

AT THE CAPITAL OF BEULAH.

Kenly State High School Opened Monday. Fine Address by Doctor Joyner. Educational Co-operation His Subject. Boys and Girls Off to College.

Kenly, Sept. 12.—The State High School of Kenly was formerly opened Monday morning with a masterful educational address by Doctor J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and with an enrollment the first day of one hundred and fifty seven students, thirty-eight in the high school, and one hundred and nineteen in the elementary school.

Superintendent M. B. Andrews in introducing Doctor Joyner, characterized him as the father of the educational folk of North Carolina; after responding to the presentation, Doctor Joyner spoke essentially as follows:

"In all my experience as a speaker and educator this is the first time I have had the honor of being characterized as the father of the school children of North Carolina; and yet, that is exactly what I am, and I am proud of it. I suppose there is not another man in the whole commonwealth who has as many children as I have. Five hundred thousand of them are white, and two hundred and forty thousand are black—yes, the black children are mine, too, and I am proud of them.

"It is my purpose this morning to speak to you as briefly and as practically as I may on a subject that is very close to my heart because it deals with the large family of children I have the privilege and honor of claiming as my own. My subject is 'Educational Co-operation,' and it naturally divided itself into three main divisions: co-operation in attendance, co-operation in discipline, and co-operation in study.

"There is not a farmer in North Carolina that would send his mule colt to his stall repeatedly without food and water. He realizes that such treatment would stunt the growth of his mule colt and that therefore he would lose money by so doing. Isn't the child worth infinitely more than the mule or the cow or the horse? If your child and my child and everybody else's child are to enjoy the blessings of education, our children must be encouraged—they must be forced if necessary—to attend school as nearly every school day of the term as is possible.

"Moreover, if the child is sent to school, the parents of the child must co-operate with the teachers of the school in bringing about good order. The greatest evil of that is gnawing at the vitals of democracy to-day is the evil of disobedience. And I want to say that in nine hundred and ninety nine cases out of every thousand the outlawed anarchist is nothing more than a grown disobedient boy. The great old sage was right when he said, that if a child is trained properly in his youth he will not depart from that training after he reaches the stage of maturity. Stand by the teacher in maintaining proper discipline in the school room—it will pay you a thousand fold to do so.

"It is not only necessary to send your child to school regularly and to co-operate with the teacher in maintaining discipline, but it is just as necessary that you see to it that your child prepares his lessons daily. It is right and proper that children should be taught to work and to assist their parents in the home, but it is neither right nor wise for parents to neglect their child's studies. Set apart a certain portion of the afternoon or night and call it study period. Have it understood that your child is not to be disturbed while he is about his studies, and have it understood that he must prepare his lessons before he even goes to school next day. "The most accurate index of the quality of the citizenship of a community is to be found by observing the churches and the school houses in that community. This magnificent building testifies to the fact that you people are a people of culture, refinement, and practical common sense. I urge you therefore to co-operate with the Faculty of this school in keeping with the suggestions I have made; it will pay you to do so; for I am confident—I speak now as both parent and a teacher—that the members of your Faculty will co-operate with you and your children in making this the kind of school it ought to be."

Throughout his address Doctor Joyner was most heartily applauded for the wisdom of his inspiring advice, and every one in the community was glad to have him with us to-day. While in the city Doctor Joyner was the guest of Doctor J. C. Grady, Secretary of the School Board. It is interesting to observe that Mrs. Grady and Doctor Joyner were one time school-mates. The members of the school Faculty

are proud indeed that such a large number of the excellent young people of the community are planning to attend college this fall; the names of those who either already have left or are soon to go to some higher educational institution may be arranged as follows:

Mr. L. Talmage Edgerton, Davidson College; Mr. Hal Gilbreath, Guilford College; Mr. Howard Grady, the University of Virginia; Mr. Dobbin Bailey, the Atlantic Christian College; Mr. Kyle Richardson, the Agricultural and Engineering College; Messrs. Yates Edgerton and Earl Southard, Trinity College; Miss Frances Hales, Elon College; Misses Inez Edgerton and Grace Jerome, the Greensboro College for Women; Miss Beulah Bailey, Meredith College; Miss Bertha Edgerton, Floro MacDonald; Miss Ethel Morris, Louisville.

Among those who are going out to teach are the following: Miss Gladys Jerome, Buck Horn; Miss Gladys Kirby, Red Springs High School, and Miss Agnes Hales.

Mrs. W. M. Peacock, and little daughter, Ruby Lee, of Fremont, are the guests of Superintendent and Mrs. Andrews this week. Mrs. Peacock is sister to Mr. Andrews.

MILL CREEK NEWS.

All of the Bentonville readers of The Herald were disappointed in last Friday's issue, it being delayed till Monday's mail.

This section of the county has been visited by very heavy rains during the past few days.

A revival is being carried on this week at New Zealand Free Will Baptist church. Rev. O. B. Garris is conducting it.

Messrs. Seth W. Lassiter, J. R. Weaver, O. B. and J. W. Langston took an excursion to Wilmington last Wednesday, returning Friday. They made the trip through the country on an automobile and report a most pleasant trip.

