

BATTERY 'B' BOYS LEAVE

FOR CAMP JACKSON AT COLUMBIA

Ninety Left Monday, The Remaining 33 Left Thursday; Boys in Good Spirit

Officers and men of Battery 'B' 113th F. A., begun their moving activities early Tuesday morning when Capt. Green and Lieut. Bulluck and eighty-eight men boarded the full truck equipment on hand and left for Camp Jackson, Columbia, S. C., leaving thirty-two men and Lieut. Wheeler to come on a second detachment that left early Thursday morning, after necessary trucks had returned from Camp Jackson to accommodate them. The boys were all of high patriotic spirit and were apparently well satisfied with their position and the future experience they contemplate in the service of their country.

The list of the officers and men of the Battery are as follows: Captain—Charles P. Green. 1st Lieutenant—Frank W. Wheeler, Jr. 2nd Lieutenant—Elmore C. Bulluck. First Sergeant, Grade II—Sidney Holmes. Staff Sergeant, Grade III—Robert Alston. Sergeant, Grade IV—Janadus Pace, Walter Dedman, Ronda Gupion, James Allen, John Strickland, Melvin Holmes, William Spencer, Roger Matthews.

Corporals, Grade V—Maullis Cyrus, Avery Peoples, William Stallings, Willard Perry, Woodrow Barden, Allen Clark, David Spivey, Darrell Perry. First Class Privates, Grade VI—William Ellington, Robert Ellington, T. W. Edwards, Leonard Gilliam, Douglas Howard, Graham Holmes, Josephus Leonard, Charlie Moon, Edgar Murray, Leslie Pearce, John Phelps, Douglas Seymour, Walter Sturdivant, Harold Williams, John Asycue, Claude Collins, Louis Cyrus, Claude Hunt, Henry Mullen, Joseph West, Walter Bracknall.

Privates, Grade VII—James Arnold, Jess Batchelor, Davis Bell, Ben Burnette, Carlton Burnette, Ervin Best, Jake Collins, James Collier, John Davis, Emmet Hale, Nelson Ingram, James King, William Laughter, Balbus Lewis, Marion Moore, John Murphy, John Nelms, Quince Parrish, Rudolph Paschall, Spencer Rice, Willis Smith, Thurman Stallings, Martin Wells, June Williams, Russell Harris, Leslie Smith, Cary Radford, William Griffin, Harvey Edwards, Tom Wilson Shearin, Onnie Stallings, Willard Wilder, Philip Pearce, Robert Hayes. The following men were inducted on Sept. 16, 1940 from the inactive National Guard of the United States: Winford Murray, David Lee Wright, Edward Hendrick Smith, Samuel Coppedge, Randal Perry, Henry Gilliams, Eugene King, Ollie Frazier.

The following joined the Battery after its mobilization: Private, Grade VII—George H. Aycock, Jasper L. Barnett, Tarzan E. Bell, Albert J. Booth, William H. Brantley, Richard C. Collier, Clarence M. Gilliam, James T. Gilliam, Alvin C. Gray, Jr., Oliver M. Manning, Lonnie G. Pendergrass, Marcenea O. Pernel, James H. Winstead, Carl L. Wood, Whitmel R. Tharrington, William D. Whitley, William T. Baton, Elwood L. Murray, Clifford A. Richards, Johnny C. Bass, Joseph F. Floyd, Brutus W. Barrett, Haywood G. Braswell, George W. Faulkner, Jesse J. Langley, James W. Mitchiner, Albert V. Radford, Wilbur W. Gupton, Bernice Harrell Cayton, Russell Herman Worthington, Harry M. Hodges, Samuel W. Tyson, John P. Underhill, Bayard C. Thomson, Robert M. Blackwell, Dick I. Denton, John C. Williams, Henry N. Hatem, Luby C. Pailey, Jr.

On account of repairs being needed on a gun several of the members remained over to make these and will go in a few days.

