

Increasing cloudiness and warmer today. Showers tonight and Wednesday. High today, 70; low, 37.

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Young men can work eight hours a day and play ten, but after 40 you can't and you might as well quit trying.

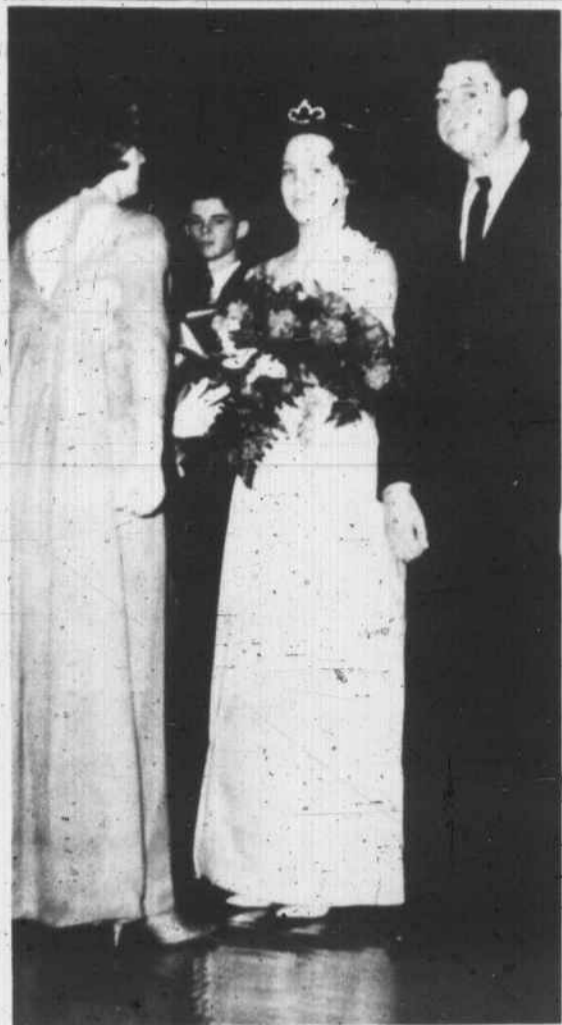
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Homecoming Queen

Miss Susan Lancaster, last year's Homecoming Queen at Gold Sand, is pictured above, left, after presenting a bouquet to the new Queen, Miss Sandra Gupton, representing the Freshman Class, in ceremonies last Friday night at Gold Sand. The Queen's escort is Tommy Leonard, right. Randy Bowers looks on between the two queens.

-Photo by Dick Burnette.

## Former County Woman And Husband Killed

A single car accident Saturday afternoon near Raleigh claimed the life of a former Louisburg, Rt. 1, woman and her husband. Mrs. Helen Perry Williams, 32, daughter of Mrs. Mattie Perry of Rt. 1, Louisburg, was killed instantly when the car she was driving went out of control on the Lake Wheeler road. Mrs. Williams' husband, Harris Samuel Williams, died a short time later in a Raleigh hospital.

Mrs. Williams is a former student at Bunn High School and Mr. Williams was a salesman for the Capital Coca-Cola Bottling Company serving the Bunn area.

The Williams leave four children, Harris, Danny, Cathy Ann and Peggy Jane.

Funeral services were held Monday at 2 p.m. from a Raleigh funeral home. Burial followed in Montlawn Cemetery in Raleigh. Mrs. Williams was a niece of Mrs. Eleanor Mullen of Louisburg.

Mrs. Williams is survived by her mother, Mrs. Mattie Perry of Rt. 1, Louisburg; four brothers, Zebulon White, Billy White, and Cleveland White, all of Rt. 1, Louisburg, and Malcolm Perry of Rt. 1, Wake Forest; and two sisters, Miss Louise Perry of Rt. 1, Louisburg, and Mrs. Margaret Frazier of Maryland.

## Rescue Calls

Louisburg Rescue Service answered three calls over the week end, one each on Saturday, Sunday and Monday. Chief Tommy Peoples reported that the call on Saturday afternoon about 3 p.m. was to aid Percy Egerton. Egerton apparently had fainted and was given assistance at the scene, near a wood yard on Grant Street.

On Sunday afternoon the Rescuers were called to the Justice community to aid H. A. Mitchell, an 85-year-old colored man. Mitchell was dead on arrival.

The call on Monday afternoon about 1:30 was to aid Dick Collier, following an accident when a tree fell on him while he was helping to clear some property behind Franklin Memorial Hospital.

## Advice For Newcomers

Washington, D. C. -- House newcomers have been given sound advice for their behavior in Congress if they hope to win a second trip. The old hands gave the newcomers the benefit of their wisdom and it all added up to one thing: Never forget that another election is coming along.

## Louisburg Man Hurt In Tree Accident

A Louisburg earth-moving contractor was painfully injured Monday afternoon while he and his crew were clearing some land behind Franklin Memorial Hospital here.

Dick Collier, 45, operator of Dick's Drive Inn in addition to his contracting business here, received a broken pelvis plus other back injuries when a tree stump reportedly rolled over on him during a clearing operation.

