

Weather

Increasing cloudiness and somewhat warmer today, followed by rain or sleet. Friday occasional rain and cool. Low today, 18; high, 45.

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College Professor Honored On Anniversary Of 2nd Book

Professor Robert John Versteeg, Chairman of the Drama Department of Louisburg College, was recognized at a special chapel service Wednesday morning in honor of the first anniversary of his second publication, "The Secret Life of the Good Samaritan."

Professor Versteeg, a Methodist minister, teaches courses in religion and is dramatic coach at the college.

Dr. Cecil W. Robbins presented Mr. Versteeg with a plaque which read:

Presented to Robert John Versteeg in recognition of contributions of the written word revealing truth through exposition that interpret and stories that vitalize.

Mrs. Robbins, organist, opened the service with "Adagio" from "First Sonata" by Mendelssohn and used "Festival March" by Handel as the postlude. The chapel choir rendered "Send Down Thy Truth, O God" by Sill and Parker, accompanied at the piano by Miss Sarah Foster. "Dare Tingen," a student, sang "Open My Eyes" by Clara Scott.

Mrs. Elsa Yarborough, librarian, read excerpts from Our Reading Heritage by T. V. Smith. Dean Thomas A. Patterson of the English Department, introduced the Day's Observance, followed by a review of Versteeg's earlier publication, "The Gracious Calling of the Lord," written by Rev. David Daniel, Department of Religion and given by Mrs. Flora de Hart, Department of English. Rev. Walter N. McDonald, Department of Religion, read excerpts from the book.

A review of "The Secret Life of the Good Samaritan" was given by Mr. Robert Butler, and "The Sheep," a story from the

book, was read by Mr. Harold Smith, both of the Department of English.

Rev. V. E. Duncan, Department of Religion, led in prayer.

The Departments of Religion and of English with Rev. David

Daniel and Miss Ruth Merritt, chairmen, presented the program.

From three to five o'clock a tea was given for faculty, students, and friends in the library, honoring Robert Versteeg.



Author Recognized

Louisburg College Professor and Mrs. Robert John Versteeg are pictured at chapel service in honor of the first anniversary of his book, "The Secret Life of the Good Samaritan". - Louisburg College Photo by Bill Jones.

Students Hear Mrs. Moore On Money Matters

Mrs. R. W. Moore, of Franklin, representative for Investors Diversified Services, Inc., spoke to the Louisburg Chapter of Phi Beta Lambda (College Future Business Leaders of America) Tuesday evening at seven o'clock in Room 104, Franklin.

Using "Money Management" as her general topic, Mrs. Moore listed what her company suggests as the four cornerstones of a good financial program: 1. Bank Account 2. Adequate Insurance 3. Systematic Savings Plan 4. Investment Plan.

As the speaker explained these items, she made several statements of particular interest to the group. One of these indicated that women control around 70 per cent of the wealth in the United States. Another was that five out of six persons who reach 65 years of age do not have adequate money on which to live.

To help the chapter members present gain further information, the speaker distributed to each several different kinds of pamphlets.

Mrs. Moore was presented to the student group by Miss Adelaide Johnson, sponsor.

Alice Marie Peedin, of Henderson, president, gave a report on the talk made by Mr. Chipman at the dinner meeting sponsored by the "Times" recently. She told of the advertising and selling pointers gained by the three Phi Beta Lambda representatives who attended. The other two present at the dinner were Wayne Pittman, treasurer, of Clayton, and Judith Woodlief, historian, of Kittrell.

During the business session, Betsy Turlington, of Fremont, was selected as Phi Beta Lambda's candidate for homecoming queen, to compete with other candidates on the week end of February 7-8; and reports were given by the chapter treasurer and by Betsy Turlington, secretary.

Patronize TIMES Adv.

Town OK's Alarm Pact With County

The Louisburg City Council put the final approval stamp on a contract with the County Friday night for the operation of the soon-to-be installed County-wide Central Fire Alarm system.

