

SIX LOCAL BOYS ARE ENROLLED IN CAMP AT FORT BRAGG, N. C.

Routine of Day Similar to Regular Army—Companies Drilled 7:30 to 11:30

ON DUTY JUNE 14-JULY 11

Ben Wood, Lee Vanstory, Harvey Blue, Marshall Barney, Glenn Gurley and Harris Ogburn Attended Camp

G. H. S. was represented at the Citizens Military Training Camp at Fort Bragg, June 14-July 11, by six boys. Those who attended were: Ben Wood, Lee Vanstory, Harvey Blue, Marshall Barney, Glenn Gurley, and Harris Ogburn.

The routine of the day was similar to that of the regular army. The hardest part of the work, according to Ben Wood, was from 7:30 to 11:30. At this time the companies drilled. After this was completed nothing else was required of the boys except to play games in the afternoon.

The camp had an excellent baseball coach and also coaches in track, tennis and football for those interested.

During the stay at camp each person had to do Kitchen Police Duty for one day. This was unanimously agreed upon as the worst part of the camp. Harris Ogburn said he didn't know the potato crop was so large until he peeled spuds one day.

If a boy attends three seasons of this camp he will receive a commission in the R. O. T. C. This is a way to train the American youth to be prepared in time of war and yet not have to enlist in the army for any time whatsoever.

BILL BYERS WINS MORRIS PLAN CONTEST

\$25 Deposit For First Prize; \$10 For Second; \$5 For Third Place—Held Last May

A first prize, consisting of a \$25 bank account was awarded Bill Byers, May 30, in the Morris Plan Bank ad contest. The second prize, a \$10 bank account went to Margaret Aldred and the third prize, a \$5 bank account was won by Aileen Fenriss. A \$1 prize was awarded to each of the following: Charles Marsh, Cynthia Vaughn, Henry Biggs, Evelyn Rives, and Helen Shuford.

This contest was conducted by the Morris Plan Industrial Bank during the month of May and was open to any student in the high school. Many teachers allowed the ads to be handed in as themes.

IMPROVEMENTS

No more can the students of G. H. S. send up S. O. S. calls through the Open Opinion column concerning narrow walks, lack of steps, and many other things which furnished material for complaints. The Open Opinion column has been forced out of business for the present, at least.

With the beginning of school surprised students found all kinds, sorts, shapes, and sizes of walks, steps, etc. We have nothing to complain about, but better still, we have something to brag about. G. H. S. has so many new trap-pings that we can hardly recognize her.

There are the church pews, something at schools. After much consultation, it was decided by the faculty that each pupil should bring his own cushion as it would probably cause confusion for the school to furnish a certain number. It has been suggested by the pupils, after much consultation, that each unfortunate who finds it necessary to visit the mourner's bench in Miss Mitchell's office, bring two cushions.

Miss Lottie Morgan, also, has a new addition to her apartment, a time-keeper! Now, don't get excited, it's a clock, not a man. We hope she does not try to keep us here all day just to try it out.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES APPOINTED BY PHILLIPS

(Tentative)

1. Publications—HIGH LIFE and Publicity, Mrs. Ashford, Mrs. Coltrane, Misses Chilton and Harrell; *Homespun*, Misses Tillett, Sumner, Causey, and Mr. Blair; *Reflector*, Miss Walker and Mr. Farthing; *Handbook*, in connection with Student Council.

