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OPENING DATE FOR LOUISBURG TOBACCO MARKET

All Three Warehouses Will Operate—Full Corps Buyers With Abundance Of Orders Expected on Opening Day—Warehouses Being Put in Readiness—Warehousemen and Farmers Enthusiastic Over Price Expectations

Much activity is being made around Louisburg's three popular tobacco warehouses getting everything cleaned up, rearranged and put in shape for one of the biggest and best years of its history, which all seem to feel satisfied is on its way for the fall season, which opens here on Tuesday, September 11th, 1934. All three warehouses will be operated and a full corps of buyers representing all companies are expected to be on the market with orders for and to buy all grades put on the floor at top prices. The warehousemen, buyers and others interested in the market are very enthusiastic and encouraged in their expectations for a big year for the farmers from the sales reported from the Georgia and Southern markets. The tobacco crop in Franklin is reported to be above the average in quality and considering the reduced acreage, is a splendid yield. Farmers are very much encouraged.

The Southside Warehouse will be operated again this year by Sam Meadows and Grover Harris. Their experience and ability to get high prices and to provide the desired accommodations to the growers who sell with them is well known throughout this tobacco growing area. They will have with them this year a full number of seasoned and well-experienced assistants.

The Planters Warehouse will be operated by Pier Williamson, Ricks Pearce, James Murphy, Charlie Ford and Charlie Timberlake. While some of these boys are reasonably new to the tobacco warehouse game, most of them are old heads, fully tried and know how to take care of their patrons, and the newer ones are willing to learn. Each of them were connected with warehouses here last year and are all known to the tobacco growers.

The Union Warehouse is the only one to undergo a change in name. From now on this well known and popular house will be known as Lea's Union, and will be operated by C. W. Lea and Co. Mr. Lea is an old "war horse" in the warehouse game, having had many successful years before coming to Louisburg. He will have associated with him this season Joe Joyner, John Strange, Royal Strange, T. F. Williams, Willard White and C. F. Talley as Auctioneer. Each of these gentlemen are experienced tobacco growers and tobacco men and are well known throughout this tobacco territory.

Each of the three houses will be put in complete readiness to handle full sales from the beginning on September 11th, and extend the heartiest and most cordial welcome to all tobacco growers to visit them at any time and the Town through all of its civic and civil organizations join in this invitation to make Louisburg your home town.

CHILDREN'S DAY

Sunday night at 8 o'clock the "Children's Day" program will be given at Sarepta church, at Centerville. Everyone is invited to attend.

Program At The Louisburg Theatre

The following is the program at the Louisburg Theatre beginning Saturday, August 25th:
SATURDAY—Rex Bell in "The Man From Arizona." Also 4th chapter "Mystery Squadron."
MONDAY—Kay Frances and Warren William in "Dr. Monica." Also Mary Small in "Love Thy Neighbor."
TUESDAY—Ricardo Cortez, Franchot Tone, Loreta Young and Andy Devine in "Midnight Mary."
WEDNESDAY—William Powell in "The Key."
THURSDAY and FRIDAY—Gary Cooper and Marion Davies in "Operator 13."

SPEAKER H. T. RAINEY DEAD

To Be Buried At Carrollton, Ill., His Boyhood Home—President Roosevelt to Attend

St. Louis, Aug. 20.—Henry T. Rainey, picturesque speaker of the House of Representatives, is dead.

Apparently on the road to recovery from an attack of bronchial pneumonia, he suddenly developed angina pectoris last night and died at 7:50 p. m. as three physicians, hastily summoned, stood by, unable to aid him. Today would have been his seventy-fourth birthday.

The speaker's unexpected passing brought expressions of deep sorrow from political leaders in all parts of the nation—from President Roosevelt on down.

President's Tribute
The President called him "a humanitarian whose fine patriotism thought first of all of what he conceived to be the well being and interests of the common man."

His predecessor as speaker, Vice-President John N. Garner was "shocked speechless."

Leadership of the next House is in doubt as a result of the death of Mr. Rainey, but Representative Joseph W. Byrns of Tennessee, who helped him put through the "must" legislation of President Roosevelt's program in the last Congress, is prominently mentioned as his successor.

