

## REIDSVILLE TO PLAY PURPLE WHIRLWIND THIS AFTERNOON

G. H. S. Team Has Been Working Hard to Get Ready for This Combat

### A CLOSE GAME EXPECTED

Reidsville Sending Over Strong Team. No Definite Line-up Has Been Announced for Greensboro

G. H. S. will play its first football game today at the stadium. Reidsville promises to send over the usual husky aggregation and the game should prove as exciting as the ones in past.

The Reidsville team held the Purple Whirlwind to a mere breeze for the first half of last year's game. G. H. S. slipped over two passes in succession and Bryon Grubbs went across for a touchdown. Later on "Chuck" Burgess sewed up the contest when he booted the pigskin over the cross-bar for a field goal.

Coaches Woodward, Coltrane, and Routh have been working hard all week. A heavy scrimmage was held Monday in spite of the rain. A light scrimmage was held Tuesday, while Wednesday and Thursday was devoted to signal drills and dummy practice.

No definite lineup has been announced, but either Blair or Rives will probably start at center; Petree and Quate at guard with Cone and Hobbs in reserve; Captain Brown and Taylor, tackles; Henderson and Pennington running as first string ends; backfield, Davant, Teague, Cook and H. Ogburn will probably begin the game with Johnson, S. Ogburn, Goodwin and Webb in reserve.

## TRAINING IS IMPORTANT, SAYS MISS NELLIE DRY

More Than 3,000 Girls in North Carolina Now Keeping Training—33 Girls Have Signed Cards

"Training is an important factor in the life of any girl," according to Miss Mary Morrow, head of training at G. H. S. "Not only does training affect about a hundred of our own girls, but throughout North Carolina there are more than 3,000 girls keeping training."

"Although a requirement for a 'G,' I think when the girls once keep training they make it a habit. From well kept bodies result strong and efficient girls, such as G. H. S. is proud to claim."

For the fall semester 33 girls have already signed training cards.

## GIRLS CHOOSE LEADER FOR MONOGRAM CLUB

Carl Lane Brown is President, Lydia Ballance, Secretary—Football Party Discussed at Meeting

Carl Lane Brown was elected president of the Girls' Monogram Club Thursday September 15, 1927. Lydia Ballance was elected secretary. Those nominated for president were, Carl Lane Brown, Lydia Ballance and Marion Curtis. Those for secretary were Rose Goodwin and Lydia Ballance. The meeting was held in front of the main building of G. H. S.

Further plans for the football party to be held Saturday, October 1, were made.

## SIXTY GIRLS SIGNED UP FOR HIKING SO FAR

Sixty girls have signed up for hiking for the fall season. Miss Ruth Freeman, head of hiking, says that the outlook for the coming year is good if the number that signed up will really hike. There will be a meeting soon to elect officers and plan for the coming year. The first hike will be Tuesday, September 20, if the weather permits. The first hike will be about three miles.

### NEW COACH



LOUIS H. WOODWARD

## HIGH LIFE REPORTER INTERVIEWS COACH

Team Needs Backing From School—Woodward Says Boys Show Fine Spirit

### BROWN IS YOUNG LEADER

"A school must put the steam behind its team," says Coach Woodward to a HIGH LIFE reporter at a recent interview. He stated that he did not know how much spirit G. H. S. has for her team, but at any rate, any team needs the school's support.

This is Coach Woodward's first year of coaching a high school team. Last year he coached the spring football at Wake Forest.

"There are no outstanding players," he stated. "The team is co-operating with fine spirit and the practices are good."

Coach Woodward does not think that the new rules will handicap the team. He also stated that he does not believe that they will change football. "But this," he said, "will tell in time."

When asked how he thought the first game would come out, he said that he knew the team would have to put up a hard fight.

"Captain Brown," he said, in conclusion, "as a captain, is a man among men, and an aspiring young leader."

## CAKE RACE WILL BE RUN DURING HALVES OF GAME

About Fifteen Boys So Far Have Been Practicing Daily for This Coming Race

A new turn has taken place in athletics at Greensboro High School. Football and track are to be combined in a new athletic event. When the Asheville boys come to stage their football game with Greensboro on October, at the stadium, a cake race is to be run between the boys of G. H. S.

