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### BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETS.

#### General Rules Governing Schools—Resolutions—Miscellaneous Matters

The Randolph county board of education met in regular session Monday transacted the routine of business and adopted general rules governing the schools of the county.

Seventy-five dollars was allowed for a three months school at Mt. Lebanon church near Gray's Cross Roads.

All the teachers of the county are to be allowed Thanksgiving Day and the Friday following with full pay in order that they may attend the State Teachers' Assembly at Raleigh during those two days.

It was ordered by board that all teachers in the county schools should take the reading course as outlined by the county superintendent. This reading course consists of a subscription to North Carolina Education and the reading of the Geographic Influences in American History. These will be supplied to the teachers at the first teachers' meeting which will be held at some time during this month.

Application was made at this meeting of the board of education for the consolidation of New Center school house in Richland township and Brower district in Brower township and a two-room building constructed to accommodate the pupils.

Spero school district No. 6 in Back Creek township was ordered changed to Asheboro township as district No. 5.

#### General Rules Governing Schools

1. The daily session of the school shall begin at 8:45 a. m. and shall continue for six hours exclusive of a morning and noon recess, of not more than fifteen minutes each, and a one hour recess from 12 to 1 o'clock.

Note. Schools failing to comply with the above rule will have apportionment reduced accordingly.

2. It shall be the duty of all teachers to attend the meeting of the County Teachers' Association, and all other teachers' meetings called by the county superintendent of Schools. County superintendent is hereby forbidden to approve the employment or sign the vouchers of any teacher who fails to perform this duty without excuse satisfactory to him.

3. No pupil shall be allowed to attend any public school while any member of the household is sick of smallpox, diphtheria, measles, scarlet fever, or within two weeks after death, recovery or removal of such sick person. We urgently request all parents to have their children vaccinated against small pox and typhoid fever.

4. All teachers are required to be in their respective school rooms at least fifteen minutes before the time fixed for opening the daily session of the schools, and at least one teacher in every school shall remain on the school premises during all recesses, and in the afternoon, until the building has been safely closed and all of the children have been sent home for the day.

5. All teachers shall furnish the county superintendent a monthly report of their work before salary vouchers are approved.

6. Any pupil doing damage to public school property shall pay for the same, and upon failure to do so after notice to the parents by the teacher, may be excluded to the school, and for willful damage shall be prosecuted under Section 4123 of the School Law.

7. It shall be the duty of the teachers of the public school to maintain good order and discipline in their respective schools, to encourage morality, industry and neatness in all their pupils, and to teach thoroughly all branches which are required by law.

8. It is hereby ordered that the annual sessions of the public schools of Randolph county begin not later than the first Monday in November, and earlier if possible, and they shall remain in continuous session exclusive of Christmas week until the close of the term.

9. It is ordered by the Board of Ed-

ucation that no teacher in Randolph County shall make up lost time by teaching on Saturdays or holidays; that no teacher shall be paid for lost time unless the time has been made up and that no committee shall issue a voucher except for time actually taught, unless otherwise ordered by the Board of Education.

C. H. PHILLIPS, Chairman.  
J. T. WOOD, Secretary to the Board.

#### Resolutions Adopted.

Realizing that the first duty of a school is to safeguard the children's health, therefore the Board of Education of Randolph County make the following requests and suggestions:

1st. We request any teacher who may be accustomed (if there be any) to smoking cigarettes, not to smoke on the school grounds or in the presence of the children.

2nd. We suggest that the school committees in the various districts take enough of the school funds of said district to purchase coolers for each and every district in the county, and that parents provide their children with individual drinking cups and that the common drinking cups be abolished.

3rd. That all toilets be 50 yards or more away from school buildings.

4th. That there be no dry sweeping or dusting of floors or seats.

5th. That all school rooms be properly ventilated and that the temperature of the same be kept about 66 to 68 degrees if possible.

6th. We suggest that all parents have their children vaccinated with Prophylactic typhoid vaccine. This will be furnished free.

7th. The county superintendent of instruction is to encourage the carrying out of these suggestions while on his rounds visiting the schools.

C. H. PHILLIPS, Chmn.  
T. FLETCHER BULLA, Secretary to Board.

#### JOHN BARLEYCORN ON THE RUN

In a recent address in Charlotte, N. C., Ex-Governor Hanly made an address in which he declared that old John Barleycorn, after a career of crime, is on the run. Mr. Hanly is a member of the Flying Squadron on a speaking tour of every State in the Union.

He said in part: "We are in the midst of a great Nationwide movement. We have caught the vision of a saloonless American of a sober people. In the past year it has been my privilege to go with my people into the State of Arizona and to see Arizona vote dry. It has been my privilege to go with my people into the State of Washington, and to see Washington vote dry. It has been by pleasure to go into the State of Oregon, and to see Oregon vote dry. This month we have been in South Carolina, and next Tuesday we shall have the pleasure of seeing South Carolina vote dry."

#### On the Run.

"We are living in a dynamic time when John Barleycorn is on the defensive. He is on the defensive in the Church. He is on the defensive in the public schools. He is on the defensive in the university. He is on the defensive in every scientific laboratory in the world. He is on the defensive in every great industrial, financial and commercial movement. He is on the defensive in the counting room, in the bank, in the mercantile establishment. He is on the defensive in the mill, in the factory. He is on the defensive in the mine, in the shop the defensive in the legislative assembly. He is on the defensive in the Congress of the United States, in the executive offices, in the cabinet councils, in the great throne-rooms of the world, on all the great railway systems of the country. In the red trenches beyond the seas, he is on the defensive.

