

**YOUR TOWN**  
Isn't a bit better than you  
are willing to Help  
make it  
**BOOST YOUR TOWN**

# THE FRANKLIN TIMES

**YOUR LOCAL PAPER**  
can't exist without your Paid  
for Patronage in Subscriptions  
and Advertising  
**BOOST YOUR HOME PAPER**

A. F. JOHNSON, Editor and Manager

The County, The State, The Union

SUBSCRIPTION \$1.50 Per Year

VOLUME LXV.

LOUISBURG, N. CAROLINA, FRIDAY, MAY 18TH, 1934

(TEN PAGES)

NUMBER 13

## GARRETT GETS SIX MONTHS

HON. HENRY A. GRADY PRESIDING

Franklin Superior Court Making Headway Disposing of Many Cases; Grand Jury Holding in Ford Building; Judge Makes Splendid Charge

In his usual pleasant, eloquent and interesting manner Judge Henry A. Grady presiding over the regular May term of Franklin Superior Court, made an excellent charge to the Grand Jury at the convening of court here Monday morning. In his charge Judge Grady drew a very vivid picture of the duty of each juror and the great importance of performing this duty in its relation of building a community in which one would like to live and could enjoy the freedom and safety guaranteed to him or them by the laws of our land. This charge is one that will bear great influence upon the civilization and better conditions in Franklin County and was greatly enjoyed and appreciated by a large number of citizens gathered to attend Court.

The docket is being ably and energetically prosecuted by Solicitor J. C. Little, who is doing much to expedite the work of the Court and protect society against the criminally inclined.

The grand jury was composed of the following gentlemen: R. D. Collins, Foreman, A. C. Perry, D. H. Hamm, C. O. Moore, C. G. West, J. A. Upchurch, W. E. Bobbitt, H. G. Conn, H. B. Shearin, R. T. Leonard, J. L. Williams, J. P. Gupton, Arthur P. Gupton, W. C. Burnett, G. B. Smith, J. T. Fisher, D. N. Murphy, J. Y. Beasley.

The docket was taken up and disposed of as follows:

George Winston was given an 8 months road sentence for failure to comply with a former order of the Court, the sentence stayed for 5 years upon condition of good behavior.

The case against S. C. Holden, was continued under former order to October term of Court.

Clyde Mustian plead guilty to assault with deadly weapon, judgment was suspended upon payment of costs.

Carlus Reese was found not guilty of house breaking and larceny. The case of Boss Robbins and Twitt Robbins for violating prohibition law, was continued.

A nol pro was taken in the assault with deadly weapon case against John Ridley.

A nol pro was taken in the hit and run case against Peter Davis. State vs. Willie Valentine assault with deadly weapon. Continued under former order.

The case of reckless driving against Willie G. Stokes was continued under former order.

The abandonment case against Robert E. Perry, was continued under former order.

The two worthless check cases against Geo. D. Wester were continued under former order.

The assault with deadly weapon against W. T. Ayscue, was continued under former order.

The case of violating school bus law against Felton Cash was continued under former order.

The case against Peter Dickerson for larceny from the person, was continued under former order.

Joseph James Mitchell, charged with resisting an officer and assault with deadly weapon with intent to kill, was found to be under 15 years of age and was sent to the Juvenile Court for disposition.

Algie Garrett submitted a plea of guilty of involuntary manslaughter and was given 6 months on roads.

Ned Williamson was given 60 days on roads for larceny.

A nol pro was taken in the case of house breaking and larceny against Frank Jeans.

James Oscar Mitchell was given 18 months on roads for forcible trespass, suspended for 5 years subject to good behavior.

Frances Allen was found not guilty of larceny from person.

Carlton Rayborn plead guilty to receiving stolen goods and was given 4 months on roads.

John Johnson was found not guilty of unlawful possession of whiskey.

Divorces were granted the following:

Iris Peterson vs. Leon Peterson, Robert E. Williams vs. Minnie Matthews Williams.

Arthur Ziegler was given two years on the roads for unlawful possession of whiskey.

## President Leads the Ranks of Buddy Poppy Wearers



WASHINGTON... "Poppy Week" is here again, the time when red poppies are sold throughout the nation, all receipts going to camp relief funds of veteran camps and hospitals. Above is pictured President Roosevelt receiving the first Buddy Poppy from little Miss Muriel Morgan as James E. Vanzandt, Commander in Chief of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, looks on.