Widow May Succeed
From Senator William H. Dierich, (D. Ill.), a close friend of the speaker, came the suggestion that the widow, for years her husband's secretary, might become the Democratic party's choice for the House seat held by Mr. Rainey since 1903 except for the term following the Harding landslide of 1920.

While physicians at the Pall hospital, where the speaker died, believed he was on the road to recovery, Mrs. Rainey had a premonition of her husband's death.

Mrs. Rainey spent the day with her husband, leaving late in the day for their home in Carrollton, Ill.

Had Premonition
"I knew my husband could not live long when I saw him," she said. "We chatted together, had breakfast and dinner together. He appeared to be in good spirits at all times, and was so happy that I brought him some jam, which he liked so well. But something told me that he would not last much longer."

The body will be cremated, in accordance with a wish Mrs. Rainey said her husband had often expressed.

President Roosevelt will leave tomorrow on a Mid Western journey of tribute to a warm personal friend and political ally—the late Speaker Henry T. Rainey.

The body of the House veteran of 30 years will be sent from St. Louis to the Rainey homestead at Carrollton, Ill., for burial Wednesday.

President Roosevelt will go on his sad mission on a special train to attend the services in the quiet little agricultural city where Rainey was born 74 years ago and where he made his home during his entire life time.

The body will lie in state in the rotunda of the Greene county courthouse until afternoon, when it will be taken to the Rainey home. There the funeral services will be held at 4 p. m. (C. S. T.)

Delightful Barbecue

Capt. F. G. Baker entertained quite a number of friends at a delightful barbecue supper at Weldon's pond, about eight miles north of Louisburg, on Friday evening. The cue was well prepared and in abundance and was greatly enjoyed by all whose pleasure it was to be present.

Capt. Baker, is the capable, efficient and congenial Superintendent of the local prison camp, situated two miles north of Louisburg, and has made hosts of friends since his coming to this community.

A CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their many deeds of kindness shown us during the illness and death of our dear mother. They will be long and tenderly remembered by us.

Her children.
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Tuning Up Their Challenger For Gold Cup Races



NEW YORK... The British Gold Cup challenging yacht "Endeavor" (below), is getting her tuning up trials off the Connecticut shores as her owner, Mr. T. O. M. Sopwith and wife (above), smile optimistically in the hopes of lifting the famous yachting trophy which the late Sir Thomas Lipton tried so valiantly to take back to England... The International races are scheduled to start off Newport, R. I. about September 15... Mrs. Sopwith will sail in the races with her husband, as timekeeper, the first woman ever aboard in the historic class.

Mr. Waldrop, who succeeded Leslie R. Ames as chief engineer of the commission in the reorganization of that department last year, was rendered unconscious when his car was in a wreck with one driven by C. J. Hayes, who travels for an advertising concern.

DIVIDEND DEATH TAKES PAYMENT CHIEF WALDROP

To Holders Of Common Claims Against Bank Of Youngsville

Mr. J. R. Teague, Liquidating Agent for the Bank of Youngsville, announces that by September 1st, he will pay a dividend of ten per cent to the holders of common claims on file with him at this time. This dividend comes at a time when it will be more than gladly received by those entitled to it and when it will be of great need.

Mr. Teague, who also has charge of the final liquidation of the Citizens Commercial Bank at Franklinton, the Farmers and Merchants Bank at Louisburg and the closed bank at Warrenton, has quite a big job, to which he is giving capable, efficient and untiring service in the interest of the creditors of the banks he represents.

Raleigh, Aug. 20.—John D. Waldrop, chief engineer for the State Highway and Public Works Commission, died in a New Bern hospital about 3:25 o'clock on Monday afternoon as result of injuries he sustained late Saturday afternoon at New Bern.

SUSPECTS RELEASED

Ben Wright, Otis Daniel, Thurston Mitchell, Tommie Wright and Monkey Wright, colored, who were detained in jails as suspects in connection with the assault on Mrs. J. B. Wilson, near Ingleside, on Friday morning, August 3rd, were given their freedom by Sheriff Spivey on last Friday after Mrs. Wilson had seen them and stated that neither of them were the one who assaulted her.

