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Wearing the High School Letter

To win a High School letter is the dream and ambition of every boy, and oftentimes every girl, in the High School, from the time he enters until he graduates. Only a few win letters every year, but everyone has an equal chance, even the girls, for they have their Basket-Ball, Track, and Tennis teams. There will be more letters won this year than ever before. Already seventeen have been made by members of the foot-ball team this year, and there are four other sports, Basket-Ball, Base-Ball, Tennis, and Track, in which everyone will have a chance to make a letter. Hitherto, in Lexington High School, only a few boys have gone out for the teams, and the same ones played every sport, while the rest of the school hardly had enough interest to attend the games. This year, it is encouraging to note the large number of boys who played and are playing Football and Basket-Ball, and the just as large numbers who plan to take part in Track and Base Ball. This shows school spirit and furnishes material for better teams in the High School. For the good that it does a school, and because of the equal chance of winning letters, everyone, boy or girl, ought to play at least one sport. Lexington High School has as many students as Rockingham High School, yet Rockingham won the State Championship in Football and Lexington was eliminated in the first game. Lexington has twice as many students as the High School that won the Basket Ball Championship of the county last year, yet Lexington High School had no team. These facts speak for themselves, and everyone knows the reason. The remedy is: More School Spirit and More Determination to Make a Letter.

The Alpha Gamma Literary Society

The Alpha Gamma Literary Society was held December 19 in room II. The business was discussed and then an interesting program was given. A recitation "The Fashionable School Girl" was given by Edna Chaney. A debate, Resolved: "That L. H. S. Should Adopt One-Hour Periods, One Half-Hour to be Used as Supervised Study Periods, and the Other Half for Recitations," was given. The speakers on the affirmative were Dorothea Dorsett and Mary Frances Rogers, on the negative Leland Beck and Grace Elizabeth Lindsay. The negative side won the question. Mr. Hunt gave criticism and the society adjourned.

The Alpha Gamma Literary Society was held December 30 in Room II. The pins for the literary society were discussed and samples were ordered. The program for this time was a debate, Resolved: "That Bobbed Hair is More Practical for Women Than Long Hair." The speakers on the affirmative were Frances Pickett and Lillian Whiteside, and on the negative Virginia Conrad and Esther Hut-

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ALPHA ZETA MEETS

At the first meeting of the Alpha Zeta Literary Society in the new year the following officers were elected: Cloyd Philpott, President; Foil Es-sick, Vice-President; Crawford Beck, Secretary and Treasurer.

The new program committee consists of: Dick Walser, Chairman, Hal Hedrick and Dwight Johnson. A committee was also appointed to act with a similar one from the girls society upon the matter of a joint banquet. Since there was no regular program the society was declared adjourned by President Philpott.

The Triangular Debate for 1925

The subject for debate this year was announced by Mr. E. R. Rankin as; Resolved: "That North Carolina Should Ratify the Port Terminals and Water Transportation Act."

Several subjects were sent out to the high schools to vote on, and although none had a majority, the one selected received the most votes.

The high school debating union is conducted under the auspices of the Dialectic and Philanthropic Literary Societies of the University of North Carolina.

Each year booklets are sent out and in each school two teams are selected, one affirmative and one negative. In order to go to Chapel Hill both teams must win the first debate. When they get to Chapel Hill, they must continue debating until they are eliminated by some better team.

The first debates are held in March, and the final debate is held at Chapel Hill in April during High School week.

Lexington High School has already debated and for several years the teams have gone to Chapel Hill. This year we want to have a better team than ever, and have them bring the cup home. So come on students, give the debating teams your support, help them get to Chapel Hill, and win the Aycock Memorial cup.

"IS'ES"

- Is Miss Martin a bird?
- Is Mr. Hunt a hunter?
- Is Miss Greenfield good pasture for sheep?
- Is Miss Lula Walker the best walker in High School.
- Is Wood too green to burn?
- Is Auburn Wood?
- Is Ham good?
- Is Cornelia Pleasant(s)?
- Is Joy happiness?