## Commencement Programme

The following programme has been announced for the annual commencement of Louisburg College:

- Saturday, May 26th
    - 1:30 P. M. Alumni Luncheon.
    - 8:30 P. M. Annual Concert, Departments of Music and Speech.
  - Sunday, May 27th
    - 11:00 A. M. Baccalaureate Sermon—The Reverend George W. Perry, Pastor First Methodist Church, Rocky Mount, N. C.
    - 8:00 P. M. Y. M. C. A. - Y. W. C. A. Sermon—Armour David Wilcox, President Louisburg College, Louisburg, N. C.
  - Monday, May 28th
    - 5:00 P. M. Class Day.
    - 8:00 P. M. Play—Department of Speech.
  - Tuesday, May 29th
    - 10:00 A. M. Graduating Exercises.
- Commencement Address—Dr. Howard Edward Rondthaler, President, Salem College, Winston Salem, N. C.

## 'WONDER BAR'

At Louisburg Theatre For Two Days, Thursday and Friday, May 24-25th

The Louisburg Theatre is announcing this week that they will show "Wonder Bar" at their theatre next Thursday and Friday May 24th and 25th. Hear Dick Powell sing "Don't Say Goodnight," "The Wonder Bar," and "Why Do I Dream Those Dreams."

Also Al Jolson will sing "I'm Goin' to Heaven on a Mule," and "Vive La France." They're blazing highlights of Warner Bros.' show of 10,000 wonders now enchanting the world with drama, song and spectacle.

The cast includes other headline stars: Kay Francis, Dolores Del Rio, Ricardo Cortez, Hal LeRoy, Guy Kibbee, Hugh Herbert, Fifi D'Orsay, and Ruth Donnelly.

LOUISBURG BAPTIST CHURCH

Regular services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. will be held at the Louisburg Baptist church next Sunday, according to announcement of Rev. D. P. Harris, pastor.

At 6:45 P. M. meeting of young people will be held and at 9:45 A. M. the regular Sunday school services.

On last Sunday morning the church voted the pastor a vacation, if he cared to take it at this time. But I have decided to take my vacation a little later.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday, May 20, Whitsunday, services at 10:00, Sunday School, at 11:00, Morning Prayer and Sermon, and Y. P. S. L. at 7:30.

Y. W. A. TO MEET

The Y. W. A. will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the basement of the Baptist church. Every member is urged to be present.

BOOKS CLOSE MAY 19th

The Registration Books close Saturday. If you want to vote in the primary and are not already registered you had better register before Saturday night.

## POU TO SPEAK

The voters of Franklin County are invited to meet at the Court House in Louisburg on Tuesday, May 22nd, at 2:30 p. m. and hear the issues in the present Congressional campaign discussed by Hon. George Ross Pou, Candidate for Congress. Mr. Pou is well informed on National matters and whether you support him or not you will be interested in what he has to say. Your attention is directed to the advertisement on another page.

## Advance Our Poppy Line

"A Poppy on Every Man, Woman and Child in Our Community On May 26th" is the Department Slogan

The memorial poppies which the women of the American Legion Auxiliary will distribute here on "Poppy Day", Saturday, May 26th, will recall vivid pictures to the minds of World War veterans who served overseas, according to Mrs. J. E. Malone, President of the American Legion Auxiliary of James Post No. 105. The poppies blooming amid the waste and destruction of the battle front, and among the bare graves of the dead, left an unforgettable impression on the American soldiers, she said.

All poppies sold in North Carolina this year were made by nine wives and widows of disabled ex-service men at Queen. Six of these families have been given aid by the County Welfare Department. Several of the disabled husbands served overseas, are totally disabled and have been cut off entirely from government aid. The making of the poppies has been a Godsend to them.

"When the American divisions drove forward in the great offensives of 1918, they entered a region torn, desolated and trampled by the most tremendous battles of history. Destruction and death were everywhere but amid it all the little wild poppies bloomed on. When machine gun and shell fire took its toll from the American ranks, the poppy was nature's floral offering on the graves of the dead. To us those poppies seemed to symbolize the brave spirit of our fallen comrades and when we returned home we made the poppy the memorial flower of the American Legion."

Poppies to be worn in tribute to the men who gave their lives for America in the World War will be offered on the streets throughout the city Saturday, May 26th, by the American Legion Auxiliary women. Men of the Legionnaire cooperating in promotion of the project. The poppies, paper replicas of the flowers that grew on the battle fields, have been made by wives of disabled veterans at Queen, North Carolina. All contributions received for the poppies will be devoted to the rehabilitation and welfare work of the Legion and Auxiliary among the disabled veterans and the dependent families of veterans.

## College Glee Club Entertains

Miss Amelia Bruns, teacher of voice at Louisburg College, is to be much complimented on the splendid program rendered by the College Glee Club under her direction on Saturday evening, May 12 at eight o'clock in the College social hall. Miss Dorothy Hurley was accompanist for the Glee Club.