Mrs. Wilson is fully confident that she could recognize her negro assaulter, both by his looks and his voice.

Sheriff Spivey and his officers are keeping a close watch for developments and are leaving nothing undone in their efforts to ascertain and arrest the right party.

Recorder's Court

Only slight interest was shown in the Franklin Recorder's court on Tuesday. Judge J. E. Malone disposed of the docket as follows:
Al Crudup was found guilty of distilling and given 90 days on roads; appeal.

Roosevelt Alston, assault with deadly weapons, transferred to Superior Court.

Duke Joyner was found guilty of assault on female and was given 90 days on roads.

Archie Bell, unlawful possession of whiskey, discharged upon payment of costs.

Charlie Gill pleads guilty to larceny and given 60 days on roads.

Charlie Gill House breaking and larceny, transferred to Superior Court.

Federation Clubs Meet

The Franklin County Federation of Demonstration Clubs held its regular session on Friday in the Council room at Balance Rock with Mrs. J. F. Mitchner, president, presiding and Mrs. P. E. Dean, secretary.

The Mitchner's Womens Club was awarded the prize for having the largest attendance at the meeting.

The 4-H Club girls in Camp at Balance Rock gave a program of Stunts and Comics that were especially interesting.

Dr. D. T. Smithwick, County Historian, made a good and interesting address on Good Citizenship and explained the spirit behind the giving of the medal by the S. A. R. These medals are won through contests in school.

F. H. Jeter, of the State College Extension Department, made a most optimistic and interesting talk on the Agricultural Adjustment Administrations' activities in the interest of the farmers.

"Molly's Idea"

The Young People's Service League of the Episcopal Church will stage "Molly's Idea", a three act, musical comedy, on Tuesday, September 18th. This will be of interest throughout the community as this entertainment is proving sensational and artistic as well as a financial success wherever it is presented. It will be professionally directed by a very capable coach. There are twenty-four musical numbers which will be taken care of by the best singers and dancers in the city. The plot of the play is one of which will hold the interest of the audience from start to finish and will be taken care of by the best actors in the community. The proceeds from the show will go for a most worthy cause and the Y. P. S. L. is asking the cooperation of every one who is called upon to assist in this production.

YOUNGVILLE CIRCUIT

Regular Sunday services at Shiloh, Piney Grove and Youngsville, by the pastor. The revival at Prospect church begins at 3 o'clock; services also at 8 by Rev. Thomas Carriger. Services throughout the week.

CHAS. E. VALE, Pastor.

If marriage is a failure, what is divorce?

GUNTER GIVES ACCOUNTING

M. G. Mann, New General Manager, Speaks to Many Farmers at Cotton Meeting Wednesday Afternoon

With more than a hundred representative members of the North Carolina Cotton Growers Cooperative Marketing Association in attendance in the Court house on Wednesday afternoon a most interesting meeting was held in which Mr. L. Bruce Gunter, of Fuquay Springs, the new Director for the sixth district, gave an accounting for the short while he has been in service and Mr. M. G. Mann, the newly elected General Manager talked Association to his hearers. Optimism was prevalent throughout the entire meeting and the greatest of interest shown.

The meeting was called to order by F. W. Justice and the objects explained by R. T. Melvin, who also presented Director Gunter. Mr. Gunter told his hearers of his promise at a meeting here earlier in the Spring when he promised to use his efforts for certain changes and had now come to tell them that the Directors had reduced the budget 33 per cent from last year, had reduced office rents and expenses and had changed the General Manager.

He was very complimentary to U. B. Blalock, former General Manager and equally confident of the ability of the newly elected General Manager M. G. Mann. He reviewed the history of the government's assistance to the farmers and explained why the processing tax was necessarily a part of the scheme showing its benefits to the farmers who were trying to cooperate with the government and better their conditions. He also told of the tremendous fight being made against the processing tax by those who do not want the farmer to get a fair price for his products. He also showed along with this how the government needs cooperative marketing to carry on with its farm program.

