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City School Tax Election

CITY-WIDE SCHOOL TAX ELECTION

PRESENT CITY SCHOOL TAX LEVY

Purpose	Amount
School Bonds	10c
Other School Indebtedness	2c
Current Expenditures	38c
Total City School Tax Levy	50c

The purpose of the city-wide school tax election is to fix the above total levy of 50c as the limit which the City may levy in the future to supplement the funds received from the county for a six-months term and for extending the city school term to nine months.

The tax rate of 50c to be voted on is **not an additional tax**, but the same tax which the City is now levying.

This tax limit has never been fixed by a vote of all the people in a city-wide election in the present city limits. The proposed election has been called for the purpose of fixing this tax limit by a vote of all the people of the enlarged City, including both the old and the new territory.

If the county-wide eight-months school term should receive a favorable vote on May 26, the school tax of 50c which the City is now levying would be greatly reduced next year and thereafter.

The tax of 12c for school bonds and other school indebtedness would be cancelled by the City, and the tax of 38c for current expenditures would be substantially cut down. The exact amount of the reduction could not be determined until after the County had fixed its rate for the eight-months school term.

COMPARATIVE STATISTICS WHITE SCHOOL ENROLLMENT (1923-24)

City	
1. Charlotte	8005
2. Winston-Salem	7023
3. Asheville	5939
4. Wilmington	4565
5. HIGH POINT	4367
6. Raleigh	4114
7. Greensboro	3767
8. Gastonia	3705
9. Durham	3436
10. Salisbury	2870

WHITE TEACHERS EMPLOYED (1924-25)

City	
1. Charlotte	266
2. Winston-Salem	263
3. Asheville	200
4. Greensboro	151
5. Raleigh	146
6. Wilmington	140
7. HIGH POINT	127
8. Durham	115
9. Gastonia	112
10. Salisbury	97

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