PROGRAM AT THE LOUISBURG THEATRE

The following is the program at the Louisburg Theatre beginning Saturday, Oct. 5th: Saturday—Double Feature—Red Barry in "One Man's Law" and Brian Donlevy in "The Great McGinty." Also "Adventures of Red Ryder." Sunday—Monday—Dick Powell and Joan Blondell in "I Want a Divorce." Tuesday—John Barrymore and Mary Beth Hughes in "The Great Profile." Wednesday—Joe E. Brown and Frances Robinson in "So You Won't Talk." Thursday—Friday—Tyrone Power and Linda Darnell in "Bring 'em Young."

APPOINTED



JOHN F. MATTHEWS Appointed County Attorney and Prosecuting Attorney to fill leave granted Capt. Chas. P. Green.

Louisburg College Items

The Gamma Upsilon chapter of Phi Theta Kappa, Honorary scholarship fraternity of Louisburg College, held its first meeting of the college year on Wednesday evening, September 25. The following officers took up their work for the coming year: Catherine Gillis, Raleigh, President; May Davis, Louisburg, Vice-President; Stanley Patten, Providence, R. I., Treasurer; Mildred Carter, Charlottesville, Va., Recording Secretary; Ruby Gray Massenburg, Louisburg, Corresponding Secretary.

The Dean of Men, George M. Oliver, was elected to Honorary membership in Phi Theta Kappa. Bids for membership were sent to Ralph Roe, Suffolk, Va.; Doris Rhodes, Fayetteville; and Mary West, Dover.

After the new members for the fall semester have been initiated the organization will hold its fall banquet.

The Men's Athletic Association of Louisburg College has elected the following officers for the coming year: Earl Williams, Coats, President; Henry Murden, Suffolk, Va., Vice-President; and James Durham of Durham, N. C., Secretary-Treasurer.

The Woman's Student Government Association has elected the following officers for the coming year: Gloria Simpson, Vanceboro, President; Margaret White Byrum, Edenton, Vice-President; Mary Ellen West, Cover, Secretary; Rachel Fox, Roxboro, Treasurer; Louise Turner, Speed, House President of Franklin County Dormitory; Matilda Whitley, Smithfield, House President of Main Dormitory; and Irene Vaughan, Rich Square, Senior Representative.

The Men's Student Government Association has the following officers for the year: Joseph Newcome, Littleton, N. C., President; Henry Murden, Suffolk, Va., Vice-President; Jimmy Hall, Sandford, N. C., Secretary.

It is the custom at Louisburg College for the President of the college to give a Birthday Dinner on each second Friday evening to all the students and faculty members who have birthdays during the intervening two weeks. The following sat at the birthday table last Friday: President and Mrs. Patten; Lula Mae Stipe, Dean of Women; Mr. G. M. Oliver, Dean of Men, and Mrs. Oliver; Treasurer, Mrs. Genevieve Perry and daughter, Janice; Prof. and Mrs. V. R. Kilby and son, Bobby Joe; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cameron, Prof. and Mrs. I. D. Moon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Culpepper, Mrs. Hardin, and Marvin Keith.

The following students also were there: E. C. Carr, Cameron Stallings, Lucille Smith, Louise Nelson, Irene Jackson, Jean McKinnon, Mary Swindell, Billy Amick, Scott Brown, and Edith Amick.

The next Birthday Dinner will be given on October 11, 1940.

BARN AND STOCK BURNS

Mr. T. M. Harris, Postmaster, had the misfortune Friday night of last week to lose his stock barn and six head of mules on his Sykes farm, about 10 miles southeast of town from fire of an unknown origin. In addition he lost a big lot of hay that had just been stored in the barn. The loss was estimated at \$2,500 with no insurance.

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CAPT. GREEN GIVEN LEAVE

JNO. F. MATTHEWS APPOINTED

Commissioners To Issue Tax Anticipation Note; Minor Matters

The Board of County Commissioners met in special session on Friday with all members present and transacted business as follows:

A formal motion was made and carried to borrow \$25,000 on tax anticipation notes to take care of obligations coming due before the 1940 tax is collected, a sufficient levy having been made.

