Negroes Boycott, Picket Local Area Schools

--though somewhat less effective than the stay-away effort
to Monday. Only 211 of the 1,powerful air horns

blasted parently turned in to signal the
requests for a cafeteria are picketing was orderly and carcal NAACP leader, said that the
contemplated at additional opening of school this morning. 146 registered showed up for first day classes Monday, while slightly- more, 299, were counted present this morning.

Contrary to similar boycotts in progress at negro schools in Williamston and Robersonville in sympathy for anti-segregation movement, the local area boycott appeared aimed for the most part at the school improvements and getting three teachers rehired.

Involved in the local area boycott are the Riverside Union School in Louisburg and negro elementary schools at Cedar Street and Mapleville.

amiss was underway came apparently without warning yesmorning when practically empty school busses began arriving at Riverside School The boycott was confirmed shortly thereafter, when Charles McLean, State NAACP Executive Secretary from Win-ston-Salem, led a string of picketers out onto the sidewalks

School Board

Education Monday issued a statement through School Supt. Warren W. Smith, calling for the cooperation of all parents in carrying out school programs in the wake of a student boycott of three local area negro schools.

In the statement the Board said: "The Franklin County Schools opened today (Monday) for classes, and this day counts as one of the 180 days of required instruction." The statement made note of the fact that attendance was "con-siderably off" at Riverside, Cedar Street and Mapleville schools and gave notice that "these schools are open and staffed with teachers to take care of all students," and that they carried out the normal course of instruction on Mon-

The release stated further that "the Franklin County Board of Education needs the cooperation of all concerned, namely, pupils, parents, teachers, principals and staff in order to properly administer the school program according to law. Continued absences will result in the children getting behind in their school work and a possible loss of teachers for the coming year.

A hint of possible action by the stay away was given in the next to the familiar chant of the auc-burg Monday. - Times Photo. said: "The Board of Education will have no choice but to enforce the compulsory school attendance law in all cases of continued unlawful absences, as by law provided."

parents in "seeing that their

in the area were informed Bunday night that there would be that some school bus drivers beside the road for the bus to go to school.

Robbed In Church

Miami -- While kneeling in prayer, Mrs. Mercedes Arriaga was robbed of a valuable gold medal.

Mrs. Arriaga was in church with 2 men who earlier had asked about renting a room from her. Later she discovered the \$1,250 medal gone and the rent money turned out to be state money. The men were gone when she made the discovery.

Forgets His Wife

Broken Arrow, Okla, -- About a hundred miles from his last stop, Urban Trisler had a feeling he had forgotten something but arrived home before he remembered what it was.

There, he realized he had forgotten his wife when they stopped at a service station in Oklahoma City. He drove back out had to ask police to help him find the station.

Mrs. Trisler said: "I knew he would come back even-

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Louisburg area negro schools Observers at the picketing nal to send the Louisburg Res- In the line of improvements at on which will probably get un- There were no incidents of vio- on indefinitely, when questioned The line of improvements at on which will probably get un-

entered its second day today scene reported that the Negroes cue Service racing for the the school, requested play- derway this coming spring.

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Offerings Light:

Leaf Auction Warns Of Consequences The Franklin County Board of The Pranklin County Board of The County Board of The Franklin County Board of The County Board of T



Leaf Auction In Action

Company buyers inspect leaf tioneer as the 1963 leaf auction Board in reference to the staged offerings and make their bids season got underway in Louis-

Charged In Fatal Shooting

Three negro men have been more .22 pistol bullets, died men opened the door to a car unlawfully keep their children arrested in connection with the enroute to Duke Hospital in in which Dunston was sitting and offerings. Only a scattered for The statement ended with a near a focal negro night spot Memorial Hospital.

children attend school and not liam T. Dement announced that violate the school attendance Roy Dale, 19, of New York, Joe Raymond Smith, 20, and Reports have filtered into the Elbert Lee Williams, 19, both School Board that negro parents of Route 2, Louisburg, were being held without privilege of bond in connection with the Local Rescuers were sum- apparently recovered from a no school on Monday and also fatal shooting of Wilbert Lee moned out about 3:30 this morn- fainting spell when the Res-Dunston near Ophelia's Place ing to the aid of a negro woman cuers arrived on the scene and had passed up children waiting here about 12:15 Saturday on the Franklinton road some declined an offer to call a

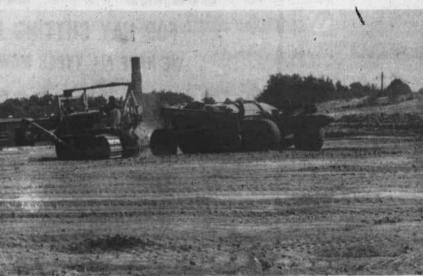
morning. Dunston, riddled by five or

t of school will be prosecuted fatal shooting of an 18 year- Durham after receiving emer- each pumped a barrage of shots old Philadelphia negro youth gency treatment at Franklin into the car with .22 pistols. and the Stabilization Corporplea for the assistance of the early Saturday morning. Dement quoted witnesses to Dale, also got nicked in the parents in "seeing that their Louisburg Chief of Police Wil
the shooting as saying the three right arm during the melee.

Rescuers Get 3:30 A.M. Call

several miles from Louisburg. physician.

The woman, unidentified, had



Work On School Playground

terday as parents picketed the Times Photo.