Under terms of the contract, the Town of Louisburg, will operate the system in conjunction with its present fire alarm system at the fire station. The County, in return, will pay the cost of an additional full time employee, to be assigned as engineer-dispatcher with the Louisburg Fire Dept.

Mayor Pro-Tem Robert M. Hicks, presiding in the absence of Mayor Louis A. Wheelless, appointed a committee composed of Councilmen J. C. Taylor and E. T. Jones to investigate matters pertaining to a controversy between the town and Mr. W. G. Lancaster over a lot adjacent to the Lancaster Funeral Home.

The Council also gave tentative approval to the sketch throughfare and land development plans

for the town as approved by the Town Planning Board; authorized the Hodges Insurance Agency to conduct a free insurance survey of town property; and accepted the resignation of Councilman F. Johnson, Jr., who is moving to Sanford the first of the month.

The Council, upon motion by Councilman Taylor, seconded by V. A. Peoples, adopted a resolution praising the former Councilman for his service in behalf of the Town.

Bath Of Oil

New York--Howard Blitz, 11, of Brooklyn was a slick young lad when service-station operator, Anthony Mancuso, poured two cans of motor oil over the boy's head and shoulders.

Young Blitz had become stuck in a 5 1/2 inch-wide space trying to retrieve a ball. The station operator and his assistant, aided by the oil, were able to free the boy without calling for assistance.

More Freezing Rain, Sleet, Snow?

Rough Weather Is Heading This Way

Ice and snow left from the bitter ice storm the first of the week is going to get some company if present indications are borne out.

Weather forecasters today warned us not to be misled by the slight warming trend today - that more falling weather is on tap for tonight and Friday.

The forecast for this area calls for increasing cloudiness and slightly higher temperatures today with a risk of snow, sleet or freezing rain tonight and Friday. Saturday is expected to be fair and continued cold.

While the weather is not expected to be as cold tonight as it has been so far this week, forecasts of temperatures in the upper twenties is plenty low enough to cause trouble if any precipitation reaches us tonight. The high for Friday is forecast for the mid to upper thirties.

G. O. Kennedy reported a low of 6 degrees at the local weather observatory this morning and a low of 7 Wednesday morning. The mercury got no higher than 35 degrees locally Wednesday and an even 30 reading was the high for both Monday and Tuesday.

Both Franklin County Administrative Unit schools and Franklinton City Schools were open today for the first time this week as rural roads cleared barely enough to allow school buses to run without too much risk. Any additional falling weather tonight, however, will probably put an end to school for the rest of the week.

Farm ponds throughout the area are frozen over with a heavy coating of ice and a result of the low temperatures this week. This reporter tried unsuccessfully to break the ice covering a pond out in the county with several large rocks last night, but declined an invitation to walk across the pond.

Life Term

Henderson--Thomas Henry Fuller, 18, plead guilty in Vance Superior Court Wednesday to two counts of murder in the slaying of his foster parents last August 31.

Judge Henry A. McKinnon, Jr., sentenced the farm youth to two life prison terms, to run consecutively.

His foster parents, Garland Hocutt Fuller, 44, and Mrs. Ora Ayscue Fuller, 45, were shot to death at their home near here.



Rescuers Get New Wagon

Byrant Rowe, left, presents the keys to a new 1964 Chevrolet Station Wagon to Louisburg Rescue Chief V. A. Peoples. The new wagon is the fifth in as many years donated to the Rescue Service by Rowe Chevrolet

- Buick Co., here. The wagons, donated by Rowe and outfitted as emergency ambulances, are first on the scene at hundreds of emergencies in Franklin County annually. - Times Photo.

