

# EDWARD BEST HIGH SCHOOL DYNAMO

**Faculty Vs. "Scrubs"**  
 On Feb. 12 there was a very interesting basketball game between the Faculty team and the "Scrubs" of Edward Best High School. The "Scrubs" won the game by a score of 13 to 5.

Line up for play.  
**"Scrubs"**  
 McLain (3) R. F. Cone (4)  
 Wolfe L. F. Parker (6)  
 Eagles (2) C. William (1)  
 Kemp R. G. Upchurch  
 Hopkins (5) L. G. Vick (2)  
 Earp, Referee.

**Live at Home Week Chapel Exercises**  
 The chapel exercises at E. B. H. S. during the week of Feb. 4-10, were conducted by Mr. J. J. Wolfe, except on Wednesday, when Miss Gupton had charge of the Franklin County Day program.

On Monday, Mr. Wolfe, and Prof. Cooke from N. C. State College made interesting and helpful talks on Food Production.

Tuesday, Mr. Wolfe was at his best in dealing with the topic, The Importance of the Cow. The comparisons as to the number of people for each cow in the different counties were interesting. There should be one cow for every five people. In some counties there is one cow for every one hundred or more people. We Franklin County people have one cow for every 8.6 or about 9 people.

The program on Wednesday was especially good. We learned some interesting facts in regard to our County.

Rossie B. Gordon gave some historical facts in regard to the formation of the County.

Miss Berteen Harris gave the names of some of the prominent figures of Franklin County viz: Judge Davis, Captain Harrison Macon, Nathaniel Macon, Judge C. M. Cooke, Sheriff H. C. Kearney, Rev. G. M. Duke, Honorable Richard Wright, Mr. Sam Vann, Mrs. T. W. Bickett, Mr. S. P. Boddie, Supt. E. L. Best.

Miss Velma Greene read a very helpful paper on Future Hopes for Franklin County. We give here an outline of her paper.

I. Prosperity—especially as it pertains to farming.

II. Progress:—

1. In the Public Schools.

2. For Louisburg College.

III. Improvements:—

1. In roads.

2. In beautifying homes and their surroundings.

3. In the conservation of our forests.

4. In the enforcement of laws, especially the Eighteenth Amendment.

IV. Developments:

1. Of our natural resources especially in the water power.

2. Great men and women.

**Future Hopes of Franklin**

As a whole we are very proud of our county, yet in the years to come we hope to be still prouder. We hope that Franklin County may prosper as no county has ever before prospered. Farming is now the chief industry of our county and in the years to come we hope that some master farmers may arise who will greatly aid the county in farming.

The education of our county has merely begun. It is very young. In future years we hope that we may have a good educational system and we also hope that the college at Louisburg may become an A-1 college and may give a good college education to many people.

Franklin County has no real city but to look ahead into the future years, we hope that some cities may arise. Besides wanting the mentioned things to improve, we also want roads and railroads to improve. We want all of our roads to be good. Another future hope of Franklin is law enforcement. All the laws and especially the 18th amendment are hoped to be enforced better in the future than in the past. The water powers of Franklin County also are hoped to be improved and render better service.

Many of our forests today are being used for different things. We are glad that they can be useful. We also want our forests to be preserved; that is preventing them from fire. If each of us does our share our forests can be better preserved.

Franklin County has produced many great men and women in the past. Many great men are living today. We want our County to progress rather than decline in great men and women and the most important hope of Franklin is that many great men and women may arise in the future and be of great service, both to our county and to the world.

If each of us does our share I am sure that Franklin County may be a better and more useful one in the future than in the past.

### Prominent Figures of Franklin County

Franklin County has produced many prominent and outstanding figures. Judge Davis rose quickly in power. He won fame and position being United States Senator and Supreme Court Judge.

Captain Harrison Macon was a member of State Legislature. He was an able captain of Military Company in Revolutionary War.

Nathaniel Macon was a distinguished United States Senator who helped frame Constitution of the United States.

Washington Harris was a prominent and liberal man, being sheriff of Franklin County 24 years. He also represented Franklin, Nash and Wake County in the Senate for several terms.

Judge C. M. Cooke was a member of House of Representatives and also Superior Court Judge, discharging

his difficult duties with great ability. H. C. Kearney was sheriff of Franklin County 27 years. He was brilliant and ever an active officer.