The race will start immediately after the first half. The course set out is around the race track, back of the tennis courts, and through the woods that border on the stadium. All first twenty boys who cross the finish will each be awarded with a delicious cake baked by the girls of the high school.

There are now about fifteen boys who have been practicing regularly for the last two weeks for this event. Many more are expected out for this event, as their is a known likness for cake, especially when the high school girls go to the trouble of baking it.

This cake race that is to be staged as a preliminary for the cross country races which are to take place between Greensboro and other high schools of the state.

Coach Lambeth states that men who go out in earnest for these cross country events will be highly benefited and will be in good condition when the spring track season opens.

## GIRLS HEAR VARIOUS SPORTS DISCUSSED AT RECENT MEETING

Monogram Club in Charge of Program—Various Members Speak

### POINTS ARE EXPLAINED

Misses Dry, Freeman, Morrow and Stone Tell Details of Their Sports

The freshman girls and new girls of G. H. S. met at chapel period in the auditorium Friday, September 16. The purpose of the meeting was to tell the girls about the Girls' Athletic Association and introduce the officers to them. Miss Nellie K. Dry, faculty head of girls' sports, introduced Rachel Lipscomb, president of the association. Leila George Cram read the scripture. Following this the president introduced the other officers: Rose Goodwin, vice-president; Jane Stockard, secretary, and Margaret Betts, press reporter.

#### Sports

The Girls' Monogram Club was in charge of the program. Marion Curtis was the first speaker, and told the girls "When the sports come." She told what month each sport begins, and said that only points for one major sport could be got in one season, but points for as many minor sports as possible to get in a season will be accepted. The major sports are basketball, hockey, baseball, and the minor sports are tennis, swimming, hiking, horse back riding.

#### Training

Lillian Hauck next explained training and gave the requirements. All girls signed up for training met with Miss Mary Morrow, Room 15, Monday, September 19. Miss Freeman, head of hiking, told about getting points for hiking. Credits will be accepted only from those signed up in the class. One point is given for each mile but five miles is the minimum number that can be hiked at one time. Already between fifty and seventy-five girls have signed up for hiking.

#### Tennis

Lydia Ballance then spoke about tennis, and asked those signing up for tennis to keep account of the number of hours practiced and hand the points to Miss Dry at the end of the tennis season.

Miss Ellen Stone, who is to be head of swimming at G. H. S. is to coach the swimming team this year. They are planning to practice at the Y. W. C. A. on Mondays and Wednesdays at four o'clock. She is also planning to start a girls' clogging class.

Anna Lyon, manager of the girls' hockey team told the new girls about hockey. Practice will begin some time within the next two weeks and after the class games the real games will begin about the middle of October.

#### Points Explained

Carl Lane Brown explained to the girls how to acquire a "G." She said that before getting a "G" ten points must be awarded for citizenship, which is good sportsmanship; twenty points for training, and twenty-five points for hiking; also two sports must be participated in. Three-fourths of the school work must be passed for three months previous to awarding the "G."

Rose Goodwin, last speaker, told how many extra points must be won in order to get a "G. N. C." in G. H. S.

## PRACTICES FOR GIRLS' OUTDOOR MEET BEGIN

Miss Ellen Stone, of the Y. W. C. A., is helping the girls of G. H. S. plan an outdoor swimming meet. If possible she will get the Greensboro Country Club pool for the meet. All girls interested in signing up for this event are asked to report to Miss Stone Monday afternoon at four o'clock, September 19, at the Y. W. C. A.

### FOOTBALL SPONSOR



LURA ABERCROMBIE

## LURA ABERCROMBIE IS CHOSEN SPONSOR

Is a June Graduate—Now Attending N. C. C.—Was Sec'y of Senior Class

### SHE IS TO PRESENT BALL

Lura Abercrombie is sponsor of the football team for the 1927 season.

Lura was a member of the class of 1927, and is now attending N. C. C. She came to Greensboro from Alabama in 1924. She was a popular member of the June graduating class.