Mr. L. L. Cole happened to the misfortune on Thursday of last week of having his hand badly mangled by an accidental discharge of a shot-gun. The wound was quickly dressed and is now doing nicely. Mr. Cole has been drafted to be a member of the new National Army, and it now looks like Uncle Sam will have to find a proxy for him.

The vaccination campaign at Mill Creek against typhoid fever was completed by Dr. R. B. Wilson on Saturday, September 8th. Dr. Wilson informs us that some 140 persons took the vaccination.

Prof. C. E. Thomas will begin on Wednesday of this week a music school at Mill Creek Christian church. Prof. Thomas is a very efficient teacher, and we bespeak a successful school for our community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jernigan, of New Hope section, spent Sunday in our midst.

Miss Jessie Jernigan is visiting in Smithfield this week.

Mr. Addison Wiggs, of Kenly, was a visitor in our community last Sunday.

Mrs. J. J. Rose went to Fuquay Springs last Sunday, where she will spend a week or ten days recuperating after a recent illness.

Mr. L. A. Rose is in Benson now, a student of the Benson High School.

Our Meadow neighbors are enjoying an excitement now that we of historic Bentonville can not share; namely, an approaching election. They are soon to vote on a bond issue for the Central Carolina railroad. We understand that they are much divided on the issue. Here's hoping they will get together and get the much-needed road.

We believe that good Mother Nature is now sorry she gave us such nice apple crop last spring. There is so much cider in the country now. From our viewpoint the whiskey-still of 20 years ago was but a little worse character than the cider-barrel of this momentous year, 1917.

Bentonville, Sept. 10, 1917.

Training in France.

The American soldiers in France are receiving intensive training in trench warfare, from French tried officers. The past few days has seen a change in trainers. The French chasseurs have given place to French infantry who have just returned from the front where they were engaged in some of the hottest fighting of the war. Wearing their battered helmets and mud-spattered clothes, the French soldiers are making an impression on the American soldier. These men just from the front are able to bring to Uncle Sam's men the latest information on trench warfare.

A Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our most sincere thanks to the people of Smithfield and all others who were so kind to us and ours when our son was so badly hurt by falling from a bicycle one day last week.

MR. AND MRS. J. A. LANGDON.

PREMIUM LIST

Rules and Regulations of the Seventh Annual Fair of the Johnston County Agricultural Society to be held at Smithfield, N. C., November 7, 8 and 9th, 1917

(Continued from Last Tuesday.)

DEPARTMENT G—Continued

- Best initial embroidery .75
Best embroidered carriage robe .75
Best crochet carriage robe .75
Best embroidered collar .75
Best crochet collar .75
Best hand made lace collar .75
Best embroidered table runner .75
Best crochet table runner .75
Best crochet or knit bed room slippers .75
\$1.00 premium for best of each of the following:
Best crochet centerpiece 1.00
Best tatting centerpiece 1.00
Best embroidered centerpiece 1.00
Best crochet and embroidered centerpiece 1.00
Best colored embroidered centerpiece 1.00
Best embroidered colored article 1.00
Best luncheon set in crochet 1.00
Best hand made lace handkerchief 1.00
Best tatting handkerchief 1.00
Best embroidered handkerchief 1.00
Best embroidered corset cover 1.00
Best embroidered gown 1.00
Best embroidered petticoat 1.00
Best embroidered combination suit 1.00
Best embroidered sofa pillow 1.00
Best embroidered baby pillow 1.00
Best crochet article in zephyr 1.00
Best embroidered dress 1.00
Best embroidered baby dress 1.00
Best woolen patch work, quilt made this year 1.00
Best silk patch work quilt made this year 1.00
Best calico quilt made this year 1.00
Best crochet counter pane 1.00
Best knit counter pane 1.00
Best hand woven woolen coverlet 1.00
Best embroidered shirtwaist in white 1.00
Best embroidered shirtwaist in colors 1.00
Best embroidered luncheon set 1.00
Best embroidered suit of underclothes 1.50

DEPARTMENT H (FINE ARTS)

MRS. A. S. JOHNSTON, Chairman.

Photography.

- (Pictures must have been taken during the year 1917.)
Best collection of photographs, one dozen pictures 2.00
Best out door picture 1.00
Best interior picture 1.00
Best single portrait 1.00
Best group 1.00

Kodaks

- Best collection one-half dozen pictures 1.50
Best out door picture 1.00
Best interior picture 1.00
Best group 1.00
Best picture of a child 1.00
Best moon-light 1.00
Best domestic scene 1.00

Paintings, Etc.

- Best oil painting, still life 2.00
Best oil painting, copy 1.00
Best oil painting, portrait sketch 1.00
Best water color, still life 1.00
Best water color, copy 1.00
Best water color, portrait sketch 1.00
Best pencil sketch, copy 1.00
Best colored crayon or crayola, still life 1.00
Best colored crayon or crayola copy 1.00
Best colored crayon or crayola portrait sketch 1.00
Best collection of hand painted china 1.50

Horticulture

MISS MATTIE HUDSON, Chairman.