Rev. G. M. Duke was a man of deep sincerity of mind. Although born in Warren he spent most of his life preaching in Franklin. His sermons became famous because of their sincerity.

Mr. Richard Wright, philanthropist, was born near Ingleside and gave \$255,000 to Louisburg College.

Mr. Sam Vann built the Franklin School and gave to town of Franklinton.

Miss Fannie Yarborough of Louisburg, daughter of Col. Yarborough was wife of Mr. Bickett who was governor of N. C. from 1914-1918. She is now a licensed lawyer.

Mr. Sam Boddie of Louisburg was an able Major in the Great World War.

Mr. E. L. Best was born near Mapleville and has done much to improve the educational system. He is now Supt. of schools in Franklin County.

The members of our club are very sorry that Mr. Eagles and Mr. McLain left last Friday. They had spent five weeks here practicing Vocational teaching. These two young men were from State College.

Last Friday the program was very good a talk was made by Messrs. Eagles, McLain and Mr. Singletary, who was the one from State College at Gold Sand. Mr. Eagles talked about and urged the boys to build them a cabin. He suggested that sometime next summer some of us build the cabin in spare time. In the cabin the boys are to hold their regular meetings and also have a thrift bank. Mr. McLain stressed his opinion on project work. He gave some good suggestions. Mr. Singletary gave us some idea of how the boys over at Gold Sand were working. From his talk we observed that they are making progress on their thrift bank.

We hope that we can carry out the suggestion made by Mr. Eagles and "build a cabin." Let's do it boys!

### Social Service Club

The Social Service Club men at the usual Club hour, February 14, 1930. The opening song was "My Faith Looks up to Thee."

The program was as follows: Devotion—Leslie Bowden. Lord's Prayer—by Club.

Life of Lincoln—Miss Irene Gupton. Special Music—by Elsie and Ruth Moore, with Berteen Harris at the Piano.

An interesting account of news in the school was given by Eula Griffin.

At the social hour, the club gave their favorite Valentine verses. Refreshments were served by the chairman of the social committee. During the short social period comments came as these: "I enjoy Club period more than any other period of the week." "I feel that our club is a real organization." "I look forward each week to the social hour."

### Seniors Entertained

On last Wednesday evening Feb. 12 from 8:00 to 10 o'clock the Juniors entertained the Senior Class at Edward Best Hl. The decorations St. Valentine's Day. In all there were twenty four Juniors entertaining twenty two Seniors.

Promptly at eight o'clock the doors were opened to the dining room at the high school and guest were invited to enter. Each guest was directed by a place card. Mr. E. H. Kemp proved a fitting and capable Toastmaster with Miss Bazemore and Mr. Wilson at the piano, we were furnished with several musical selections. There were present several outside guest besides the high school faculty. There was not a hitch in the entertainment nor in service by the Home Economic girls.

The following program was interspersed with original toast from several.

Welcome—Cora Haymon.

To Seniors—Ruby May.

To Faculty—Howard Williams.

To School—Everett Parker.

To visitors—Alma Sykes.

Responses.

From Seniors—Marvin Sykes (President).

From Faculty—Miss Upchurch.

From School—Mr. Sledge.

From Visitors—Mr. Eagles.

The following menu was enjoyed: Waldorf mint cup, creamed chicken mushroom in timbales, boiled ham string beans, rolls, apple compote, potato chips, butter, pickle, valentine salad, peach a la mode, mints demi tasse.

### Grandfather

(Biography, written by Beulah Boone)

As I sit looking into the face of grandfathers' picture, which mother has hanging on the wall in her room, I ask her to relate his life to me. I find that his life history is very short, but easy to write a biography from.

Alfred Wheelers, my grandfathers' name, was born February 12, 1850. As a small boy he enjoyed the pleasant atmosphere of a country home near what is now known as, Louisburg. He lived a roaming life with his mother and father for many years. He loved all nature, and spent many hours roaming the woods. Mother said that grandfather often made the statement, "I know the woods about my home, as well as the Indians knew their homes."

At a early age he was married. He moved several miles from his mother and father where he and his wife made their home in a small log cottage.