The Glee Club was assisted in this program by Miss Drusa Wilker, guest pianist, who rendered several difficult and enjoyable numbers.

The program consisted of the following numbers by the Glee Club: The Heavens are Declaring—Beethoven; Sleepy Hollow Tune—Kountz; Spring Time—Strauss-Bilas; Listen to the Lambs—Dett; Steal Away—Arr. by Hall, Deep River—Arr. by O'Hare; Pale Moon—Logan, The Sleigh—Kountz, Alma Mater. Miss Wilker rendered the following numbers: Sonata Brevis—Hyatt; Etude, Op. 25, No. 9—Chopin; Scherzo, Op. 39—Chopin; La Campanella—Liszt-Buzoni.

## THANKS

We wish to extend our deepest thanks and appreciation to all those who rendered us so much kindness during the sickness and death of our husband and father. They will be long and tenderly remembered.

Mrs. J. C. Pearce and children.

Subscribe to The Franklin Times



GEORGE ROSS POU

## Befriending The Farmer When He Needed Help

In another column of this paper will be found an advertisement presenting two letters relative to George Ross Pou's interest in the farmers of eastern North Carolina. That this interest is real and not stimulated for campaign purposes is evidenced by the fact that the action referred to in the letters was taken last fall, months before he had any reason to believe that he would be a candidate for any office. Mr. Pou, we understand, contributed \$100.00 toward the expenses of the movement to secure better tobacco prices, besides giving time and energy and wise counsel to make the movement a success.

George Pou's friendly interest in the welfare of ex-service men is another trait which has endeared him to the people of the entire state. His efforts on behalf of service men and farmers are by no means confined to the Fourth District, as they would be if assumed for purely political reasons.

## Baraca - Phila-thea Convention

The Franklin County Baraca Philaethea Convention met with the classes at Maple Springs Baptist church, May 6th, 1934. The song service was led by J. Forrest Joyner. The invocation was offered by Willard White. The words of welcome were graciously extended to all present by Royal Strange, of Maple Springs, and the President responded. The morning devotional was conducted by Ernestine Perry, and used as scripture lesson a portion of the 119th Psalm. Next was the roll call of classes and the minutes read by the secretary. C. T. Moody, of Pine Ridge, gave the morning talk using as a subject: The Supreme Needs of the Modern Church. The talk was inspiring to all present. He showed us very clearly that Faith, Hope, and Love are the Supreme needs of our church today.

"I Will Sing the Wondrous Story", was sung by the audience for the beginning of the afternoon session.

Willard White, of Bunn, then introduced as speaker, Rev. S. T. Hobel, of Nashville. He used as a subject: Can Man Master his World? His address was especially good and enjoyed by all.

The president appointed as helpers on the program committee the following: Royal Strange, of Maple Springs; Leslie Gupton, of White Level; and Ennis Murphy, of Bunn.

The classes that won banners were: White Level Sr. Baraca, Pearce-Sr. Philaethea, Bunn Jr. Baraca, and White Level Jr. Philaethea. The banners were awarded by J. Forrest Joyner, of Louisburg.

The next convention will be held at Duke Memorial, Baptist church the first Sunday in November, 1934.

Willard White, Pres. Lola Leonard, Sec'y.

## Barbecue

Mr. C. A. Ragland entertained a number of friends at a barbecue supper at his cabin on Lake Mitchell Tuesday evening. The cue was especially fine and was greatly enjoyed by all whose privilege it was to be present.

The Davidson County Farmers' Exchange has a new warehouse at Lexington 30 by 80 feet and more than 500 persons visited the building on opening day last week.

## Bryan in Bronze



WASHINGTON... The picture above is of the striking new bronze statue of William Jennings Bryan, just unveiled in Potomac Park here in ceremonies attended by President Roosevelt.

## Sees War Ahead



NEW YORK... H. G. Wells (above), English historian of ability, upon arrival in the U. S., was of the opinion that the world faces another war, "maybe by 1940." "It's not the newspapers but big business behind the cause," says Wells.

## Zollicoffer To Speak in District

Henderson, May 15.—A speaking tour through the Fourth Congressional District will be made by Jere P. Zollicoffer, Henderson attorney, who is a candidate for the place in Congress vacated by the death of Representative Edward W. Pou, subject to the action of the Democratic primary on June 2.

Mr. Zollicoffer spoke at 12 noon on Tuesday, May 15, in Pittsboro, county seat of Chatham County, beginning his tour, which will end with a speech at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, May 19, in Louisburg, Franklin County.