- Best display of chrysanthemums (at least 4 varieties) \$1.00
Best single chrysanthemum any color .50
Largest fern display (not open to other premium) 1.00
Best maiden hair fern 1.00
Best sword fern 1.00
Best springeria fern 1.00
Best asparagus fern 1.00
Best leopard plant 1.00
Best begonia 1.00
Best geranium, any variety 1.00
Best potted plant not mentioned 1.00
Best display of roses (6 varieties) 1.00
Best display of pink roses .50
Best display of white roses .50
Best display of dahlias (4 varieties) 1.00
Best vase of dahlias (1 color) .50

DEPARTMENT I

MRS. L. G. PATTERSON, Chairman.

Children's Department (Age 6 to 12)

- 50-cent premium offered for the best of each of the following:
Best half dozen button holes .50
Best dressed doll .50
Best specimen of tatting .50
Best hemstitching .50
Best specimen of darning .50
Best embroidered towel .50
Best crochet towel .50
Best boudoir cap .50
Best crochet centerpiece .50
Best outline embroidery .50
Best article not in list .50
Best machine made garment .50
Best loaf of bread .50
Best risen biscuit (half dozen) .50
Best plain cake .50
Best wood carving by a boy .50
Best article of furniture by boy with knife .50
Best pencil drawing from an object .50

- Best water color drawing from object .50
Best crayola drawing from an object .50
Best picture copied in pencil .50
Best picture copied in crayola .50
Best picture copied in water color .50
75-cent premium offered for the best of each of the following:
Best original picture .75
Best display home made candy .75
Best hand made garment .75

DEPARTMENT J

MRS. T. J. LASSITER, Chairman.

Children's Department (Age 12 to 17)

- 50-cent premium offered for the best of each of the following:
Best machine made garment .50
Best fancy apron .50
Best crochet centerpiece .50
Best embroidered towel .50
Best embroidered article not mentioned .50
Best rolls (half dozen) .50
Best layer cake .50
Best plain cake .50
Best beaten biscuit (half dozen) .50
75 cents offered for the best of each of the following:
Best hand made garment .75
Best quilt made this year .75
Best embroidered centerpiece .75
Best embroidered pillow cases .75
Best embroidered petticoat .75
Best embroidered sofa pillow .75
Best display of candy .75
Best original picture .75
Best pencil drawing from an object .75
Best water color drawing from an object .75
Best crayola drawing from an object .75

DEPARTMENT F

N. M. LAWRENCE, Chairman.

- Best exhibit of panel doors \$2.00
Second best 1.00
Third best Ribbon
Best exhibit of slat blinds 2.00
Second best 1.00
Third best Ribbon
Best exhibit of mantels 2.00
Second best 1.00
Third best Ribbon
Best exhibit of job printing 2.00
Second best 1.00
Third best Ribbon
Best exhibit of cotton yarn 5.00
Second best 2.50
Third best Ribbon
Best individual exhibit of manufactured articles of any kind 10.00
Second best 5.00
Third best Ribbon
Best exhibit of fertilizers 5.00
Second best 2.50
Third best Ribbon
Best exhibit of cotton seed oil mill products 5.00
Second best 2.50
Third best Ribbon

Special for Canning Club Girls.

MISS NELL PICKENS, Chairman.

That special encouragement and recognition be given the canning club girls, three prizes will be given under the following conditions:

The girl making the exhibit must be a regular member of the State Canning Club and must have as far as practical complied with rules and regulations of said club. The exhibit must consist of 36 containers showing as many different kinds of products canned, pickled and preserved by the girl competing for a prize. The exhibit may consist of vegetables and fruits prepared by any recipe recommended by canning club authorities, containers for this exhibit must all be of glass and should be uniform.

- For best exhibit \$15.00
For second best exhibit 10.00
Third best 5.00

Any canning club member may compete for any premium offered under the head of "Pantry supplies," but the 36 containers making up any one of these special exhibits may not be used individually or collectively to compete for any other premium. Remember that this special collection of 36 containers may consist of canned fruits, vegetables, marmalades, jellies, pickles, catsup, fruit juices, or any other thing recommended by canning girls to make.

DEPARTMENT K

- Best collection Colonial Relics \$2.00
Best collection Confederate Relics 2.00
Best collection Old Coins 1.00
Best collection Postage Stamps 1.00
Family and Household Relics 1.00
Best Wax Flowers 1.00
Best Shell Work 1.00
Best Wood Work of any kind by a Boy 1.00
Best Wood Work of any kind by a Girl 1.00
Best Wood Work of any kind by a Blind Person 1.00
Best collection of Old China 1.00
Best collection of Bird Eggs 1.00
Best Wood Carving 1.00
Best Curiosity not mentioned above 1.00
Best collection of articles of curiosity or interest in connection with History of North Carolina Ribbon
Anything of interest to the people of North Carolina is earnestly solicited and we hope you will place it on display, where it will be taken good care of and returned to the owner after the Fair. It will help interest the people, and make the Fair a better success through your co-operation.