In several years the happiness of

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his married life was broken when his wife died. There were two boys and two girls left in his care. In 1863 he was called to serve in the Civil War. Leaving the children with a nurse he went to war as a soldier under the leadership of Robert E. Lee. Receiving no severe injuries he returned in 1865.

After several years he was married to his second wife. On April 3, 1885 there was born in their home a girl Annie. This was my mother. Mother being the oldest girl was very familiar with the way grandfather related his experiences as a boy and soldier.

My grandfather died at the age of 82. As I look at his picture now I know he must have been a hardworking farmer. His face is wrinkled and seems tanned by the hot sun. Although his gray hair is nicely combed with a part on the left side, at the time the picture was made he wore a plain coat, shirt and necktie. I sympathize with grandfather for his many hardships. He did not have a chance to get an education as we do to-day.

### GOLD SAND NEWS

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### Attendance Honor Roll for January

1st Grade—Pearl Burnette, Ruth Carroll, Blanche Cottrell, Josephine Dement, Susie Edwards, Berta Mae Foster, Lois Griffin, Margie Lee Gupton, Mae Harper, Sallie Ann Hale, Maxine Murray, Elizabeth Murphy, Janet Tharrington, Magelene Thompson, Elitine Wester, Roy Edwards, Lester Griffin Melvin Gupton, Howard Harris, Elwood Hight, James Lee Nelms, Graham Pernel, Melvin Pernel, Horace Pernel, Maurice Person, Jr., W. E. Rowe, Ed Smith, Stuart Tharrington, Loyd West, Sam Thompson, Maurice C. Perdue, Helen Carroll, Olga Parrish, Jessie Duke.

2nd Grade—Bessie Ann Carroll, Mattie Perry Fuller, Kelley Leonard, Saellie Mae Marshall, Pollyanna Parrish, Myrtle Lee Rowe, Doris Thompson, Eleanor Grey Wilson, Noble Grey Ball, Lola Tucker, Joe Foster, Joseph Foster, Joe Harper, William Leonard, Bryant Tharrington, M. E. Watkins, Jr., Buck Denton.

3rd Grade—Dorothy Duko, Lillian Parrish, Irene Burnette, Mattie Belle Leonard, Eleanor Nelms, Dorothy Patterson, Grace Perdue, Johnnie Cottrell, Hugh Hight, Sam Johnson, Edward Lee Murray, Bryant Rowe, George Tharrington, John Young Perdue.

4th Grade—Lucille Carroll, Furman Colbert, Melville Griffin, Mary Lou Gupton, Lula Foster Gupton, Beatrice Hales, Walter Johnson, Zenith Joyner, J. B. Leonard, Hubert Murphy, Winford Murray, Hal West, Ralph Yarboro, Edwin Fuller, Carnette Joyner, Mary Davis Speed, Rosa Belle Speed.

5th Grade—Perry Breedlove, Owen Breedlove, Edwin Conn, Perry Griffin, Floyd Harper, Charlie Medlin, James Perdue, Norris Perdue, David Pleasants, Malcolm Rowe, Earl Shearlin, Charlie Tharrington, Russell Harris, Helen Burnette, Lucille Foster, Helen Hales, Pearl Harris, Frances Parrish, Annie Mae Parrish, Frances Person, Lillie R. Perdue, Senora Harris, Oran Terry.

6th Grade—Roy Bumgarner, Hubert Foster, Mack Gupton, Lyawood Gupton, Annie Lee Cottrell, Edna Earl Gupton, Emma Harper, Lottie Joyner, Florence Mae Parrish, Vernelle Thompson, Henrietta Parrish.

7th Grade—James Allen, Elliott Breedlove, Malcolm Griffin, Linwood Gupton, Wilson Harper, Donald Leonard, Sidney Murphy, John R. Nelms, Robert Speed, Gladys Tharrington, Perry West, Wilton Duke, Charles Shilling, Lucille Burnette, Nellie Cole, Athlee Gupton, Susie B. Hight, Ruth Jones, Bettie R. Leonard, Ruby Leonard, Ertie Leonard, Daphne Leonard, Hazel Parrish, Emily B. Person, Mattie Radford, Edna Radford, Ruby Shearin, Evelyn Sturges, Priscilla West, Ruby Wood, Julia Mae Wood.