The following letter was received and read to the Board:

27 September 1940 The Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Louisburg, North Carolina, Gentlemen: By an order of the President of the United States I have been ordered into the active service of the United States Army for a period of one year. Due to the international emergency that now exists, it is necessary that the army of the United States be increased in order that American democracy might be protected. I am, therefore, accepting this call in a spirit of rendering what service I can to the army of the United States.

I have been ordered to report to Fort Jackson, South Carolina on 1 October 1940 and I therefore find it necessary to request a leave of absence as County Attorney and Prosecuting Attorney of Franklin County Recorder's Court for a period of one year, commencing on 1 October 1940 and ending on 30 September 1941. If the Board sees fit to grant this leave I shall sincerely appreciate it. However, I want to express to the Board my sincere appreciation for their cooperation in the past few years and I assure you that it has been a pleasure to have served you. I also want to assure the Board that the interest of Franklin County is my first thought, and any time that I can do anything to promote the cause of Franklin County I will be honored to do so, and will assist my successor in any way possible.

I have no recommendation to make as to who shall fill this office during my absence, and what action the Board desires to take I want to assure you that I will have no complaint.

With best wishes for your continued success as County Commissioners, I remain Respectfully yours, CHARLES P. GREEN.

Upon motion of Stallings and seconded by Terrell, a twelve months leave of absence was granted Capt. Chas. P. Green. The motion was carried unanimously.

Upon motion of Stallings and seconded by Terrell, Jno. F. Matthews was appointed County Attorney and Prosecuting Attorney to Recorder's Court, for a period of twelve months to fill the vacancy caused by the leave of absence of Capt. Chas. P. Green, was unanimously carried.

Disposing of a few minor matters the Board adjourned.

F I R E S

Monday night brought two fires in Louisburg, one of which was in the heart of the business district, but was soon taken in charge with little damage. This one was at the Union Warehouse and a window sash was torn out, which constituted the biggest damage. The fire was caused by a defective fuse.

The second fire that night was in the Mineral Springs section and destroyed the residence in which Percy Bowden, colored, lived, together with many of his belongings. The estimated loss is around \$400 to \$500.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

This will be the twentieth Sunday after Trinity. There will be no early Celebration of the Holy Communion, being the first Sunday of the month. Church School will meet at 9:45 A. M. There will be the Communion Service and Sermon at 11:00 A. M. A new series of sermons will be begun this Sunday.

Every Wednesday there will be the Communion Service with Special prayers for World Peace. This service begins at 10:00 A. M.

The Y. P. S. L. meets every Sunday evening at 6:30 in the church.

FREE FAIR COURT OF HONOR

1915 - TWENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY - 1940

Franklin County's First Industrial Fair, October 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12th

For the first time in the history of Fairs, the Franklin County Fair is putting on a Free Fair. The usual charge will be made for the shows, rides and midway attractions, but the Main Gate to the Exhibit Hall will be wide open. The exhibit hall will open each day at 4:00 and stay open until 10:00 at night.

The exhibits will be of unusual interest and the spaces will be filled by the following progressive merchants and business people: Continental Plant Company, G. W. Murphy & Son, H. C. Taylor, R. C. Beck, Allen Sales Co., Raynor's Radio & Jewelry Shop, Negro Agricultural Dept., Hazel Roberson, Flowers, Brown Furniture Co., Seaboard Store Co., Economy Auto Supply Co., Sterling Cotton Mill, Mrs. H. G. Perry and Mrs. N. P. Ingram.

A special exhibit of canned fruit and vegetables will be shown by the Fair Association. This will be cans that were shown twenty-five years ago at the first Fair. Come and see how good they have kept. The Association will be glad to exhibit any article that any individual brings. So if you have things that you like and would like for your friends to see what you can do bring them to the Fair and have them entered Monday morning.

Ample eating stands are provided at the Fair ground and all except one have been taken. Those who visit the Fair should eat at the Fair ground as everything will be the best by the best cooks in the county.