The Louisburg Rescue Service was called to render first aid. The Service transported Collier to the nearby hospital where he was admitted.

It was not reported how the accident occurred, but it was believed that Collier was standing on a tree stump when a limb broke causing the stump to topple over trapping Collier beneath it.

## Adult Classes Start At College

Classes in Adult Education will begin at Louisburg College Thursday evening, January 28, at 7:30. Some sixty adults from Franklin, Warren, and Vance counties have filed their applications with Dean John B. York.

Others who are interested in Adult Education, but have not as yet filed an application, should get their applications to the college by Thursday, or should come to the college Thursday evening, in the auditorium on the east campus, at 7:30 p.m., for the first general meeting, Dean York stated.

A wide variety of courses are available if adequate numbers to justify them are secured. However, several courses are definite at this time.

Adults eighteen years of age or older are eligible for this program on a college credit or non-credit basis. Applications may be secured from the college, or from most merchants in Louisburg, Warrenton, Henderson, Wake Forest, Bunn and Rolesville.

## Tryouts Start

Open tryouts for the Louisburg Players' production of Shakespeare's "Much Ado About Nothing" will be held Wednesday at 8:00 p.m. in the Louisburg College auditorium. All are invited to audition. Production dates are April 2, 3, 9, and 10.

## Herring Joins LJC



DR. C. W. ROBBINS DR. H. J. HERRING

Dr. Herbert J. Herring of Durham discusses with President Cecil W. Robbins plans for his new position as part-time consultant at Louisburg College which he assumed January 1. The appointment was authorized by the college's Board of Trustees.

Dr. Herring retired as Vice President of Duke University on December 31 and has accepted the new position with Louisburg College as a general consultant to the administration, the faculty, and the Board of Trustees. A member of the Louisburg College Board of Trustees for a number of years, Dr. Herring during the past year has served as part-time consultant for the college's Self-Study which is now being completed. Dr. Herring's broad experience, extending over more than forty years as a student, a faculty member and an administrator at Duke University eminently qualifies him for the new role he has assumed at Louisburg College. President Robbins has said, "Louisburg College is fortunate to obtain the services of Dr. Herring, whose broad experiences in every facet of college and university life admirably prepare him to give invaluable assistance to Louisburg College as it seeks to strengthen its program of service."

## Louisburg Jaycees Name Douglas May County's "Outstanding Young Farmer"



Outstanding Young Farmer

A 32-year-old Louisburg, Rt. 1, farmer has been named Franklin County's "Outstanding Young Farmer of the Year" by the Louisburg Junior Chamber of Commerce.

William Douglas May, who tends 600 acres of farmland located four miles west of Louisburg, will represent Franklin County in State and National competition as the county's outstanding young farmer.

May started his farming operations in 1952 with 50 acres and since purchased adjoining lands. He now owns 348 acres and rents a 300-acre farm adjacent to his own. May is a former member of the Louisburg Jaycees.

The new "Outstanding Young Farmer" will plant 16 acres of tobacco this year, 55 acres

of corn; 9 1/2 acres of cotton, 27 acres of wheat and a considerable amount of soybean acreage. May is also interested in livestock. He owns 27 head of beef and plans to add to his herd.

May is married to the former Janet Hunt of Louisburg. They have two children, Gregg, 11, and Judy, 5. His selection by the local Jaycee organization places him in the select group of those already honored for their outstanding contributions to farming.

Youngsville's James T. "Joe" Moss went on in 1962 to win the State title and later the National title, after being chosen by the local club as the county's "Outstanding Young Farmer." W. R. Richards, Jr., of Rt. 1, Youngsville was last year's selection.

## Gay Products Plant Open House Friday By Invitation Only

Don Meyers, Vice President of Gay Products, Inc., stated today that he had been informed that press releases had appeared in some of the State papers with erroneous information pertaining to an Open House to be held at the local Gay Products Plant this Friday.

Mr. Meyers stated that these releases stated that an Open House would be held for the general public. This is incorrect. The function will be by invitation only--invitations which were mailed by the company from their main office in Clearwater, Florida.

He further stated that it is not possible for them to hold a public open house, since it is not "un-American" to disagree with others, regardless of what positions they occupy.

When you get in a hurry, that is a good time to be sure that you do not move too fast.

is forbidden under the terms of their liability insurance coverage.

## Raleigh Man Hurt In Accident

Noel Colleton, 50, of Raleigh received minor injuries around 8 p.m. Sunday when the car he was driving went out of control near Franklin and headed upside down in Cedar Creek.

Colleton, who was driving a 1955 Buick heading south on U. S. 1, was taken to Franklin Memorial Hospital suffering from head lacerations and multiple bruises.

It is believed that the auto might have skidded off the highway after hitting a slick spot in the road. Heavy rain had caused some areas of the highway to become slick. Colleton was reported improving today.

## Commissioners, School Board Discuss Long-Range Ed Plans

The Franklin County Board of Education and the Board of County Commissioners held a joint meeting last Friday night to discuss long-range plans for the county system schools.