Construction work was under- school for better playgrounds way on improved playgrounds and other facilities while stuat Riverside School here yes- dents boycotted the school. -

Unusually poor quality offerings dropped opening day averages on the Louisburg Tobacco Market to the lowest price in years, but good quaity offerings sold as good or better than the 1962 opening.

Un-official reports of the opening sales fixed total offerings at 140,522 pounds for \$69, ******

\$56 Average A big boost in average prices was noted on the Louisburg Tobacco Market today when some better quality offerings averaged almost \$56 per hundred pounds. The sales today totaled 59,460 pounds for \$33,-159.27 for an average price of \$55.76 per hundred - up \$6.01 over Monday's opening

opening average of \$55.61. *************** 915,85 for an average price of \$ 49.75 per hundred pounds -\$5.86 below the 1962 opening average of \$55.61.

average and \$.76 over the 1962

A Franklin Times reporter following the sale noted, however, the large amount of unusually poor quality offerings, mostly in loose-leaf form, some of which went for as low as \$10. per hundred. Tops ob-served was \$73, per hundred information concerning the use for good quality tied offerings, of diverted acres should con-Untied offerings made up ap- tact the ASCS Office in Louis-proximately 25% of the total, burg. In spite of the low average, farmers were reported gen- have an opportunity to cast erally well pleased with the their vote by mail for producers offerings. Only a scattered few baskets had their tickets turned Drug Store ation take was relatively low in respect to recent years.

One local warehouseman summed up the opening sales as follows: "Good quality offerings sold good and common tobacco sold common," possibly completed its change-over to young girl cry for help. She not quite as well as last sea- self-service after weeks of had fallen off a rubber raft.

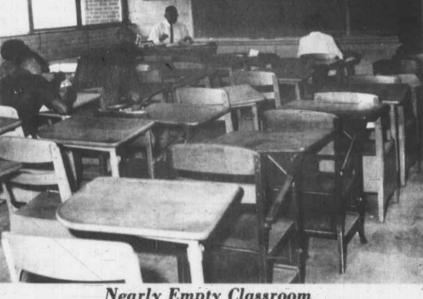
opening, the market news serv- in this area. ing." The girl made it to shore, county's animal pound field loc reported. Increase of \$2 to Their announcement adver- but Rhew was found a few crew. \$ 3 a hundred pounds were post- tisement appears elsewhere in minutes later in the water dead. Only recently he learned that ed for most grades sold in tied this issue.

Tied grades sold mainly \$2 to \$9 a hundred above untied to-

Fred Royster of Henderson, managing director of the Bright Belt Warehouse Association, stated, "I'm well pleased with both the quality and the price. I don't recall ever having seen a more satisfactory opening sale. Farmers are 100 percent pleased,"

Royster warned, however, of low prices being paid for untied tobacco, which has sales priority during the first seven sale days. Farmers are "losing money" when they don't tie their tobacco, he asserted.

Reports of a planned 1 hour cut in selling time daily on all Middle and other belt tobacco markets for four days beginning Wednesday was not expected to have any adverse effect on the local Market due to light offerings.



Nearly Empty Classroom

Monday as students began a boy- - Times Photo.

Only five students showed up cott of the school. Only 79 out in above high school classroom of 336 high school students showat Riverside Union School here ed up for classes Tuesday.

Diverted Acreage May Be Grazed After October 1st

Franklin County farmers who to serve as ASC Committeemen effectively. Ballots have been and feed grain stabilization pro- lin County.

October 1, 1963 is to permit sible to administer the program ballots is September 13, 1963. cooperating producers to plan fall and winter operations more effectively and to alleviate, to some extent, the shortage of forage in areas containing spotty drought conditions.

Producers who seek further

Again this year farmers will

Remodeled

Harris Pharmacy here has

participated in the 1963 wheat from all tentownships in Frank- mailed to eligible voters. Each

person receiving a ballot is engram will have an opportunity The farmer committeeman couraged to review the list of to graze their diverted acreage plays a vital role in helping to nominees, mark the ballot for on and after October 1, 1963, carry out ASCS programs on not more than five and return The reason for the change of the county level. Without their to the ASCS Office immediately. date from November 1, 1963 to assistance, it would be impos- The deadline for returning

Rebuilding Of Hwy 56 Slated

County Commision Chairman gotten underway. Norwood E. Faulkner said Mon- Faulkner quoted the Commis-C. Highway 56 east from Louis- will require considerable en-

Saves Child, Dies Long Island, N. Y. -- Meldon

Rhew, 54, was sitting on a beach with his wife when he heard a Sneezes Explained

of a heart attack.

day that he had been informed sioner as saying that the highby District Highway Commis- way would be completely resioner Clifton Benson that pre- built and possibly even reliminary work on rebuilding N. located at some spots. This burg to the Nash County line had gineering, it was pointed out, and it is expeced to be some time before actual construction can get underway.

Phoenix, Ariz, -- For years renovations during the summer. Rhew swam out and put the Clyde Garwood, 60, has won-Most grades of united tobacco The remodeling has made girl on the raft, pushed it toward dered why he sneezed so much averaged \$2 per hundred pounds Harris' one of the most modern the shore after said: "You've got while at work. He is superbelow the quotations of the 1962 and attractive stores anywhere to help yourself now. I'm dy- visor of licensing for Maricopa

he was allergic to animal hair.



Following The Sale

warm. Wednesday it will be curious follow the sale at a local got underway here Monday. cloudy and continued warm. tobacco warehouse as sales on - Times Photo.

Tuesday it will be fair and Farmers, merchants and the the Louisburg Tobacco Market