

**Graded Schools Close Third Month of Fall Term.**

During the month of November there has been an enrollment of 464 pupils in the graded schools; 329 whites and 135 colored. The whites have had a daily attendance of 94.06 per cent, while that of the colored school has been 90 per cent.

The following pupils having made 90 per cent or more on all literary work, with 100 on deportment and perfect attendance are placed upon the roll of honor:

**FIRST GRADE.**

Garret Allen, Richard Burrow, Willie Croker, Ruth Cox, Tyson Foster, Irwin Hooker, Alice Hunsucker, Hannah Lewis, Warner Miller, Clea Rich, Hazel Spoon, Stanton Skeen, Ben Bulla, Georgia Edmond, Mary Fox, Robert Jones, Clyde Lewis, Clifford Morris, Jason Moffitt, Henry Rich, Millard Smith, Clinden Lowdermilk.

**SECOND GRADE.**

Ursula Clark, Howard Dickens, Rollins Miller, Baxter Stowe, Lucile Ward, John Brittain, Grace Preenell, Eunice Bulla, Marjorie Mendenhall, Kate Newby, Hazel Kivett, James Miller, Colon Bunting, Ernest Bunting, Banks Richardson, Dwight Richardson, Paula Webster, Roy Berry, Faye Ferree, Hallie Ross, Fern Ferree, Carl Rogers, Gertrude Foster, Gertrude Auman, Edith Betts, Curry Loflin Gusta Humble, Colon Spoon.

**THIRD GRADE.**

Lila Slack, Dewey Webster, Uliana Williams, Nancy White.

**FOURTH GRADE.**

Cleon Spoon, Nannie Plummer, Willie Stoves, Gertrude Aiken, Clara Preenell, Rilla Spoon, Grace Ferree, Mabel Parrish, Edith Hunsucker, Jessie Wood, Beatrice Lewallen, Lucile Scarborough.

**FIFTH GRADE.**

Thaddeus Lewallen, Everett Kendall, Eddie Sledge, Willie White, Ben Allen, Clara Brown, Lillian Hendrix, Virginia Henley, Catharine Burns, Frances Walker, Cora Stowe, Nellie Spoon, Hilda Slack, Fannie Newby, Louella Lowe.

**SIXTH GRADE.**

Mildred Birkhead, Janette Dickens, Maud Hall, Kate Hammer, Eugenia McCain, Lillie Parrish, Myrtle Ridge.

**SEVENTH GRADE.**

Homer Allen, Virgie Dickens, Ethel Ferree, Bulah Laughlin, Enolia Preenell, Allie Spoon, Lizzie Winalow.

**EIGHTH GRADE.**

Nancy Lambert.

**NINTH GRADE.**

Lollie Jones.

**Ramsour Items.**

Rev. C. A. Wood conducted very interesting services in the M. E. Church Thursday.

Rev. J. E. Woolley and family arrived last week and are comfortably domiciled in the M. E. parsonage. He has many acquaintances and friends here already as he had charge of this circuit about 15 years ago.

Mr. J. C. Watkins and family spent Thanksgiving day here with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Watkins.

Mrs. W. H. Watkins, Jr., and child are spending sometime at Troy.

Miss Mozelle Olive, of Greensboro, visited her sister, Miss Corday Olive here last week. She returned on Monday and was accompanied as far as Franklinton by Misses Olive and Battle.

Miss M. J. Tate left Friday to visit relatives at Atkinson and Wilmington.

Messrs. Clarence and Ernest Watkins kills 6 birds on Thanksgiving day.

Willie McMassee killed two 11 months old pigs that weighed 341 and 342.

A. B. Covington retires from the hotel business this week. N. H. Slack takes control of Hotel Ramsour.

Miss Fannie Pearce visited friends at Cameron last week.

Mr. R. I. Smith went to Greensboro Monday.

Rev. Mr. Smith, of Elon College, has been engaged as pastor of the Christian church for 1908.

Geo. Alfred, of Greensboro, was a visitor in town last week.

M. C. Fries killed two pigs Tuesday that weighed 405 and 410 pounds. Fine pigs.

**Grays Chapel News.**

Some of our farmers are not yet through sowing wheat.

Mrs. J. W. Pugh is in feeble health; she is suffering with heart trouble.

The three-year old child of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith was buried here one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Pugh have a new girl boarder at their home.

Mr. L. P. McMasters visited his aged mother last Sunday. Mrs. McMasters lives with her daughter, Mrs. O. P. Ward.

Mr. Will Mills and family moved to Ashboro last week.

Lots of wood is being shipped from Millwood and Lincolnton to Greensboro.

Speaker Cannon is fixing up the Committee on Ways and Means so that the standpatters can controled the tariff issue.

**Franklinville Gleanings.**

Rev. J. E. Woolley, our new preacher at the M. E. Church, preached two very instructive sermons Sunday. Mr. Woolley was pastor of this church about sixteen years ago and is loved by all our people.

A number of our people are attending court at Ashboro this week.

