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SELMA SCHOOL NEWS
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I wish to thank all who have helped me with the School News this year and also to wish the old and new staffs good luck during the coming years.

EDWARD HOGE VICK

This week's issue of the School News is gotten up by the next year's staff which is as follows:

Editor-in-Chief, Helen Jones
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Our plan now is to eliminate the grade school representatives. During the past, we have tried to include the lower grades in our news articles, but this has not been satisfactory in every way. Hereafter, the School News will be run primarily for the high school department.

The following essay by Miss Ruby Creech won the Dr. Vick medal in the essay contest Tuesday night:

"Duty"

(Ruby Creech)

When one thinks of duty, does he really know what he is thinking of? Does he know what it means? It is a mission that has been assigned to him by his heavenly father to be fulfilled; it is something that is required of all. Everyone should do his duty no matter how large or small it may be. Often times one allows bad temptations to steal into his heart taking the place of duty and goes on in a carefree manner passing the time away. But sometimes there are others who have the willpower to resist the temptations. There may be someone on both sides trying to persuade him to do the wrong thing but as a good follower of Jesus goes on doing his duty. Many people of today are yielding to too many temptations, and going wrong, setting a bad example for the younger generation; but if they would follow the guiding of their conscience they would be much happier. Duty is a light that will guide us, check our erring, improve us, and calm the weary strife of frail humanity.

There are many people today who are sad and brokenhearted and not knowing what to do feeling as if they are useless in the world. But if they would only look on the bright side of life and go out into the world trying to help others they would succeed and grow happier.

For instance, think of Jephtha a mighty man of valor who is spoken of in the Bible. He was cast out from his father's house by his elder brothers. Soon after this the children of Ammon were waging war against the children of Israel. They sent after him to return and help them fight against the children of Ammon. Jephtha in spite of his wrong treatment, felt that this task was his duty to help win the battle. When he returned, he was made their captain; after fighting for many days won the victory. My friends everyone has internal battles, evil temptations may be trying to persuade him to do the wrong thing, but all the time there is a pulling and tearing feeling in his heart telling him to yield not to temptations. If one will only do the right thing and cease this miserable feeling, duty will in the long run win his battle.

Again just think of the sick people all around us, who need some one to comfort and cheer them. This is a great gap that many often leave open. They go on from day to day, not realizing the duty there is for them to do. Later on in life, when that boy, girl, man or woman is lying ill in his bed, wishing that some one would come and visit him, he wonders why people are so cruel. Then his mind begins to wander; it traces back into his memories and finally reaches a certain point and stops; then he remembers when he did not visit the sick people as he should and others were doing the same. Every one should let duty come first and pleasure last.

"Let men of all ranks, whether they are successful or not, whether they triumph or not—let them do their duty." These words were spoken by a famous Greek philosopher many hundreds of years ago, but they are as useful to us as if they

had been spoken yesterday. They are words that each and every one of us should take to heart and seal.

We have duties all around us, and if some people of the world today did not try to fulfill this, every one would be in worse condition than we are in at the present time.

The term duty is the same as rights, and when a right has been violated a duty has been neglected. The soldiers going to war is a splendid instance of the power duty has over man. Just think of the thousands of soldiers who went to war to fight for our country. They went over not knowing whether or not they would ever see their home and loved ones again. But still the wonderful power that overshadowed them, begged them to go forward. Had it not been their duty they would not have gone.

Why not every one try to answer to the call of duty, and service just as a beautiful mountain stream in North Georgia does. It is the river of which Sidney Lanier sang so beautifully in his song of the Chattahoochee. Its waters rush out of the hills of Habersham and down the valley of Lall to fulfill a mission that had been given. As the river flowed on, it met many temptations by the wayside. The rushes, the reeds, the waterweeds, the ferns and fondling grass said stay, but the little stream rushed onward. The hickory that told manifold fair tales, the poplar, the chestnut, the walnut, the pine said, "Pass not, so cold, these manifold deep shadows of the hills of Habersham. Somewhere in the low land plains there were fields to be watered and mills to be turned. The myriad flowers that mortally yearned for a cooling draught to quench their thirst, so the river rushed onward to answer the voices of duty that called.

Now, when our walk on earth is done the time comes for us to pass over into the great beyond, let us all be able to say, with a clean and pure heart, thank God, I have done my duty.

Seniors Entertain Juniors

The Senior class of the Selma high school entertained the Junior Class at a picnic supper at Holt Lake Friday afternoon. Boating and bathing were enjoyed for a while before a long table was spread with delectable hands. About 70 young people were present at this enjoyable outing. Chaperones were the Junior and Senior sponsors, Miss Zelma Parker and Mrs. Dorothy Spear.