Come to the Free Fair and enjoy yourself and let the family come every night - it's Free! The 25th Anniversary of the Franklin County Fair.

CLYDE G. WHITE DEAD

Funeral services were held from the home of Mr. W. E. White, on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock for Mr. Clyde G. White, who was found dead in his room in Memphis, Tenn., Friday. Mr. White was 37 years of age, and was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. E. White, Sr., and is survived by a son, William A. White, of Raleigh, and two brothers, Messrs. W. E. White and Kenneth T. White, of Louisburg. The funeral was conducted by Rev. J. G. Phillips, assisted by Rev. E. H. Davis, and was largely attended by friends of the family.

The pallbearers were J. E. Malone, P. W. Elam, W. B. Barrow, Geo. W. Ford, W. D. Egerton, Hill Yarborough. Interment was made in Oakwood cemetery.

TOBACCO SELLING WELL

Reports from the several Warehouses in Louisburg this week show that prices of tobacco have held their own and made some advance.

The many growers patronizing Louisburg market have shown the best of satisfaction and the buyers seem anxious for the weed.

LOUISBURG BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, September 29 was Promotion Day in the Sunday School. A program of progress was presented.

Dr. A. Paul Bagby, pastor preached on "Stir Up the Gift" and "When the Conscience Does not Answer."

Beginning on Sunday morning the pastor begins a series of sermons on "Worship." The topics are as follows: "What is It?" "Prerequisites to Worship," "Essentials in Worship," and "Results of Worship."

At the eleven o'clock hour the topic will be "What is It?" At seven-thirty the pastor will preach on "Under Current and Over Flow."

We urge all members and cordially invite all visitors to attend the worship services at 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., Sunday School at 9:45 A. M., the Training Union at 6:45 P. M.

VANCE - FRANKLIN YOUNG PEOPLE'S UNION TO MEET

The Vance-Franklin Methodist Young People's Union will meet Friday, October 4th, 8:00 P. M., at Spring Valley Methodist Church. The young people are urged to attend.

EUROPEAN WAR NEWS

YOUNG D'S AT YOUNGVILLE HON. ARCH T. ALLEN MAKES ADDRESS

Meeting Largely Attended; A Most Enthusiastic Gathering; Big Feed Much Enjoyed; Committees

Hon. Arch T. Allen, member of the House of Representatives from Wake County and secretary of the State Democratic Organization, addressed a large group of 85 or more Y. D. C. representatives from all portions of Franklin County at a dinner meeting held in the Community House at Youngville Wednesday night, October 2nd, at 6:30 o'clock. Also among the notables being present and giving words of encouragement were Senator C. Wayland Spruill, of Bertie County, Hon. W. L. Lumpkin, Senator from Franklin, Mr. E. H. Malone, chairman of the Franklin County Democratic Executive Committee, and Representative-elect H. Crawford Kearney, of Franklin County.

This delightful meeting was held for the purpose of launching an extensive county-wide membership campaign for the Franklin County Young Democratic Club. Those attending the dinner were members of the various committees and executives of the county organization as well as a number of guests. President Richard C. Whitfield presided at the meeting and dinner, expressing a hearty welcome to all present and outlining the plans for the campaign and activities of the Y.D.C. in Franklin County. He also spoke his sincere thanks for the cooperation that is so evident in all members and committees of the organization.

The evening's activities were opened by the blessing being asked by Rev. F. H. Scofield, Jr., of Wake Forest. Also during the course of the dinner the entire group sang the popular national song, "God Bless America." The dinner was served by the women of the Flat Rock Church. It was a delicious three course meal, featuring barbecued chicken.