### Scholarship Honor Roll for January

1st Grade—Pearl Burnette, Ruth Carroll, Susie Edwards, Lois Griffin, Margie Lee Gupton, Mae Harper, Sallie Ann Hale, Maxine Murray, Janet Tharrington, Magelene Thompson, Elitine Wester, Roy Edwards, Lester Griffin, Melvin Gupton, Howard Harris, Elwood Hight, Horace Pernel, Stuart Tharrington, Sam Thompson, Loyd West, Olga Parrish, Jessie Duke, Ed Smith, Maurice Person, Jr., W. E. Rowe.

2nd Grade—Mattie Perry Fuller, Myrtle Lee Rowe, Eleanor Grey Wilson, Buck Denton.

3rd Grade—Irene Burnette, Sam Johnson, George Tharrington.

4th Grade—Edwin Fuller, Carnette Joyner, Minnie L. Dickerson, Rosa Belle Speed, Mary Davis Speed.

5th Grade—Frances Person, Annie Mae Parrish, Edward Conn.

6th Grade—Annie Lee Cottrell, Edna Earl Gupton, Lottie Joyner, Mollie Tharrington, David Parrish.

7th Grade—Nellie Cole, Susie Belle Hight, Ruth Jones, Bettie Ruth Leonard, Ruby Leonard, Ertie Leonard, Hazel Parrish, Emily Burt Person, Ruby Thomas Shearin, Evelyn Sturges, Priscilla West, Robert Speed.

## The Foundation of Our Country — By Albert T. Reid



Thomas Jefferson, inventor of the modern ploughshare, demonstrates his device to George Washington in retirement at Mount Vernon. Washington to Jefferson: "Your plough, neighbor, will complete the work my sword began."

### EPSOM SCHOOL NEWS

The following is a list of pupils having perfect attendance during the month of January at Epsom High School:

1st Grade—Esther Aushton, Beatrice Ayscue, Sarah Jane Ayscue, Jessie Ruth Hayes, Rachel Stones, Lucy Gray Tharrington, Davis Weldon, Jane Wilson, Mildred Wilson, Dixon Ayscue, Charlie Thos. Ayscue, Harold Champion, George Dickie, Rowland Ellington, Nathan George, H. T. Hayes, Young Smith Medlin.

2nd Grade—Velmo Pendergrass, Eva Pearl Jackson, Elaine Ayscue, Harriet Ayscue, Juanita Ayscue, Sarah Ayscue, Verlie Renn, Coy Eaves, Paul Edwards, Peyton Dunn, Jimmie Foythess, Ransom Stone, William Kearney.

3rd Grade—Marie Ayscue, Leland Ayscue, Grace Journigan, Blanche Dunn, Ethel Lester, Louise Dickie, Elaine Weldon, Ora Faulkner, Perry Ayscue, Joyce Medlin, Evelyn Mitchell, Hoket Ayscue, Willie Currin, Horace Osburn, James Pernel, J. T. Smith, Addie Blanche Weldon, Leland Fuller, Mary E. Smith, Walter Hayes, Mildred Wilson.

4th Grade—Thurston Ayscue, Rachel Ayscue, Joseph Ayscue, Myrtle Ayscue, Myrtle Blacke, Wallace Duke, Christine Eaves, Elizabeth Hayes, Eugene Lester, Lusie J. Medlin, Robert Winn, Thomas Roberts, Meeton Renn, G. W. Pernel, Robert Kearney, Kathleen Renn.

5th Grade—Edward Osborne, Ruby Faulkner, Franklin Roberts, Robert Jones, Russell Jones, Madoline Ayscue, Dennis Dunn, Paul Ayscue, Kenball Ellington, Helen Hayes, Jessie Mildred Smith, Rose Jackson, Robert Rowland, Jamie Ayscue.

6th Grade—Bettie Fuller Ayscue, Madline Journigan, Josephine Renn, Grace Thompson, Blanche Weldon, Hallie Ayscue, W. T. Ayscue, Sidney Ayscue, Sidney Ayscue, George Eaves, Brookston Eaves, Jack Fuller, Charlie B. Medlin, Edwin Pernel, Chestnut West.

7th Grade—Stella Ayscue, Tempie Ayscue, Louise T. Ayscue, Ruth Gill, Henry Ayscue, Edwin Ellington, Ellis Thompson, John W. Wilson.