REQUESTS SPECIMENS OF LOCUST BROOD

As predicted by Dr. Z. P. Metcalf, entomologist of the North Carolina Experiment Station, the 13-year cicada or locust has begun to emerge in various sections of North Carolina. The brood now appearing is a smaller form of the 17-year locust found last year in the western part of the State.

"Records have been kept on this brood of the 13-year locusts since back in 1803," says Dr. Metcalf. "We are anxious to get some definite records about the brood and would appreciate the favor if those interested would send us specimens showing the time and place where taken. If possible, we would like to have specimens from every county. If no emergence took place in some counties, we should also like to have this negative information." The entomologist points out that the 13-year locusts now appearing were hatched from tiny eggs laid in twigs and branches back in 1920. The little grubs hatching from these eggs, dropped to the ground, worked their way into the soil, and attached themselves to succulent roots where they have been developing since that time.

A few weeks ago, these full-grown grubs worked their way up near the surface of the ground and awaited the first warm days of May to emerge in countless thousands.

"The cicadas crawl up the trunks of trees and bushes to shed their skins and emerge as full grown locusts with black bodies, bright reddish-brown eyes, legs and wings. They will lay eggs in twigs and within a month or six weeks will disappear to come back again in

1946," says Dr. Metcalf. The little fellows will do no damage except possibly to a few tender twigs. They do not have a poisonous sting nor will they bite.

In Memory of Rev. J. R. Wallace

It is with a sad heart that I attempt to write the death of Rev. J. R. Wallace, who departed this life May 8, 1933. Uncle Ransom, as I called him, was a kind hearted man. He was 62 years, 9 months and 29 days old. All was done for him that kind friends and doctors could do but none could stay the hand of death. Let God's will, not our, be done.

Oh, it is so hard to part with our loved ones who are so near and dear to us. Dropsy was the cause of his death. He was laid to rest in the Hopewell graveyard.

He leaves to mourn their loss a heartbroken wife, Mrs. J. R. Wallace, three daughters, Mrs. Lonnie Stevens, Mrs. Preston Collier and Mrs. Johnnie Vinson; three sons, Messrs Robie and Auburn Wallace all of Smithfield, and Mr. Claude Wallace, of Durham; two brothers, Mr. Willie Wallace of Four Oaks, and Mr. Preston Wallace, of Durham; and one sister, Mrs. Charlie Wilkins, of Selma.

The pall bearers were the Juniors of the Smithfield Junior Lodge. The floral offerings were many and beautiful.

A precious one from them is gone, A voice they loved is still; A place is vacant in their home That never can be filled.

ROBIE HARPER, Four Oaks.

MADE MORE COTTON WHERE LESPEDEZA GREW

Additional evidence of the value of lespedeza is improving land for more profitable yields of cash crops thereafter is found in the experience of B. B. Howell, progressive farmer of Edgecombe County.

"Mr. Howell has a large farm of his own and in addition, he usually rents a good acreage from nearby landowners. In every case, he keeps a careful record of all his expenditures and sales," says Enos C. Blair, extension agronomist at State College. "Last year, Mr. Howell planted 650 acres to cotton. Of this amount, 100 acres was on his own farm and 550 acres on rented land. On his own land, he follows a careful crop rotation in which legumes are turned under regularly for soil improvement. In planting last year, 50 acres of cotton was grown on his own land where lespedeza had grown the year before. Another 50 acres, nearby, was grown on rented land where peanuts had been bagged in the field. This method of harvesting the peanuts left most of the growth on the land."

Mr. Howell used about 300 pounds per acre of a 10-4-4 fertilizer under the cotton grown on his home place and 300 pounds of a 11-5-5 fertilizer under that grown on the rented land. When he figured his income last winter, he found he had secured an average of \$30 an acre from the crop planted after lespedeza and only \$20 an acre from the crop grown on the rented land.

In other words, says Blair, this man found that two acres of land improved with lespedeza made as much gross profit as three acres of average land.

This will in part explain the increasing popularity of lespedeza all over North Carolina, Blair says.

BUILD STAVE SILO FROM HOME-GROWN LUMBER

Where soil conditions are such that it is impossible to dig an efficient trench silo and where the farmer does not have the money to invest in one of the more costly forms of upright silos, the stave silo may be constructed at little cost from home-grown timber.

"Any dairy farmer with as many as eight to ten cows, needs a silo to provide winter feed for his animals," says A. C. Kimrey, dairy extension specialist at State College. "The kind of silo will depend on the amount of money he has to spend but there are several kinds of cheap silos which give excellent results when properly constructed. One of the cheapest of the upright types, is the stave silo made from home-grown timber. The staves are cut two inches thick, five inches wide and in such lengths as may be desired. A good grade of pine or cypress is preferred but in either case, the staves should be air-dried for at least eight weeks before construction begins."