The Wednesday speaking engagements have not yet been decided, but the candidates will spend Thursday, May 17, in Randolph County, speaking at Randleman, Liberty, and Ramseur. Randolph County was added to the Fourth District by the last legislature, and consequently it has been a battleground for candidates. Mr. Zollicoffer spent two days there last week.

Friday's speaking engagement is in Rocky Mount, Nash County.

In his speeches this week, Mr. Zollicoffer will adhere to his past policy of not attacking the other candidates in the race, but will discuss the national and state issues in the campaign.

The Vance County candidate is not aligned with any state political faction, and the main planks in his platform are support of President Roosevelt, and opposition to machine politics.

The candidates in the Fourth District race, in addition to Mr. Zollicoffer are George Ross Pou, Harold D. Cooley, W. F. Evans, and Palmer Bailey. The District is composed of Vance, Franklin, Nash, Wake, Johnston, Chatham, and Randolph Counties.

## Program At The Louisburg Theatre

The following is the program at the Louisburg Theatre beginning Monday, May 21st:

Monday—Ruth Chatterton in "Journal of a Crime."

Tuesday—Sally Eilers and Richard Arlen in "She Made Her Bed."

Wednesday—John Halliday and Wallace Ford in "Woman Man."

Thursday and Friday—Al Jolson, Kay Francis, Dick Powell and Guy Kibbee in "Wonder Bar."

## COLLINS DELIVERS SERMON

Beginning Mills High School Commencement Exercises

Rev. Trela D. Collins, of Durham, who was pastor of the Louisburg Baptist church about fourteen years ago, delivered the commencement sermon at the Louisburg High School Sunday, May 13th, using the subject "A Synthetic Life." This life, he described as one in which there are different kinds of elements, each having an affinity one for the other, thus making a real life.

First he pictured an outdoor scene including three streams, one a stream of knowledge coming from a rather high elevation, the second, a placid little stream of love and friendship; and the third, a stream of rather high elevation and having a hard time making its way. This he called the stream of religion—all of these flow toward the place of human destiny.

Mr. Collins then pictured the type of life which chose to drink from any one of these streams alone, showing how one-sided it would be. Finally he described the well-rounded life of the person who drinks of all three streams, having as the result a keen mind, a sympathetic heart, and the realization of the power of God.

Rev. Collins urged each graduate to make his or her life a synthetic one, beautiful and well-rounded for the Savior who is worthy of the best.

After the processional, during which the high school graduates marched in and took their places in the front of the auditorium, the audience, led by the choir, sang "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name."

The invocation was said by Rev. D. P. Harris, Pastor of the Baptist church, and the scripture lesson was read by Rev. O. P. Fitzgerald, pastor of the Methodist church.

The Louisburg High School Glee Club, under direction of Mrs. O. Y. Yarboro, sang "Thanks Be to God," and a lovely trio "On Music's Wing," was rendered by Misses Edna Perry, Hazel Johnson and Mary Anna Clifton.

After the singing of "Come Thou Almighty King" by the audience, the benediction was pronounced by Rev. Collins and the graduates filed out as the Re-cessional was played.

## Successful Year

The Franklin County High School League has just closed one of the most successful years in its history. It was organized in 1929 under the leadership of Mr. John J. Wolfe, then teacher of agriculture in the Edward Best High School, for the purpose of promoting and supervising inter-high school contests in Franklin County, laying stress on team work, school spirit, and good sportsmanship. For the past five years the League has maintained a very active and helpful program. The schools winning the trophy cup, awarded each year to the school which is best all-around in league program, are: Franklinton 1930, 1931; Edward Best 1932; Mills 1933, 1934. Franklinton and Epsom scored second and third places, respectively, in the year just closed.

The officers elected for the school year 1934-35 are: president, D. H. Holliday, Mills High School; vice-president, F. U. Wolfe, Gold Sand High School; Secretary, Vester R. Brantley, Franklinton High School; treasurer, G. E. Crawley, Epsom High School. Mr. V. E. Jennings, Gold Sand High School is the retiring president.

Aud Dover of Cabarrus County will start growing one and three-eighth inch cotton staple this season having planted five bushels directly from the breeder.

In the real drama of life the leading ladies are cooks.

The following is the program at the Louisburg Theatre beginning Monday, May 21st:

Monday—Ruth Chatterton in "Journal of a Crime."

Tuesday—Sally Eilers and Richard Arlen in "She Made Her Bed."

Wednesday—John Halliday and Wallace Ford in "Woman Man."

Thursday and Friday—Al Jolson, Kay Francis, Dick Powell and Guy Kibbee in "Wonder Bar."

The Registration Books close Saturday. If you want to vote in the primary and are not already registered you had better register before Saturday night.