Quite a large crowd attended the Odd Fellows speaking at the Academy Saturday night and all were highly pleased with the address of Prof. D. M. Weatherly.

Several large pigs were killed last week, and among the largest was Mr. C. E. Sturtevant's which weighed 400 pounds.

James Baie and T. M. Jennings visited relatives and friends at Worthville Sunday. Our new free delivery mail route from this place is now in operation. The first trip was made Monday.

Mr. John Brady has accepted a position as loom fixer in the lower mill at Cedar Falls. Messrs. W. H. and Albert Tippett, of Silver City, sp. at Sunday in the city.

Mrs. Chloey Moon, wife of the late H. H. Moon, died at her home Friday evening and was tenderly laid to rest in the M. E. church cemetery Sunday evening. Rev. J. E. Woolley officiated the funeral service. She was 72 years old and had been sorely afflicted for several months but bore her afflictions patiently till the end came. She had been a member of the M. E. church for several years and lived consistent and upright life and left assurance that she was only passing from this to a more congenial clime. She was a good neighbor, a kind and loving mother. She leaves two sons, one daughter and a host of friends. The sympathies of the entire community.

**New Hope News.**

The school at New Hope Academy is progressing nicely under the professorship of Mr. H. L. Johnson, of Bain.

Mr. Jesse Luther is teaching school at First Hill, Montgomery county.

Mr. Allen Varner has accepted a position with the Denton Lumber Co.

Misses Jennie Lassiter, Ola Cranford and Jessie Lyndon are away teaching school.

Mr. G. C. Snyder has moved to one of Mr. C. C. Shaw's farms near New Hope Academy.

Capt. J. L. Lyndon, of Town Creek, Ala., and Mr. Emery Lyndon, of High Point, have been visiting relatives near here during the last two weeks. Capt. Lyndon moved from Randolph county to the State of Tennessee in 1854. He served in the Confederate army of the west and was wounded in the battle of Shiloh during the war between the States. After the surrender he settled in Alabama where he has since lived. Mr. Emery Lyndon is also a Confederate veteran and served in the army of Virginia. He was severely wounded at Frazier's Farm in the seven days fight around Richmond. He is now a resident of High Point.

**Worthville Notes.**

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Williamson and little son, Robert, have been spending a few days in town with relatives.

Mr. I. F. Trogdon, another Worthville young man who has located in Greensboro, spent Sunday with his father, Mr. S. H. Trogdon.

Ora, the 12-months old child of Mr. and Mrs. William Spivey, died suddenly last Saturday morning. The child seemed to be as well as usual early in the morning, but later in the day its mother went to the cradle to take it up and found it dead. This is the fourth child that has been found dead in this way in Worthville in the last 10 or 12 years.

The Barnes Class of the Worthville Sunday School will have a reunion some time during the Christmas holidays, when all the old members who have left town will be invited. The Philanthropic class will unite with them, and the plan now is to have a system supper and a pleasant social evening together.

**Glenola Items.**

The new school house at this place will soon be completed; it is a very handsome and commodious building, and adds much to the appearance of our town.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Tomlinson returned home one day last week from a visit to Mrs. Tomlinson's father, Mr. John Peters, at Silver Hill.

Earl White of Greensboro, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. I. White.

Mrs. Slate, of High Point, is visiting her father, W. B. Binsaw, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Eldridge and Master Thomas, of High Point, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Eldridge.

A number of our people are attending court this week.

Oscar Nelson and son, Master John, went to Sperry Saturday afternoon, returning Monday.

Mrs. R. B. Strickland of High Point, and Miss Fannie Gray, of Ashboro, were guests at G. G. Gray's Thanksgiving day.

Messrs. Joe and Jesse Eldridge, Chas. Strickland and Remus Ingram returned home Saturday night from Farmer section, where they had been on a hunting trip of several days. They report a fine time and plenty of game.

**Fair View Items.**

Mrs. Maggie Blair and daughter, Miss Nellie, who have been visiting at Fair View for a few days, have returned to their home at Thomsville.

Miss Bessie Blair spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mr. Robert Blair, in High Point.

A number of our young people attended the "candy pulling" at Miss Mary White's on the evening of the 25th. Every one seemed to enjoy it very much.

**Elise Notes.**

S. G. Garner, of Hanner, S. C., spent a few days in Elise last week. He has returned to Minis, where he has a position in a dry goods store.

P. M. Stewart was painfully injured last week by getting his foot mashed.

Mrs. H. C. Burns and family are visiting in Star.

J. W. Page's mother, of Burlington, is in Elise.

Misses Alice and Louie Ritter are visiting at Greensboro.

Tommie Ritter is able to be out again.

Miss Nettie Pritchard is depot agent at Elise.

Mr. Bray is building a dwelling house in Elise.

Rev. J. W. Hoyle preached his farewell sermon last Sunday.

George W. Horner, who is charged with burning his store in which the postoffice at Hemp was kept was to have been tried at Carthage last week, but upon agreement the case was removed to Pittsboro, Chatham county.