Very Light Turnout

Franklin Voters Support Lost Cause Amendment

Less than one-third of Franklin County's 6,000 plus registered voters turned out Tuesday for the Statewide Constitutional Amendment referendum as Franklin and all the rest of the

predominantly rural counties in North Carolina lost their last opportunity for equal representation in the State general assembly. The Special Session Amend-

ment No. 1 (Little Federal Plan) was favored by 1,350 of the 1,673 Franklin County voters casting ballots in the election--almost 4 to 1.

The Regular Session Amendment No. 2, dealing with the property rights of married women, which got little or no publicity, carried by an even larger majority--1,361 to 262. As was the case in Franklin County, voters all across the State stayed away from the polls by the thousands. The weather in lots of locations was particularly to blame, especially in the rural areas, which were expected to give the Little Federal Plan a heavy endorsement.

There was too, however, a great deal of disinterest on a large segment of the voting population in both the metropolitan and rural areas. Also there were a great number among both the participating and non-participating voters that didn't understand either of the two measures.

The big city voters were joined by a surprising number of rural voters even here in Franklin County in fixing the reapportionment amendment. Voters in Franklinton Township were pretty evenly matched in their decision as 164 voted for the amendment to 103 against.

Both Louisburg and Franklinton precincts voted only a fraction of their normal total.

Unofficial Election Returns

AMENDMENT #1	YES	NO	AMENDMENT #2	YES	NO
Dunn #1	102	18	Dunn #1	109	10
Dunn #2	55	10	Dunn #2	54	12
Harris	53	23	Harris	54	22
Youngsville	105	19	Youngsville	100	20
Franklinton	164	103	Franklinton	201	52
Hayesville	80	2	Hayesville	55	24
Sandy Creek	83	10	Sandy Creek	79	11
Gold Mine	86	12	Gold Mine	75	18
Cedar Rock	159	24	Cedar Rock	163	14
Cypress Creek	64	11	Cypress Creek	66	6
Louisburg	399	91	Louisburg	405	73
TOTALS	1,350	323	TOTALS	1,361	252

Heart Drive Head Solicits Volunteers

The 1964 Heart Fund campaign will open here and throughout the state Saturday, February 1, and will continue through February 29, it was stated today by Mrs. J. Doyle Medders, wife

of Dr. J. Doyle Medders, local physician, local campaign chairman.

"This will afford every resident of our community an opportunity to take part in one of history's greatest health crusades," said Mrs. Medders. "This is a unique cause. It unites into one appeal diseases which are responsible for more than 54 percent of all deaths--among them heart attack, stroke, high blood pressure and hardening of the arteries, rheumatic fever and inborn heart defects."

Mrs. Medders said that about 40 volunteers would take part in the Heart Fund campaign in this community. They will participate in the "Heart-Days for Business" canvass scheduled for the second week of February, and in the residential canvass which will take place on the week-end of Heart Sunday, February 23.

Volunteers still are being sought for both the business district and residential canvasses, she stated. Interested persons may telephone Mrs. Medders at 6-4250 to enroll for service in either activity.

Fire School

W. D. Morton, newly appointed Training Officer for the Louisburg Fire Department, has announced that a 15 hour course in Forcible Entry will be conducted by the department here next week.

Instructors for the course, Morton said, would be furnished by the State Insurance Commissioner's office. The five nightly sessions, beginning Monday night, will last for 3 hours each.

Morton also announced new twice monthly training sessions of 2 hours each to be held on the first and third Monday nights of each month. The first of these sessions was conducted last week with the showing of a training film on the department's newly purchased mobile sound projector.

To Hold Sewing Workshop

A sewing workshop for beginners will be held in the auditorium of the Agricultural Building in Louisburg the first three weeks in February by the Home Economics Extension Agents.

Anyone interested in attending this workshop is requested to contact Mrs. Frances W. Fuller at GY 6-3344. Details on the time of the classes and what equipment to bring will be announced later.



