



Eagles Beat Phantoms

Tommy Bunn, left center, and Store (EB 12), Robert Harper Wesley Alford jump for the basketball in last night's Edward Best-Youngsville game. Others shown, left to right, Phillip Rice (EB), Wiley Brown (Y), Leon

Tourney Moves Into Semi-Finals Tonight

The Champion Epsom Girls outscored Bunn 7-1 in the final period Wednesday night to move into the Tourney Championship game Friday night. The Epsom Girls won 24-22 in the closing seconds of the game.

The Edward Best Eagles outlasted the Bunn Bulldogs, 47-43 to move into a semi-

Horton Gets Honor Award

W. H. (Jerry) Horton of Louisburg has qualified for membership in "Challenger Club," a distinction accorded certain members of the Nationwide Insurance agency force.

Membership in the club is based on excellence in multiple-line insurance sales and service.

Horton was among nine agents in the Raleigh sales region to attain this honor. Others are: L. E. Woodward, Conway; J. P. Little, Roanoke Rapids; S. T. Carter, Washington; M. C. Basnight, Havelock; R. R. Brown, Raleigh; M. W. Hester, Creedmoor; J. R. Thompson and W. N. Bobbitt, Rocky Mount.

Horton has been recipient of this award on eleven previous occasions during his 21-year association with Nationwide.

Fire

The Louisburg Fire Department answered a call Tuesday afternoon at 2:50 to the home of Nathaniel Davis, 914 South Main St. A bed had caught fire reportedly from an electric hot plate. The bed, springs and mattress were total losses. Firemen removed the burning furniture from the house.

Gov's School Nominees Are Announced

Nominees from Franklin County to the Governor's School are as follows: In natural science, Reenie Edna May of Edward Best High School and Jerry Marshall of Bunn High School; in English, Emma Ruth Bartholomew and Kate Allen Huggins of Louisburg High School; in social sciences, Jimmy Currin of Epsom High School; and in math Susan Lloyd and Jane Elliot McKinnis of Louisburg High School.

Nominees must come from the present sophomore and junior classes and were determined by their scores on certain standard tests.

The Governor's School is a unique experiment in North Carolina to give students of the state who have indicated talent in certain subject areas fields. It is to be held in Winston-Salem on the campus of Salem College from June 10 to July 31. There is no cost to the student.

Selections for students to attend the school will be made by the State Department of Public Instruction from the nominees sent in by the various administrative units in the state. A total of four hundred will be selected.

August 1909

The old newspaper shown in Tuesday's issue of The Times was published on August 27, 1909. The names that could be seen in the lower right side of the page were from an article of that date concerning a Lawn Party given at Epsom for Lee and May Jones. Many had asked about these names and other articles shown.

It's easy to give somebody something that rightfully belongs to somebody else.

6 Year Old Third Road Fatality Here

Franklin County counted its third highway fatality of the year early Wednesday morning when a six-year-old school child was killed near his home seven miles north of Louisburg. Jesse Lee Williams, Negro first grader, was struck and killed instantly as he stepped in front of an automobile on Highway 401 around 7:30. The child was crossing the road to wait for his school bus.

Jesse Willard Smith, 48, Louisburg, Rt. 3, was the driver of the car. Smith, who lives near the scene, was on his way to work.

Smith said, "The child stepped right out in front of the car about five feet away."

State Highway Patrolman D. C. Day investigated the accident and reported it as unavoidable.

Day said that skid marks at the scene did not indicate speeding and that no charges would be filed against Smith in the accident. However, Day added, Smith was being charged with operating a vehicle without a license. Smith is reported to have had not had a driver's license for the past twelve years. He only drove, he reportedly said, a short distance each day to meet his ride to work.

The Negro youth lived with his elderly grandfather, Albert H. Williams, near Trinity Church on the Warrenton road. His mother, according to his grandfather, had moved to the north.

Franklin County went through January without a single road fatality. John Thomas Bulluck, Pine Ridge man, was the first road death when he was killed instantly near his home on February 2nd. Bud Bunn 44-year-old Negro man, was killed near Pearce's last Sunday afternoon to become the second fatality.

Two File For Dist. One Com.

Two more candidates have filed for the May 30th Democratic Primary in Franklin County. John P. Mangrum and John W. House have both filed for the District 1 County Commissioner position being vacated by Commissioner Norris Collins. Collins has filed for the House of Representatives seat now held by Representative James D. Speed.

John W. House, 59-year-old farmer of Franklinton, paid his filing fee Monday and John P. Mangrum, Franklinton Negro Minister, filed last Friday. House had announced his intentions to seek the office several weeks ago, but Mangrum filed and made his announcement at the same time.

Mangrum has been a resident of Franklinton for the past 50 years, is a Democrat and is a former school principal.

House has been a resident of his community, about four miles west of Franklinton, for the past 59 years and has farmed during this time. He



John W. House is engaged in the poultry, cattle and tobacco business.



John P. Mangrum Christ of Franklinton.

House has been a deacon in the Post Chapel Christian Church for the past 20 years, a member of the Board of Directors of Farm Bureau and was an ASC Committeeman for four years. He is married to the form Ernie Burnette and has

one daughter. Mangrum said in filing, "I have retired from these positions, but I am not 'Tired'. He added, "If elected, I shall work for the best interests of all the people of Franklin County."

House said, "I am for the continued progress of our county and for sound, economical government," in making his announcement.



William Rowe

Local Youth Named To Honor Guard

William Rowe of Louisburg has been assigned to the famed Old Guard honorary unit in Washington, D. C., according to a letter from Col. J. B. Conmy, Jr., commander of the unit. The Louisburg youth is the first ever to receive such an honor from this county, according to Capt. Harold E. Luck, local Army advisor.

The Old Guard is the oldest infantry unit in the United States Army predating the Constitution to 1784. It is responsible for ceremonial and security missions in the nation's capital, including guarding the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier at Arlington National Cemetery; conducting military funeral, and various ceremonial functions, for the President of the United States and other American and foreign government officials. Because of its unique and highly important mission, only selected personnel are assigned to The Old Guard.

"You may take pride in your son being a member of The Old in his letter to Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Rowe, parents of the soldier."

The Old Guard, known officially as the 1st Battalion, 3rd Infantry, and stationed at Fort Myer, Va., just outside Washington, maintains very high standards. Its training and duties are rigorous and demanding. The Old Guard performs before more people than any other unit. Millions saw them in action during the recent ceremonies surrounding the death of President Kennedy. The soldiers of the Honor Guard were from The Old Guard unit at Fort Myer.

Rowe, 19 years old, is a graduate of Louisburg High School where he was an outstanding athlete in football. He was chosen one of the eleven from an entire regiment at Ft. Gordon, for this honor.

Rescue Call

The Louisburg Rescue Service answered a call at Centerville Wednesday morning around 11:30 to aid J. B. Richardson, 60-year-old Negro, who suffered a broken leg while snaking logs near Centerville. Louisburg answered the call because the Centerville Rescue Squad was enroute to Rocky Mount with an unidentified heart attack patient.

Basketball Tournaments Are For



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