M. G. Mann, newly elected General Manager, in speaking of the Association's past said it has handled 1,200,000 bales of cotton during the twelve years it has been in operation and that the North Carolina Association is the only one in the South that can go to local banks and borrow all the money it needs to operate with. He gave the association credit for having built up an influence that caused farmers to receive fair pay for their better grades of cotton and asserted that if the association would quit there would be no premiums paid for staple within a year. He explained as far as possible the government's plan to advance 12 cents a pound on cotton, it being pretty much the same as the 10 cent advance plan of last year, and strongly advised all farmers not to sell a pound of cotton for less than 12 cents. Asserting that the association from now on was not going to be a one man organization, he told of having several committees appointed, the most important of which was the Sales Committee. He is striving at increased benefits to the farmers and decreased cost to the members.

At the conclusion of the speech of Mr. Mann, chairman Justice, after discussion of the new order, appointed a committee composed of W. D. Fuller, M. Stamps and A. F. Johnson to draft resolutions expressing the appreciations of the members of this district for the efforts of L. Bruce Gunter, the new Director, in bringing about these changes.

A renewed enthusiastic interest, was evident in the activities of the Association at the conclusion of the meeting.

The committee drafted resolutions as follows:
"That whereas the cotton growers of Franklin County interested in the N. C. Cotton Growers Cooperative Marketing Association being interested in the future of the Association and believing that certain changes were necessary for its greater success therefore be it resolved:

First: That we extend our deepest appreciations and thanks to Mr. L. Bruce Gunter, our newly elected Director from this district, for his efforts in bringing about these changes.

2nd: That we greatly appreciate the interest he is showing in regaining the confidence and interest of cotton growers in the association.

3rd: That a copy of these resolutions be mailed to Mr. Gunter, the N. C. Cooperative Marketing Association and given to press.

Heads Bootlegger Drive



KANSAS CITY... A. J. Mellott (above), of this place, is the man selected by the government to head the army of 3,298 operatives in the new drive now launched to eliminate the illicit liquor business and round up all bootleggers.

Franklin County 4-H Club Camp

Prizes Given Best All-Round Campers; Stunts Are Staged

The Franklin County 4-H Club Camp was held at Camp Balance Rock August 13-17. Counsellors for the camp were all former 4-H Club girls. Miss Marion Lancaster had classes in Nature Study; and the girls learned to identify thirty-eight different native trees. Mrs. Virginia W. Cooper had a class in First Aid; Miss Helen Gray Kearney had charge of the Handicraft Class; Miss Christine Sledge had charge of the club songs and yells. Misses Dot and Helen Wilson supervised the Recreation, and Miss Patricia Holden planned the meals.

Miss Ruth Gill, president of the 4-H Club Council, presided at the council meetings. Each night a camp fire was held in the council room, and each put out a stunt. The Rev. Frank E. Puley, Rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Louisburg, visited the camp one night, and he told a very interesting ghost story. The last night at camp, Mr. Crowder, Billie Bryan and Tommy Adams, the life guard, took the campers to the "haunted" house where songs and ghost stories were the form of entertainment.

Prizes were given to the following campers: Best-all-round camper, Shirley Lancaster, Mapleville Club; nature study, Tuna White Hinton, Bunn Club; music, Ruth Gill, Epsom Club; crocheting, Vivian Gupton, Edward Best Club; first aid, Marie Whetstone, Hickory Rock-White Level Club. Four girls tied for first place in the grooming contest, Wynelle Strickland, Rebecca Perry, Ann Bissette, and Marian Sykes. When they drew, Rebecca Perry was the lucky one, a member of the Mapleville Club. Allen Cobb, a Boy Scout from Louisburg, assisted both the counsellors and the cook in carrying out their duties.

The following girls attended the 4-H Club Camp: Hulda Strickland, Diavolah Wood, Ruth Wilder, Tuna White Hinton, Rachel Sykes, Marie Whetstone, Vivian Gupton, Edith Dennis, Louise Burnette, Evelyn Young, Linda Perry, Rebecca Perry, Almyra Banks, Wynelle Strickland, Elsie Gupton, Athleen Gupton, Halcy Green, Janice Lewis, Geraldine Stallings, Ann Bissette, Rebecca Ann Holden, Ruth Gill, Elizabeth Strange, Hazel Lancaster, Nell Gupton, and Annie Laurie Roland.