Kimrey says it is best to dress the staves on all sides and to tongue and groove them where possible.

From eight to twelve hoops are needed for such a silo. These are made from one-half to five-eighths inch iron rods threaded about six inches at each end and drawn together with silo hoop lugs. The staves, hoops and a few bags of cement for the foundation are the

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main items of expense.

Mr. Kimrey says the ordinary farm labor may be used for building the silo and when it is properly put up, painted on the outside and treated on the inside with the coal tar preparation, it should last from 10 to 20 years. This estimate, of course, is on the assumption that good, sound timber is used.

Those who wish to build such a silo may obtain plans and specifications from the dairy extension office.

Ehringhaus Names New School Board

Six Members Of Old Equalization Board Chosen By Governor—Commission Will Administer 1933 8 Months School Law.

Raleigh, May 21.—Governor Ehringhaus today made public the new state school commission which will administer as the successor to the state board of equalization the 1933 eight months school law.

Six of the board of equalization who had directed school spending for the 1931-1933 biennium, remain on the new school commission. Its functions are somewhat more elastic and comprehensive than those of the old board. It can kill and make alive on a rather large scale. It creates decidedly more and can keep down creation still more. Its control of the state schools is much more impressive than was the direction furnished by its predecessors.

The conspicuous changes come from the second district where Joe C. Eagles, of Wilson county, gives way to George C. Green, of Weldon; from the seventh where J. O. Carr, of Wilmington, supplants Walter Powell, of Whiteville; from the eighth, H. L. Price, of Monroe, gives way to Edwin Pait, of Laurinburg; from the ninth where A. E. Woltz drops out for W. G. Gaston, of Gastonia; and from the 11th, J. E. Coburn, of Bryson City goes out for O. J. Holler, of Union Mills, Rutherford county. The fact that Mr. Ehringhaus retains six of the old members is significant. He is soon to appoint a state highway commission. He has said nothing about that personnel from chairman down. But the retention of a substantial number of the old board of equalization indicates that his excellency does not lean to complete turnovers.

The first congressional district which was served by Taylor B. Attmore, of Washington, makes no change. Mr. Attmore is a former school superintendent. He ran Pamlico county many years and was the truck into the transportation of children. He wiped out the little schools

in a great scheme of consolidation.

Governor Max Gardner put Mr. Attmore on the board to succeed Senator Pat Johnson, also of Beaufort county.

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NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the authority contained in a certain deed of trust executed by Minnie G. Pleasant, J. B. Pleasant, J. L. Pleasant, and wife, Jonnie Catherine Pleasant, and Bertie A. Pleasant, to T. H. Sansom, Trustee, on the 22nd day of April, 1930, and duly registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Johnston County, in Book 262, Page 75, the undersigned Trustee will sell at public auction, for cash, at the Courthouse Door, in the town of Smithfield, N. C., on the 22nd day of June, 1933, at 12 o'clock M., the following described real estate.

BEGINNING at a black gum on the run of Black Creek, Calvin Ogburn's corner, and runs S. 81 E. 19.75 chains to a stake, this line is not straight; thence North 70 East 19.10 chains to a stake, Robert L. Ogburn's corner; thence S. 45 degrees East 15 chains to a stake; thence S. 10 chains to a stake in the field; thence S. 10 1-2 West 53.65 chains to a stake on the run of Black Creek; thence up the run of said creek to the beginning, containing 235 acres, more or less.

For further description see Book R-9, Page 232, office of the Register of Deeds of Johnston county, to which reference is made as a part of this description.

This the 23rd day of May, 1933.

T. H. SANSOM, Trustee.

Barley after soybeans is better grown, has larger heads and will probably make twice as good yields as where it followed corn, according to a demonstration in Halifax County.

Magnesium arsenate is the best insecticide for controlling the Mexican bean beetle. However, this poison is not effective if not applied to the under surfaces of the bean leaves.

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W. T. Woodard, Secretary.

TAX LISTING TIME

List Your Taxes In May

I will be in Selma each week day during the month of May for the purpose of listing taxes. See me as soon as you possibly can and list your property before June 1st.

H. R. EASOM,
List Taker for Selma Township.

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Bitten By Poisonous Snake.

Mr. Henry Jones who farms with Mr. Garland B. Smith, five miles west of Smithfield, was bitten on the hand by a poisonous snake last Monday while pulling tobacco plants. The snake, said to have been a moccasin, was hidden among the plants on the tobacco bed, and was not seen until it struck Mr. Jones' finger. He was taken to a doctor and given treatment and is improving, but his hand and arm are badly swollen and he is still quite sick.

Care in harvesting and packing have much to do with the prices received for horticultural products, says M. E. Gardner, professor of horticulture at State College.

Eastern Carolina tobacco growers have finished setting their crop one week earlier than usual this year.