2. Dramatics, Misses Hollingsworth, Wheeler, Jones, Freeman, Mr. J. H. Johnson, and Mr. Blair.

3. Scholarship, Misses Grogan, E. Mitchell, McNairy, and Greenwaldt.

4. Debating Club, Mr. Farthing, Misses Blackmon, Bridgers, and McNairy.

5. Social, Misses Bullard, Hill, McNairy, F. S. Mitchell, and Morrow.

6. Music, Miss Searey, J. H. Johnson, and Mrs. Robinson.

7. Student council Committee, (temporary), Misses Grogan and Lesley.

8. Chapel, Misses Dosier, Potts, Hall, and Mrs. Hogsette.

9. Library, Misses Caldwell, Behney, and Hall.

10. Folk Dancing, Misses Morrow and Potts.

11. Girls' Athletics, Misses Dry, Freeman, Moore, Behney, Young, and Mrs. Smith.

12. Boys' Athletics, Messrs. Routh, Coltrane, J. S. Johnson, Woodward, and Lambeth.

13. Office, Misses East and Young.

14. Thrift, Mrs. Christie, Misses Harrell, Lesley, Searey, Sumner, and Martin.

15. Museum, Misses Mercer, Jones, and Greenwaldt.

HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS SPEND HAPPY VACATION

Enjoy Many Forms of Pleasure, Recreation and Improvement—Return to School Duties With zest

FEW TAKE MEDICAL TREATMENT

The teachers of G. H. S. have returned to school, having spent the summer in various and sundry ways.

This year 19 teachers attended summer schools. Miss Mary E. Blackmon, Miss Bessie B. Behney, Miss Mary Dosier, Miss Rachel Freeman, Miss Ione Grogan, Miss Eleanor Hill and Miss Fannie S. Mitchell attended Columbia. Miss Mitchell also enjoyed trips to the mountains and beach. Miss Mary Harrel and Miss Lucile Mercer was at Duke University. Miss Mercer spent some time at lake Junaluska, N. C.

Miss Mary Wheeler and Mrs. H. B. Christie took courses at N. C. C. W.

Miss Sarah Lesley and Miss Amy Caldwell went to Harvard. Miss Laura Tillett, who toured New England, and Miss Lily Walker, who enjoyed a Ford hegirla, also attended Harvard.

Other teachers at summer school were: Miss Julia Searey, University of Georgia; Miss Katherine Jones, University of Virginia; Mr. Louis H. Woodward and Mr. J. H. Johnson.

Misses Estelle Mitchell taught at G. H. S. summer school. Miss Margaret Bridges coached students.

Miss Mary Morrow went "pioneering" in the Smoky Mountains.

Miss Ruth Greenwaldt traveled.

Miss Evelyn Martin went "homeseeeking." Miss Dorothy McNairy "kept house."

Miss Julia Potts was in Salisbury, Md., Miss Lena Bullard in Fayetteville, N. C., and Miss Lula East in Senatobia, Miss; Miss Edith Robinson in Richmond, Va., Miss Nellie K. Dry in Concord, N. C., Miss Mary Broome in Kingston, N. C., and Miss Virginia Hollingsworth in Dawson, Ga.

Mr. William Blair did boys' work for the Friends Church. W. H. Coltrane was connected with the Y. M. C. A. activities and Mr. Stanley Johnson found work in the field of athletics.

A. P. Routh was in Asheboro, N. C., and Mr. Mark Lambeth in Brown Summit. J. A. Farthing traveled.

Mrs. William Smith and Mrs. Alma Coltrane stayed in Greensboro.

MISS BROOME NEW LIBRARIAN AT HIGH SCHOOL

Is Pleased With Collection and Arrangement of Books

Miss Mary Broome will be in charge of the High School library this year. Miss Broome is a graduate of Greensboro College, and also of Simmons College, Boston, from which she received her degree in Library Science last year.

For the three years preceding last year, Miss Broome was connected with the Aycock School library.

The new librarian says she is very much pleased with the splendid collection of books which we have in the High School library and is very enthusiastic over the prospects for an excellent year's work. She hopes that every student in school will find much pleasure in the use of the library as well as assistance in his school work.

GRADUATING CLASS CHOOSES PRESIDENT

Mary Jane Wharton Elected at Last Meeting of Seniors, May 24

ACTIVE IN SCHOOL LIFE

Mary Jane Wharton was elected everlasting president of the graduating class of June 1927 at a meeting of the senior class held at chapel period, May 24, 1927.