The two boards talked over plans for additional school buildings as recommended by the State Department of School Planning, following a survey made in 1963.

The survey had been requested by the Citizens' Committee for the Study of Consolidation, a group of local citizens who made a two-year study of the needs of the schools.

No announcement was made following the joint meeting, but Schools Superintendent Warren W. Smith said he was encouraged by the discussions. The plans call for three new high school plants in the area in addition to several other buildings. Estimates of the cost of the entire program is \$3,094,000.00.

The Education Board met earlier in the week to seek ways of curtailing the amount needed.

## Griffin Gets State Post

Robert P. Griffin of Raleigh, formerly of Louisburg, Route 2, has replaced Joe Warren in a General Services Division post at the State Legislative Building, Raleigh.

Griffin, 30, known here as Bobby, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Griffin of Centerville. He began work January 15 as "Building and Grounds Supt." at an annual salary of \$5,748. General Services Director George Cherry said Wednesday.

Griffin was on Gov. Moore's staff during Moore's primary and general election campaigns, chauffeuring Moore around during campaign trips and filling in as night office manager at Moore's election headquarters. Griffin is an alumnus of Louisburg College and has formerly worked for an insurance company in Raleigh where he has lived the past year.

One source reported that a more realistic figure of around \$2 million was thought to be enough to put most of the program into effect.

The 12-point building plan as recommended by the Raleigh survey team is actually already underway. A new cafeteria, opened this month at Gold Sand School, and another cafeteria due to open in the next few months at the Riverside School are two of the top priority items on the list.

At last report the Education Board had not set up a priority list for the other projects, but it is reported that an elementary school to house negro students now in Mapleville, Cedar Street and some at Riverside is expected to be high on the list.

Other items are the erection of a new elementary school in Louisburg or to enlarge the present school facilities. The same would be necessary for the Louisburg High School building under the program of consolidation. The second white high school is expected to be located between Louisburg and Bunn unless renovations and additions are made to the Bunn school plant and it is utilized as a second high school. All these would probably be subject to approval by state school authorities.

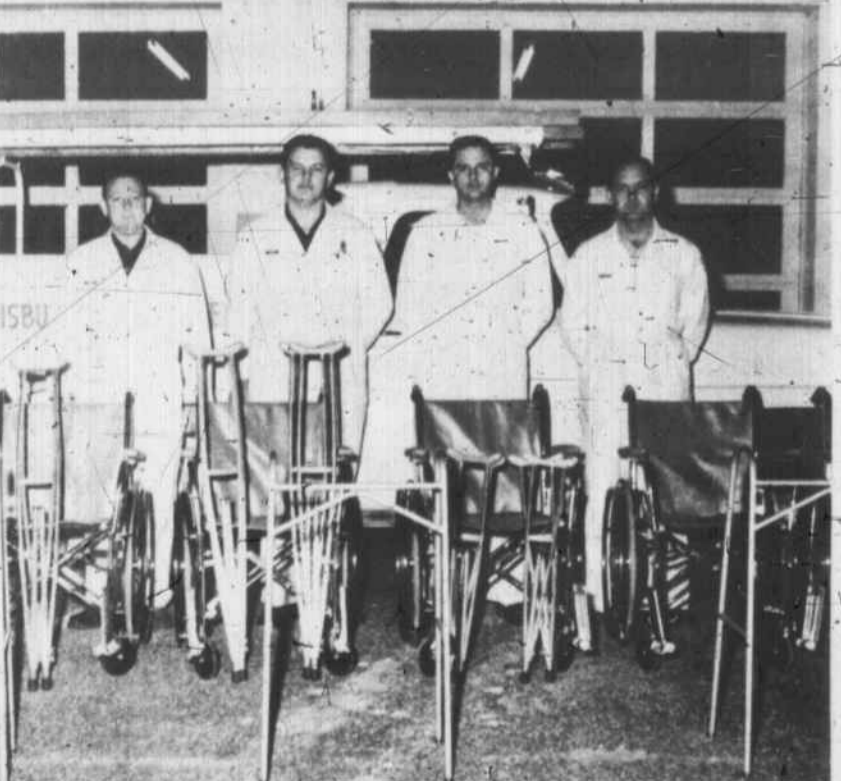
One question being considered is what to do with the \$558,000.00 the count will soon receive from the November State School Bond issue. The Board announced last week that they wished to use the money to the accomplishment of the long-range plans.

The joint meeting was to discuss how this money should be used and how much money the Education Board could expect from the county toward the completion of the program. The possibility of a county-wide bond issue reportedly was discussed in the meeting last Friday.

Before saying "never," remember "never" is a long, long time.

Wisdom is not necessarily shown by those who make no mistakes.

## LOUISBURG RESCUE SERVICE



Rescue Gets Equipment

Newest members of the Louisburg Rescue Service display new equipment received by the Service for loan to needy patients. Left to right, Gerald Eury, Ned Lloyd, Joel Wether-

ington and Joe Killebrew. The Rescue Service has six wheel chairs, 7 sets of crutches and three walkers, purchased with donations from people in Franklin County and other areas.