The camp was run by the following schedule: 7:00, getting up exercise and swim; 7:45, breakfast; 8:20-9:30, cleaning camp grounds and preparing vegetables for the day; 9:30-11:30, classes; 11:30-12:15, lunch; 1:30-2:30, rest period; 2:30-3:30, songs; 3:30-4:30, hike; 5:00-6:00 swim; 6:00, supper; 7:30-9:30, camp fire and games; 10:00 lights out.

Basket Picnic

The Times is requested to state that the Louisburg Kiwanis Club will hold its August meeting Wednesday afternoon, August 29th, at 6 o'clock at Jackson's pond. All members are urged to be present and take their wives and to bring along a basket.

Peanut growers of eastern Carolina report more than 1500 persons present at the recent conference with AAA officials, millers and producers at Suffolk recently.

HEALTH OFFICE GOES TO COURT

TO BE HEARD SEPT. 1ST
BY JUDGE HARRIS

Restraining Order Issued Against County Commissioners By Judge Devin Wednesday Turns Office Back to Dr. Yarborough; Much Interest on Both Sides of Question

The Board of County Commissioners have been enjoined from interfering with Dr. R. F. Yarborough's attention to the duties as Health Officer, to which position he was recently elected by the duly constituted Board of Health of Franklin County, and required to appear before Judge W. C. Harris on September 1st, 1934 and show cause why they should not be permanently restrained from such interference, by an order signed by Judge Devin on August 22nd, giving temporary restraint.

The court action was taken following the closing of the Health offices this week, which denied Dr. Yarborough's use of same. The offices were restored to Dr. Yarborough by Judge Devin pending the hearing on September 1st.

This matter grew out of the action of the Board of County Commissioners in withdrawing that portion of the health budget providing salary for the Health officer until such time as the Board of Health should elect a Health officer satisfactory to them, which action was taken at their last meeting.

The complaint of Dr. Yarborough, Health officer for Franklin County signed by W. Y. Bickett and W. H. Yarborough, Attorneys, after reciting the formalities, and costs etc., sets out as follows:

That after plaintiff's election as County Health Officer of Franklin County on the 20th day of July, 1934, the defendant Board of Commissioners met in regular session on the 1st Monday in August, 1934, and adopted the following resolution:

"That there be no appropriation made for the County Health Officer until an Officer is appointed satisfactory to the Board of County Commissioners."

That the said order and resolution constituted an attempt, on the part of the said Board of County Commissioners to usurp the power which had been conferred by the General Assembly of North Carolina not upon said Board but upon the County Board of Health of Franklin County. That the said Board of County Commissioners is not clothed by law with the power to elect the County Health Officer or to dictate to the County Board of Health whom any said Board shall elect, nor is it any where provided by law that the approval or confirmation of the said Board of County Commissioners is necessary to the election of the County Health Officer, the General Assembly of North Carolina having entrusted the election of the said Health Officer to the wisdom and judgment of those composing the County Board of Health. That the only duty imposed upon the Board of County Commissioners by the statutes concerning the public health organizations of the state and the counties is that all expenditures shall be approved by said Board before being paid, and this duty the defendant Board of Commissioners had fully discharged by the adoption of the detailed Public Health budget heretofore referred to.

That after the passage of the resolution of August 6th, 1934, by the defendant Board of County Commissioners heretofore referred to, the said defendant C. H. Banks, who is Chairman of said Board, in pursuance of the aforesaid attempt to usurp the power and authority conferred by law upon the County Board of Health and to hinder and obstruct this plaintiff in the discharge of his duties as County Health Officer, took advantage of the absence of said plaintiff from the offices of the County Health Department, as plaintiff is informed and believes and upon such information and belief alleges, and locked or caused to be locked the doors to said offices in order to exclude the plaintiff therefrom. That the records of the County Health Department and the supplies and materials used in connection with the public health work are kept in said offices, and it is necessary that this plaintiff have free access thereto in order to carry on the public health work in Franklin County. That the action of the said C. H. Banks, as Chairman of the defendant Board of

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