Observe 75th Anniversary

Brother Sidney T. Johnson, Master of Louisburg Masonic Lodge 413 AF & AM, left, Most Worshipful Brother W. Edward Burrier, Grand Master of Masons of North Carolina, and

Brother James A. Johnson, District Deputy Grand Master, are pictured during ceremonies marking the 75th Anniversary of the founding of the Louisburg Lodge here Wednesday.

Recorders Court Docket

The following cases were disposed of in Franklin County Recorder's Court this week: John Henry Perry, c/m/36, speeding. Discharged on payment of costs.

Charlie Harris, c/m/41, operating auto intoxicated; unlawful possession of whiskey; no operator's license. Defendant failed to comply with condition of suspension. Commitment to issue.

Cromie Taborn, assault on female. Nol pros with leave on payment of costs.

Pete Oakley, w/m/27, breaking and entering; larceny. Hearing waived; bond set at \$200.00.

John Prince, w/m/28, breaking and entering; larceny. Hearing waived; bond set at \$200.00.

Ronald Page Saunders, w/m/19, speeding. \$100.00 fine and costs.

Fred Lawrence, c/m/24, non support. Nol pros with leave. Alvin Eugene Harlow, w/m, speeding. Pleads guilty under waiver statute. \$10.00 fine and costs.

Dennis Eakes, w/m, careless and reckless driving. 60 days in jail, suspended on payment of \$25.00 fine and costs, by Feb. 18, 1964.

James Neal, assault on female. Discharged on payment of costs.

Thomas Johnson, c/m/21, assault with deadly weapon. 90 days in jail and assigned to roads, suspended for 6 months on payment of \$50.00 fine and costs and \$44.00 to Perry-Medders Clinic and \$28.75 to Franklin Memorial Hospital, to be paid into court by March 17, 1964.

Willie Thomas, c/m/17, carrying concealed weapon. \$25.00 fine and costs. Given to March 17, 1964 to pay.

Robert Allen Person, w/m/18, Discharge Pyrotechnics. Nol pros.

Archie Alston, c/m/24, motor vehicle violation. To pay costs by Jan. 28, 1964.

Melvin Green, c/m, larceny of auto. Nol guilty.

Richard Collins, c/m, murder. Hearing waived. Defendant held for trial in Superior Court.

Johnnyson Plato Jones, c/m/39, speeding. Pleads guilty under waiver statute. \$10.00 fine and costs.

Wesley Hamilton Alford, w/m/16, motor vehicle violation. To pay costs.

Jack Earp, w/m/19, careless and reckless driving. \$25.00 fine and costs.

Charlie Green, c/m/24, speeding. 30 days in jail, suspended on payment of \$15.00 fine and costs; to comply by Feb. 18th.

Linda Lou Foster, w/m/20, speeding. To pay cost.

Genie Washington, c/m, non support. Nol pros with leave. Lewis Richardson, c/m/18, breaking and entering; larceny. Bond to Superior Court set at \$1000.00.

Walter Lee Evans, c/m/16, breaking and entering; larceny. \$1000.00 bond to Superior Court.

Elijah Evans, c/m/21, breaking and entering; larceny. \$1000.00 bond to Superior Court.

J. T. Bullock, Sr., w/m/53, murder. Defendant held for trial in Superior Court under \$2,500.00 bond.

Charlie Lee, c/m/25, motor vehicle violation. 30 days in jail, suspended on payment of \$25.00 fine and costs. Given to March 17 to comply.

Norman Boyton, c/m/21, motor vehicle violation. 30 days in jail, suspended on payment of \$25.00 fine and costs. Compliance bond of \$100.00 to March 17.

Walter Perry, c/m/39, assault on female. 90 days in jail, suspended for 6 months on payment of costs by March 17, 1964.

Norman Perry, c/m/53, assault with deadly weapon. Nol pros with leave.

Elijah Evans, c/m/21, (2 cases), breaking and entering; larceny. \$1000.00 bond to Superior Court, in each case.

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Lewis Richardson, c/m/18, (See COURT Page 8)