"No thoughtful man now defends him on moral or an economical

grounds. We have driven him from the field of morals and now step by step, we are driving him from the field of economics. For him there is no defense—he makes none, John Barleycorn, the dethroner of kings, the spoiler of men, the despoiler of little children. He stands at last at the bar of public opinion begging for mercy! Think of it! Mercy for him? For a thousand years he has wronged humankind and denied it mercy. For a thousand years he has debauched the manhood of the race and denied it mercy. For a thousand years he has entangled his brutal fingers in the heartstrings of motherhood and denied it mercy. For a thousand years with brutal foot he has trampled on white-lipped babyhood and denied it mercy. And now after a thousand years of unwhipped brutality and crime, with the power in our hands to dethrone him and annihilate him for ever, shall we grant him mercy and let him live?"

#### Can't Resist Him.

It is argued, said Governor Hanly, that John Barleycorn should merely be restricted and restrained. "For two hundred years we have tried that policy and we have miserably failed. Why? Because he simply will not be restrained. If in two hundred years we have enacted a law restraining him as to place, he has violated that law. If in two hundred years we have enacted a statute restraining him as to hour or day, he has infringed that statute. For two hundred years in this Nation he has known no law but the law of greed. For two hundred years he has known no love that the lust for gold has not corrupted, he has known no pity that avarice has not strangled. Now shall we extend to him mercy that he may continue his career of spoliation and crime?"

"But he files another special plea, not to the merits, but as an avoidance. He poses as a friend of human liberty. He professes to be so concerned about the Rights of the citizen that he cannot bear to be restrained lest human liberty be impaired."

Governor Hanly took up this argument and combated it, by showing the kind of liberty liquor gives a man, dethroning his reason, lightning the fibres of insanity, unsteady his gait, sending him home to bruise the body of his wife, to scar her soul and to implant the seeds of degeneracy for future generations. "Fine liberty, that," he exclaimed, after each item in the bill of indictment. "If that be liberty, I want none of it for myself. I want none of it for my enemy. I want that I shall be master of my passions. I want that I shall be the captain of my soul."

"Men, that's not liberty I've been talking about. It's a crime in God's high forum and it ought to be a crime in every State and every county."

#### Insult to America.

The Ex-Governor took up the remaining plea, one which, he said, he blushed to name—the plea that if a Federal amendment was enacted we would be unable to enforce it. That plea was made in Congress and repeated the other day by an ex-President of the United States, speaking in Boston to the bar of all Massachusetts. "That assertion sets a thrill every nerve in my body with resentment," exclaimed the speaker. "It is a confession and a proclamation that representative constitutional government has failed in this Republic. The essence, the soul of American liberty lies in the right of the people themselves to choose for themselves to choose for themselves their policies of government and have their choice made effectual."

In words of flaming eloquence he depicted the price paid by the founders of this Government for the heritage of human liberty 140 years ago and with withering scorn denounced the insinuation that this free people in this enlightened day would abdicate their prerogative of self-government.

### PROVIDENCE ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fields and small daughter visited Mr. Fields' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fields, near Bethlehem, recently.

Mr. George Frazier, of Greensboro, spent Thursday and Friday of last week with Mr. G. P. Barker.

Miss Ora Pugh, of Pleasant Garden, was the guest of Miss Etta Neece Saturday night.

Mrs. Robert Vickory and son, Charlie, also Miss Bettie Vickory, attended last Tuesday the 45th wedding anniversary and reunion of Capt. and Mrs. W. S. Lineberry near Millboro.

Mr. B. J. Gregson, of Liberty, recently purchased Mr. G. P. Barker's timber.

Miss Vanner Neece, also Mr. Clarence Macon, were at home from Guilford College to attend the meeting at Gray's Chapel.

Mr. Ralph Cox has left for Guilford College, where he will attend the graded school this winter.

Mr. R. J. Barker and sister, Mrs. G. P. Barker, spent Sunday at Holly Springs, visiting relatives.

Miss Mary Skeen and brother, Lester, left last week to attend the Bible School at Greensboro.

Mrs. W. R. Neece spent Saturday night with Mrs. Mary Pugh at Pleasant Garden.

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R. L. Gray, of Washington, N. C., has accepted work as Field Secretary with the North Carolina Anti-Saloon League, and will take up his work October 15th. Mr. Gray will take up his entire time in visiting all sections of the State in the cause and interest of temperance.

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### WHERE YOUR MOSQUITOES COME FROM

Filing complaints against the mosquito, meanwhile madly swatting and rubbing elbows and ankles, has been about the chief topic of recent porch conversation and evening amusement. Where they come from is a mystery. Not even the housekeepers know. Some say they were blown in. Others say they came with the big rains a week or two ago. While nobody knows, a few, however, have their suspicions.

A survey of the home premises would more than likely clear up the mosquito mystery. It is true the recent rains had something to do with it. They filled the gutters and drains—the drains that don't drain—liberated all the tin cans, barrels, buckets and broken ware lying around, and

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kept these filled long enough for a full crop of mosquitoes to raise, which process requires only about fourteen days at this season. Weeds and vines might come in also for condemnation for giving them sheltering places during the day.

But if all the above containers of water had been kept empty during and after the rains, there would not now be such a mosquito rage. And be this understood that it does not require more than one or two tin cans, or a bucket, or an improper drain, to produce enough mosquitoes to annoy a household for a season.

What probably played an important part in the recent mosquito epidemic was the fact that it followed the height of vacation season. Whole families were away and homes were closed. Vessels in which water collected were probably left out and these became uncollected and continuous breeding places for mosquitoes.

Since the mosquito is hatched and already at his nightly trade, these suggestions may or may not be timely warnings, according to the season, whether it is wet or dry, or hot or cold. But they should be sufficient to clear up the mystery and as a hint to the wise next summer.

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