Before introducing the speaker of the occasion, Hon. W. L. Lumpkin recognized a number of visitors: Mrs. Eleanor Fairbanks, president of the Wake County Y. D. C.; John Gett, Wake Forest College; E. H. Malone, Chairman of the Franklin County Democratic Executive Committee; H. H. Hobgood, Judge of Recorder's Court of Franklin County; G. B. Harris, Superintendent of Franklin County Schools; W. Owen Reed, Principal of Gold Sand High School; Willard Huggins, Principal of Mills High School, Louisburg; M. K. Carswell, Principal of Youngville High School; H. Crawford Kearney, Representative-elect from Franklin County; and Senator C. Wayland Spruill, of Bertie. Sen. Spruill delighted the group with several amusing stories but in all seriousness stated that the Young Democrats had a lot of work to do to follow in the footsteps of many who have gone before them. He stated that we are now facing a serious time in the history of this Nation in trying to elect a president who has already been tried. However, he reminded the young people that North Carolina knows little or nothing of the Republican party and feels no reason for going over this Old North State "woy Republican" any time soon in the future history. Finally, Sen. Lumpkin introduced the Hon. Arch T. Allen, a member of the House of Representatives in the State Legislature from Wake County, secretary of the Democratic Party Organization in North Carolina, and a former president of the State Young Democrats.

Mr. Allen expressed his appreciation of such a welcome to Franklin County and his joy at such an enthusiastic response among the Young Democrats of Franklin. He deemed it showing good judgment and feeling that the only line of well-reasoning for the young people of North Carolina and the Nation to be followers of the Democratic principles. The State of North Carolina has demonstrated her belief in democracy by repeatedly selecting the Democratic regime and governors for the past forty years, and, he is sure, they will continue to do so.

Referring to the National conditions, Mr. Allen recalled that the people of the United States of America in times of crises turn to the Democratic Party; in the crisis of 1832, they selected a Democratic president, Franklin Delano Roosevelt; and with a new crisis looming for us, the people of the United States will certainly retain such a gallant leader and guide.

The Democratic party is the party of the youth of the country. (Continued on Page Five)

Kinton's

The attention of our readers is directed to the announcement of Kinton's Jewelry Store, a new establishment for Louisburg, in another column. This store which is under the management of Mr. Roy Holmes, has on display a nice line of jewelry and invites you to call in and see it.

SPECIAL METHODIST SERVICE

On Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock there will be a very interesting service at the Methodist Church. It is Church School Day combined with Promotion Day. Songs and exercises will be given by the various departments from the smallest beginners to the veterans in our adult classes. Come and enjoy the singing of the little fellows and see their happy faces as they praise Jesus. Come and hear our older departments speak of their joyous work for Christ. At the evening service at 7:30 the sermon will be given by Mr. Edward F. Smith, a local preacher from the Hay Street Methodist Church at Fayetteville. He is a student at Louisburg College and is assisting the Pastor with the youth work in the church and college. He is a very able and interesting speaker. He will do you good. Sunday School is at 9:45 and Epworth League at 6:45.

GANTT-PEARCE

Mrs. Joe Pearce and Mr. J. R. Gantt were happily married at the Methodist parsonage on Saturday night at 9:30 o'clock. Rev. J. G. Phillips officiating. Only a few intimate friends of the contracting parties were present.

MRS. PHILLIPS ENTERTAINS

On Tuesday afternoon, October 1, Mrs. J. G. Phillips entertained the Current Literature club at her home. The subject of the program was "Hieroglyphics, or Priest Writings." Mrs. Moon spoke on "Calendar of the Maya," and Mrs. Welch told of the "Mystery of Easter Island Hieroglyphics."

PURCHASES BEAUTY SHOP

Mrs. Sterling Cottrell has purchased the Vogue Beauty Shoppe located in the Franklin Hotel building, and will continue to run same at the same location. Mrs. Cottrell will be assisted by Miss Lillian Young, as beauty operator.

RECOVERING

That Mr. Palmer Wester who was taken to a hospital last Friday is much improved will be good news to his many friends. Mr. Wester, it is understood, took poison, but was gotten to Dr. Fulghum's office in time to relieve the possible effects.

JUNIOR ROWLAND

Due to research, half of this country's supply of synthetic valvula now comes from formerly wasted by-products of paper manufacture.