W. C. Burns is away on a business trip south.

An interesting Thanksgiving exercise was held at Elise last Thursday.

**Kanoy Dots.**

We all enjoyed Capt. Siler's article on his Jamestown trip in the last issue of the Courier.

The people about Kanoy are in very good spirits now as our bridge is nearing completion. It was crossed Thanksgiving day for the first time, and we all feel thankful for the powers that made it possible to have the bridge. It will almost open a new world to us, and to future generations. From the looks of the piers, they are substantial enough to last for ages.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill, of Indiana, are visiting Mrs. Hill's sister, Mrs. Owen, his wife, also in Elise. Miss Benson, of Guilford.

Miss Blanche Moffitt commenced her school near Brown last Monday, and Miss Evelyn Moffitt at Trogdon's the week before.

**Jackson Creek Items.**

The new school house at Piney Grove has been completed.

Thomas Ingram, of Bombay, will begin school Monday.

Mrs. Martha Caryell, of Seymour, Mo., has been visiting relatives and friends in our vicinity for the past three or four weeks. She was formerly Miss Miller, and left our country 28 years ago.

Charles Strickland Remus H. Ingram and others, of Glenola; Ernest Ridge, of Farmer, and Hal Lackey took a hunt in our neighborhood Thanksgiving.

I. M. Nance and Harris Hoover will move their saw mill to E. L. Wood's farm in the near future.

Miss Emma Pierce left Thanksgiving day for Randleman to visit her uncle, John Pierce.

**Trinity Items.**

Rev. R. L. Owenby, of Wilkesboro, the new pastor here, made his first visit Sunday and preached two able sermons.

Rev. B. F. Hargett went to his new work at Mt. Pleasant Sunday.

Misses Cora V. Snoot and Susannah G. Michaels spent Thanksgiving at Durham.

Miss Stella Nox Norris spent her holidays at High Point.

Rev. James Craven is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Nannie Craven.

All the students have returned from their Thanksgiving vacation, and are now ready for hard work.

"Trinity High School" now under the management of its new leader, Prof. H. G. Jerome, is making great progress.

While our Republican financial doctors are disputing about the panic patient, the "noophyte" doctor in charge of the United States Treasury is trying to reduce the temperature by more inflammation.

**DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?**

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, uric acid, catarrh of the bladder and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work and in private practice, and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper, who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root, and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles are also sold by all good druggists. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

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**Thanksgiving Offering.**

We want to thank our patrons of Randolph add adjoining counties for their patronage during the past year. We want to show our appreciation and for the next 10 days, including court week, we offer

**Merchandise at a Big Sacrifice.**

Furniture—Seven-piece parlor set, in cherry and leather, was \$800 now \$500. Seven-piece parlor suits, upholstered in plush, \$400, \$350, \$25. Other seven-piece suits, \$400, \$350, \$25. Three-piece suits, \$400, \$350, \$25. Handsome oak suits reduced from \$80 to \$40. Pedestal Dining Table, \$20. Ten-foot Extension Tables at \$10, 8, 5.50. Library Tables from \$5 down to 1. Oak Pedestals from \$2.50 to 1. Oak o' Safes, \$3 to 10. Kitchen Sinks from \$3 to 10. Sideboards, \$35, 27.50, 2.50, and 10. Oak Dressers, \$5 to 25. Chiffoniers, \$8 to 15. Leather Couches, \$10, 12 and 15. Bed Lounges, \$8.50 to 0. A large assortment of chairs in varied styles and prices. Oak chairs, \$1.25 to 7. Mattresses, \$2 to 5. Felt Mattresses, \$5 to 12. Great reduction in Tables, Rugs, Matting, Suit Cases, etc.

**For 10 Days Including Court Week.**

We make a special cut price on the celebrated Giffon Clothing. We have a new and handsome line of these goods and we offer the unequalled opportunity to purchase holiday suits. They are high class tailored goods made of the best fabrics.

**WOOD & MORING.**

**TAX NOTICE!**

I will attend at the following times and places for the collection of taxes for the year 1907.

Mechanic,	Cedar Grove Township,	Monday afternoon	December 9th.
Farmer,	Concord	Tuesday	" 10th.
Delk & Cameron's Store,	Concord	Wednesday forenoon	" 11th.
Clay Johnson's Store,	New Hope	Wednesday afternoon	" 11th.
Judge Shaw's Store,	New Hope	Thursday forenoon	" 12th.
G. E. Carter's Store,	Union	Thursday afternoon	" 12th.
S. A. Cox's Store,	Union	Friday	" 13th.
Seagrove,	Richland	Saturday forenoon	" 14th.
Cedar Falls,	Franklinville	Monday forenoon	" 16th.
Franklinville,	Franklinville	Monday afternoon	" 16th.
Ramsour,	Columbia	Tuesday	" 17th.
York & Frazier's Store,	Columbia	Wednesday forenoon	" 18th.
Staley,	Columbia	Wednesday afternoon	" 18th.
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