8th Grade—Venora Dunn, Buell Eaves, Mary Nell Eaves, Lucille Foster, Jessie Jones, Ruth Journigan, Helen Gray Kearney, Ernestine Medlin, Sallie Mitchell, Gladys Neal, Annie Laurie Rowland, Alice Cline Smith, Esther Jane Weldon, Addie Leigh West, Henry Dickerson, D. T. Hayes, John Jones, George Wrenn.

9th Grade—Grace Ayscue, Gladys Ayscue, Estelle Catlette, Virginia Dickerson, Elmo Edwards, Lillian Grissom, C. B. Hudson, J. C. Medlin, Eleanor Newton, Macon Renn, Elizabeth Wilson, William Wilson, Elizabeth Winn.

10th Grade—Virgie Ayscue, Myrtle Finch Ayscue, Hettie Green Dickerson, Carl Edwards, Jack Frazier, Woodrow Hayes, Myrtle Mitchell, Sadie Pace, Grace Stainback, Lona Gray Wrenn.

11th Grade—Ben Allan Newton, Forrest Smith, Louvenia Edwards, Madolyn Ellington, Mary Eleanor Jones, Manolia Thompson.

The supply of trouble always exceeds the demand, but the excess doesn't reduce the cost any.

### Bladder Irritation

If functional Bladder Irritation disturbs your sleep, causes Burning or Itching Sensation, Backache or Leg Pains, making you feel tired, depressed, and discouraged, why not try the Oxyest 48 Hour Test? Don't give up. Get Oxyest today at any drug store. Put it to the test. See for yourself what it does. Money back if it doesn't bring quick improvement, and satisfy you completely. Try Oxyest today. Only 60c.



"Growing Good" is the name of the eight-year-old Indian boy who is taught how to use the bow and arrow by Chief Eagle Calf of the Fort-National Park reservation. When he learned the principles Growing Good will get a real bow with real arrows.

## Constipation Troubles

"I HAVE used Black-Draught as a family medicine for a good many years," says Mrs. Sallie Laughrum, of Hunteale, N. C. "I have found it an excellent remedy for constipation and the troubles that follow it. I have suffered frequently from gas pains, and when I am bothered that way I begin at once to take Black-Draught. Relief follows quickly. I give Black-Draught to the children when they are constipated, and it is not long until they are running around again."

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Parker Rand of Wake County sold \$1,268 worth of hogs and pork and \$495 worth of beef calves from his farm near Garner. He also produced 33 bales of cotton on 30 acres as a result of good cultural methods and dusting the cotton with calcium arsenate.

More than 1,600 hogs have been blood-tested in Forsyth County this winter preparatory to their use as breeders.

### SCIENCE ESSAY PRIZE

The North Carolina Academy of Science Prize will be awarded this year for the best Essay written by a bona fide high school student on any subject in the field of Chemistry or Physics.

**General Regulations**  
 Essays shall be limited to a maximum of 2500 words.

The essay shall be submitted in typewriting on one side of bond paper 8 1/2x11 inches.

It is not necessary that a student be registered in the subject in order to compete in this contest.

A title page, carrying the subject, the writer's name, the name of the school, the class to which the writer belongs, and the courses taken in science, shall accompany the essay.

Students may receive aid from instructors only in securing materials. The composition shall be wholly that of the competitor, and so certified by the principal of the school.

In case more than three students from a given High School submit essays, the school authorities are asked to select the three that rank highest and submit them.

Essays should be sent to Prof. R. N. Wilson, Duke University, Durham, N. C., not later than April 10, 1930. The judges will be selected by the High School Science Committee of the Academy and the winner of the prize will be announced at the Annual Meeting of the Academy which will be held about May 1. It is the expectation of the Academy to present the prize to the winner at the commencement of the school to which he belongs.

(The prize last year was offered for the best essay in the field of botany, zoology, geology, or physiology. The prize, a silver loving cup, was won by Miss T'ia Aaron, of the Lexington High School, Lexington, N. C. The title of Miss Aaron's paper was "Community Health.")

Principals and Science Teachers are requested to call this announcement to the attention of their students. If further information in regard to the contest is desired by Teachers or Pupils, it may be had by writing to R. N. Wilson, Box 6663, College Station, Durham, N. C.

Two cars of fat hogs shipped from Craven County brought the top price of over ten cents a pound on the Richmond market.