes was made as follows: Meeting of December 4th, corrected to read, "That as there was no loss to the County during Sheriff's absence, it is ordered, that salary deducted be paid."

W. N. Fuller, Auditor, reported tax collections for December, \$21,631.01, taxes for 1930 and prior years, rents, etc., \$2,627.85; C. S. C. office fines and fees \$460.90; Register of Deeds office \$266.00. All bonds due paid.

Report of John Hedgepeth, Superintendent of County Home received and approved.

Report of Miss Priest, Home Agent, received and filed. It was ordered that error in listing dog of E. H. Hight be corrected.

A request from the Youngsville School Committee for material from buildings being torn down in town of Youngsville to be used for school purposes was received.

Chairman Banks and Attorney C. P. Green were appointed a committee with authority to act in above matter.

## THE PRESIDENT



FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

## "FOOTLIGHT PARADE"

### AT LOUISBURG THEATRE MONDAY AND TUESDAY

#### Cagney, Blondell, Keeler And Powell Head Large List of Film Favorites in This Mammoth Musical Comedy Spectacle

One of the largest and most distinctive casts ever assembled for a screen production appears in "Footlight Parade," a mammoth spectacle, combining comedy, drama, and romance with original, unique dance ensembles and catchy song hits, which comes to the Louisburg Theatre on Monday and Tuesday of next week.

Four popular stars, James Cagney, Joan Blondell, Ruby Keeler and Dick Powell, head the long list of players. Fifteen leading featured players have important roles in support of the stars, while two hundred and fifty of the most talented and beautiful girls in Hollywood will take part in varied choruses and dance numbers, which for novelty, ingenuity, and spectacular effects are said to surpass those in "42nd Street" and "Gold Diggers of 1933."

"Footlight Parade" will bring together again two of the most popular players of the screen in the leading roles, James Cagney and Joan Blondell playing opposite him. The pair made their first hit on the screen together in "Sinners Holiday" for Warner Bros.

Cagney and Blondell made unusually successful appearances together later in "Blonde Crazy" and "The Crowd Roars" as the leading performers. Both rose rapidly to stardom in separate productions and now are united again in the forthcoming picture.

## ROOSEVELT HAILS RECOVERY PROGRAM

### Congress Invited To Go With Him On Voyage Of Recovery

Washington, Jan. 3.—President Roosevelt called upon Congress today for a rigid continuation of the recovery campaign on the path of "reform of old methods."

In a personal appearance before the joint session of Congress, Mr. Roosevelt read his message reporting progress in domestic recovery and proposing "stringent preventive or regulatory measures" for income tax evaders, negligent bank officials and speculators.

International monetary stabilization could not be established at this time, he declared.

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The civil works plan, which the administration says has put 4,000,000 unemployed to work, was not dealt with specifically; but Mr. Roosevelt said his policy would be to seek "to move as rapidly as possible from direct relief to publicly supported work and from that to the rapid restoration of private employment."

The President spoke somewhat pessimistically of conditions in world affairs and repeated the American offer to cooperate for reduction of armament and lowering of "trade barriers," he warned however, that "the United States cannot take part in political arrangements in Europe."

Warlike Moves  
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His hinted of a new plan on war debts, stating he would report later in regard to debts which have been defaulted by most of the nations.

Tax Dodgers Rapped  
His most determined words were reserved for unnamed tax dodgers an persons guilty of "unethical or criminal" financial practices, which the President said call "for stringent preventive or regulatory measures."

"I am speaking," he said, of those individuals who have evaded the spirit and purpose of our tax laws, of those high officials of banks or corporations who have grown rich at the expense of their stockholders or the public, of those reckless speculators with their own or other people's money whose operations have injured the values of the farmer's crops and the savings of the poor."

He called upon the government to suppress organized crime, mentioning "banditry, cold blooded shooting, lynching and kidnaping."

## TO RE-OPEN MONDAY

### The Louisburg tobacco market will re-open Monday, January 8th, for the sale of the remainder of the 1933 crop of tobacco, according to announcement made the past week.

The warehouses at Louisburg are in fine shape for the opening and those interested are expecting good sales for some time. The record made during the past fall by the local market has made it a favorite among the tobacco growers of Franklin and adjoining counties and it is fully expected that the market will hold its favorable position throughout the selling season.

Already Louisburg has sold over four million pounds of tobacco this season and is fully confident of passing the five million mark.

Get your tobacco ready and bring it on to Louisburg.

Sell in Franklin—  
Held For Court

H. F. Cannon was bound over to Franklin Superior Court under a \$500 bond on Tuesday following a preliminary hearing before magistrate Hugh W. Perry on a charge of having in his possession goods that were stolen.

The case grew out of a store robbery in Chatham County and according to the evidence some of the goods were identified by witnesses. Later warrants from Chatham County were served on Cannon charging the breaking and entering a store in that County, and he was taken to Pittsboro for further hearings.

Buy in Franklin—  
Good whiskey dates back to a period loosely referred to as "before the war," and so do many other good things.

Buy in Franklin—  
Often it is best to be sure you are right and then stop.

## Program At The Louisburg Theatre

The following is the program at the Louisburg Theatre beginning Monday, January 8th:

Monday and Tuesday—James Cagney, Ruby Keeler, Dick Powell, Joan Blondell and Guy Kibbee in "Footlight Parade."

## Raps Tax Dodgers A nd Speculative Ventures — Pays Respects to Delinquent Debtor Nations and Compliments Finland — Tells of New Order Under N. E. A.—Advises Reducing Armaments and Lowering Trade Barriers, But Warns Nation Cannot Join in Any Political Arrangements in Europe

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## Mrs. Henry Ford



DETROIT: . . . Mrs. Henry Ford, wife of the motor magnet, as President of the Women's National Farm and Garden Ass'n., presided at the sale of holiday wreaths made by needy farm women of Michigan, all proceeds being returned to the farm home workers.

## John D. Rockefeller Sr.



NEW YORK: . . . John D. Rockefeller Sr., delayed his trip to Florida, much later this winter, due to a cold. The standing photo was taken on Mr. Rockefeller's 94th birthday at Tarrytown, N. Y., on July 8, where he is now recuperating. Insert is a photo of the Old King, many years ago, when active amassing his great fortune.

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