In the fall of her senior year she was on the *Reflector* staff. She also held the secretaryship of her semester for the last half of the year.

It is a custom for the football sponsor to present the ball to the captain at the initial meet of the pre-championship game.

## SEVERAL CHANGES IN FOOTBALL RULES

None of These Changes Has Affected the Fundamentals of the Game

There have been several drastic changes in the football rules for 1927, although none of these changes has affected the fundamentals of the game. The principal changes for the coming year are as follows:

1. To avoid possible injuries and interference with play, also to make the try-for-point after touchdown more difficult, the goal posts have been moved ten yards back from the goal lines.
2. The new rules require that all players come to a complete stop for approximately one second in "shift plays." This time may be measured by counting rapidly, 1-2-3-4.
3. To speed up the game, any "unreasonable" delay of the game shall draw a penalty to the offending side. The referee shall judge this. No delay arising from any cause shall last more than two minutes.
4. To encourage greater freedom in handling the ball, a backward pass, except from the snapper-back, if incompleated, will become dead and no further play can be made.
5. When a ball is kicked from scrimmage formation and muffed by a player of the receiving side before it has come into his actual possession, the ball may be recovered by a player of the kicker's team as heretofore, but it may no longer be advanced beyond the point of recovery.

#### Season Tickets on Sale

A. P. Routh, manager of the Athletic Association, has announced that the season tickets are now on sale for \$1.50. These will entitle you to every game of football, basketball, track, and baseball. A number of tickets have already been distributed, and Mr. Routh urges the co-operation of the student.

## DICK DOUGLAS NAMED FOOTBALL MANAGER PURPLE WHIRLWIND

Bill Wharton Is Appointed by Douglas as Assistant for the Year

### WELL QUALIFIED FOR JOB

Douglas is a Member of Semester VII. Has Done Well in Scouts as in School

Dick Douglas, of semester 7, was unanimously elected manager of the football team for the 1927 season at a meeting held Friday, September 16. Dick was assistant manager last year. He selected Bill Wharton as his assistant for the year.

Dick has held several offices in Greensboro High School. Last year he was president of the junior class. This year he is vice-president of the senior class. Besides this, he is the editor-in-chief of the *Reflector* for the June graduates.

Douglas not only has done well in his school work, but has taken an active part in the scout work of the city. He has attended Camp Graystone and acted as assistant adviser on the camp staff. In all scout programs he has taken part and is still continuing his work.

## DOUGLAS CABIN SCENE OF MONOGRAM PICNIC

Seven New Members Receive "G's"—Initiation of Culprits and Swimming Are Features of Day

### MISS NELLIE DRY GIVES WELCOME

The Girls' Monogram Club held a picnic Friday, September 9, at the Douglas cabin. The girls enjoyed a swim and were more than ready for the watermelon feast which followed. The seven new members had to undergo all sorts of discipline under the command of Jane Harris. According to reports it seems as if Jane must have learned a good while bossing the "chain gang" this summer. The seven culprits were initiated in great style and wore their red dresses and goloshes with fine spirit. The climax of the evening was a three minute one-act play put on by the seven new girls. No one could ever find out the title of this play.

After the stunts each girl was presented with a "G" by Evelyn Rives, the old president of the club, and was given a warm welcome by Miss Nellie K. Dry, head of girls' athletics.

## TWENTY CANDIDATES REPORT FOR SOCCER

A Much Better Schedule Has Been Arranged for This Year Than Last Season

Twenty candidates reported for the opening workout of the soccer team. This is the second season of soccer in G. H. S. and prospects for a championship team seems fine with six members of last year's team out and several members of last year's graded school team.

Last year games were played with Winston-Salem, High Point, and King High School. This year there will be a state championship and games will be secured with teams all over the state.

## LILLIAN HAUCK HEAD OF G.H.S. HIKING TEAM

Lillian Hauck was elected manager of the hiking team of G. H. S. at a meeting held September 19 in B-4. Miss Rachel Freeman presided over the meeting. All girls are supposed to hand in their points to Miss Freeman or Lillian Hauck.

Miss Bessie B. Behney is also a hiking adviser.