Mary Jane was a member of the Torch Light Society and president of the Girls' Athletic Association. She took the leading part in several plays during the year and was a member of the Dramatics Club. During her Junior year she was president of the Girls' Council. She wore a gold star during all her senior year and had the highest average in her class.

Mary Jane was an active member of the Debating Club in 1926 and '27, was president of the "Girls' Athletic Association."

SEMESTER OPENS WITH MANY NEW STUDENTS

101 Pupils Come to G. H. S. From Grammar Schools and 12 From South Buffalo

With the ushering in of the fall term of school many new pupils enter the high school. From the grammar schools 101 pupils come to G. H. S. and 12 students from South Buffalo begin the semester's work. The roll of new students from Greensboro schools is as follows:

McIver School

Dick Andrew, Douglas Dalton, Rigdon Dees, Clara Garrett, Jewell Goode, Frances Grantham, Mary Horney, Helen Landreth, Winifred Marsh, Lewis Perdue, Beverly A. Sustain, Charles Vestal, Robert Wozard, Margaret White, Eleanor Welborn.

South Buffalo School

Mildred Apple, Joseph Coble, Bronna Cochman, Edith Frazier, Rhesa Lee Johnson, Frances C. Marchison, Margaret Marchison, Sylvia Irene Spoon, Evelyn Stedman, Louis Sutton, Leonard Sutton, Kate Woodburn.

Caldwell School

Lila Best Brower, Gordon Bason, Rona May Collins, Edith Corsbie, Hazel Fox, Willard Randolph Freeman, Dorothy Merle Garrison, Carolyn Hay, Helen Holbrooks, Bernard Jenkins, Elizabeth Kelly, Byron Lyon, Helen Lovin, Jack Lewis, Doyle McKinney, Louise Park, Helen Pritchett, Charlie Pemberton, Ovez Rothrock, Margaret Smith, Herbert Shelton, William Elliott Sullivan, Kathleen Wrenn.

Aycock School

Frank P. Abernethy, Marguerite Annan, Howard Anderson, Speight Bird, Frances Bishop, Ellen Bush, Frank Cox, Evelyn Cornelius, Frances Crawford, Frank Causey, Katherine Davis, Billy Edgerton, Cristo Lane Fogle,

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NEW BOOKS IN LIBRARY

BATES—Talks on Writing English. BEZARD—My Class in Composition. BOND—Gasoline.

BURY—A History of Freedom of Thought.

COE—What Ails Our Youth?

COLBY—Literature and Life in School.

DEWEY—Reconstruction in Philosophy.

DRUSH—Backbone: The Development of Character.

ELIOT—Training for an Effective Life.

FAIRCHILD—The Teaching of Poetry in the High School.

HAMILTON—A Manual of the Art of Fiction.

HARRINGTON—Typical Newspaper Stories.

HAWLEY—Teaching English in Junior High Schools.

IRWIN—The Neat War.

JACKSON—What Men Do.

LEFEVRE—The Riddle of the Rhine.

MATHEWS—The Faith of Modernism.

MCNIGHT—English Words and Their Background.

SHEPHERD—The Fine Art of Writing.

SINCLAIR—The Brass Check.

VEZZELI—Narrative Technique.

VANDERWALKER—Wood Finishing.

The library has a number of other new books which were purchased during the summer and these will be ready for circulation in a short time.

DR. FREEMAN HEARD AT ODELL MEMORIAL BY JUNE GRADUATES

C. W. Phillips Awards Medals and Distinctions—Frederick Archer Presents Diplomas

94 RECEIVE DIPLOMAS

Speaking For Wider Horizons Dr. Freeman Urges Class to Be in the Spirit of Going On

The commencement exercises of Greensboro High School were held June 3, at Odell Memorial.

Following the invocation by Rev. I. H. Hughes, Mr. E. D. Broadhurst, chairman of the board of education, introduced the speaker of the evening, Dr. Douglas S. Freeman. Dr. Freeman is editor of the News Leader, of Richmond, Va.

Speaking for wider horizons in the future Dr. Freeman said, "the tragedy of life is loss of interest in other things and the development of interest in only self."

He characterized the first cause of narrow horizons as mental sloth. He gave intellectual short-cuts as the second cause of narrowness, and as his final cause, faith in the superlative virtue of specialization.

The way to widen horizons, he said, was to be in the spirit of going on. Wider horizons would bring not only physical and mental advantages but those "in the realm of the mind" would be of far greater value.

After the address C. W. Phillips, principal of the High School, gave the records of the year and awarded medals and distinctions.

Following this Frederick Archer, superintendent of the schools, presented diplomas to the 94 graduates.

Singing of the class song and benediction by Rev. H. A. Fesperman, pastor of the First Reform church, closed the exercises.

LOCAL SCOUTS ATTEND GRAYSTONE IN JUNE

At Least Seven New Troops Are to Be Organized Among the Various Schools and Churches—Scouting Better

Even though most of the troops have been disbanded during the summer, scouting has been active in Greensboro. More than two hundred and fifty boys spent at least two weeks at Graystone, the camp of the Greensboro Council of the Boy Scouts. The season, the camp's third, was divided into four periods of two weeks for the scouts and two periods of one week for the boys who are too young to be scouts but who intend to enter Scouting when they reach the age of twelve. The program included nature study, water sports, athletics, handicraft and other subjects of a scouting nature.

Mr. J. W. Geeslin, the Scout Executive, has a number of plans for the promotion of scouting in Greensboro. He intends to organize at least seven new troops among the various churches and schools.

Of interest to scouts in G. H. S. is Mr. Geeslin's plan to enable them to pass merit badges while in school. He and Scout Commissioner Benbow have arranged to have different business men of the city who have qualified as merit badge examiners, to visit the school during study periods and pass the boys on their tests.

The Executive says he has every reason to believe that scouting, this fall and winter, will be even better and more successful than the last.

RILEY SCOTT RECITES NATURE POEMS HERE

At chapel period Thursday, May 13, Riley Scott recited several of his poems to the girls and boys of G. H. S.

Mr. Scott's poetry is mostly about nature. He travels in Kentucky, Tennessee, and North Carolina, studying nature and visiting camps for boys.

EMMA GRIFFIN ELECTED PRESIDENT FOR SEM. SIX

Other Officers Were: Vice-President, Bill Latham; Secretary-Treasurer, Katherine Nowell

Emma Griffin was elected president of Semester 6 at a meeting held May 26, 1927, at chapel period. Other officers elected were: Bill Latham, vice-president; Katherine Nowell, secretary and treasurer.

George McSwain, former president, expressed his thanks for the support given by the class to him during the last semester. The new president said that she hopes the coming semester would be a good one for her class and that she would give all her support to it.

During the year 1926-1927 Emma was captain of the sophomore basketball team and played guard on the team. She was a reporter on the HIGH LIFE staff last year; was a member of the varsity swimming team in 25-26, and belonged to the Girls' Council during 1925.

G. H. S. SUMMER SCHOOL HELD UNTIL AUGUST 1

Eighty-Five Pupils and Eight Teachers Compose Session—Only Two Failures Among Students Taking Courses

The Greensboro High School Summer School was in session from June 13 to July 30, from 8:30 to 12:30, every morning, including Saturday. C. W. Phillips was principal of the school for three weeks, and Mr. Scott for the remainder of the term.

There were eight teachers and 85 pupils with only two failures. The teachers were: Misses Estelle Mitchell, Nell Chilton, Z. Hunter, Nancy Little, C. Ferguson, Ada McCracken, Messrs. William Neal, and Bobby Wilkins.

BILL BYERS RECEIVES ANNAPOLIS NOTICE

Bill Byers, new student council president, received a notice from Annapolis, Friday, August 2, saying that he had been recommended a place by Major Stedman in the United States Naval Academy. Bill also received papers and numerous blanks to fill out.

He says that as long as he can remember he has wanted to go to Annapolis, and looks forward with much pleasure to his years there.