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public high schools in the county are within comparatively easy reach of the majority of pupils of high school age. In locating these schools we have proceeded along the lines of least resistance, and I am sure that we have made wise selections, a reasonably good foundation has been reared. Perhaps, and in deed, it is quite l'kely, however, that the demand for another high school in the southeastern part of the in the southeastern part of the county will have to be met. This county will have to be necessified by the county. This will become a necessity because of the population and area of the county. It should be remembered that Randolph ranks among the first six counties in the same training, domestic service. State in population and geographical area. This other high school will be established as soon as conditions permit. The development of a complete high-school system must, of course, be a gradual and perhaps slow growth.

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But if we are to develop the kind of high school that can be of most service to the young men and young service to the young men and young women of the county, we must build along somewhat broader lines. It is only a question of a year or two when it will will be necessarry for the county to develop one strong sentral high school, fully equipped, and offering strong courses of study. This central county school will be required to offer full four-year courses of instruction, in the c.asaics, the sciences, and industry. Mr. N. the sciences, and industry. Mr. N. W. Walser, State Inspector of High

the present and future are to be met, and the high school is to possess the atrength and the dignity, and the importance that justly belong to it."

It may be our policy within the next two years to select the high school in the county in order to secure the location of the school. The increase central high school. It is quite probable that the next legislature will make provision, by special appropriation, for the development of these central county high schools in the ounty high schools in the county in the State, and Randolp county should shape its sit tation in such a way as to get aid from the State in the development of the State in the state in the state in the state in the development of the State in the subject in the Diagnate of the Diagnate the Diagnate in the plans. Wherever this central school is developed, the other high schools in different sections of the county should be correlated with it, and the course of study in these will probstudents desiring to pursue the high-er subjects in the course to attend the central county high school, which should be thoroughly equipp-ed in all respects for thorough high school work. school work.

ADDITIONAL BUILDINGS NEEDED One of the greatest handicaps to the growth of a high accool is the annual shifting of the principal. It annual shifting of the principal. It is simply an outrage for a school to change its seacher every year. The psincipal who feels that he has but a changing relation to the community life, and that he community life, and that he responsible merely to perform his ed his back upon the west in favor of Senator Aldrich and the eastern class\_room duties, is not going to "intereste" appear in nearly all the develop the strong school that is demanded. He must identify him of courteons but cold politeness to self with the interest of the courself with the interest of the courself with the interest of the course of the c

PROF. E. J. COLTRANE WRITES. enough to impress his ideals and to A FRANCHISE IS GRANTED.

ANOTHER COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL.

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A NEW PHASE OF THE WORK.

successful industrial agricultural training. Parallel courses of study for the last two years might be ar-ranged, one course offering thorough preparation for college to the small number of students desiring such preparation, and the other offering preparation, and the other obsering practical industrial and agricultural training for the large number whose education will end with the high school. The dormitory would afford a splendid equipment for practice work for the girls in cooking, domestic science, household economics, etc.; while the boys during the last two years, could have training in agtwo years, could have training in ag the sciences, and industry. Mr. N. W. Walser, State Inspector of High Schools, has the following to easy in regard to this kind of school:

"I am confident that this type of school must come if the demands of the present and future are to be met, and the high school is to possess the

the beginning that 'educating people is expensive, in time and money, but it is more expensive to allow children to more expensive to allow children to grow up in ignorance. We should understand, in the second place, that no more important duty falls on a county than the universal education of its boys and girls. In the third place, we should understand that every faculty God has given boys and girls should be developed to the highest extent possible. A correst understanding of these things will ultimately mean that we will revoluultimately mean that we will revolu-tionize the entire public school system, and put it upon a practical

enough to impress his ideals and to give character to the work of the schools. There must be a permanent plan of organization in order that the work of the school may be progressive and have some continuity of putpose. In order to effect such plans the principal of a school must be principal of a school must not be changed every year; he should become a fixture for a few years at least. But it is not likely that a man can be kept from year to year, unless he is provided with a bome. Therefore, I conclude this point with the statement that its or the duty of the State and the duty of the State and the doubt to provide means for this higher instruction; and that it is the duty of the State and the county to provide means for this higher instruction; and that it is the duty of the State and the county to provide means for this higher instruction; and that it is an opportunity which should be seized by parents who are anxious to give their children the best there is an opportunity which should be seized by parents who are anxious to give their children the best there is an infe. It is my purpose in this article to advance some ideas for the future development of these high schools. I. ball confine my suggestions to the situation in Randolph county in particular.

Another County High School.

As at present oversign.

The hearing at Salisbury was public and a large crowd was present. The Bell people wilted and could not stand up and meet the arguments of the Independents.

The Land Sale Last Saturday

On last Saturday the land saledvertised to sell lots on the Ham lin Highlands and on the Walker property, resulted in the sale of a number of lota.

There were a number of purchasers from different parts of the country. Most of the lots brought fair prices, but most of them did not

bring as much as purchasers would have had to pay at private sale. The chief advantage to owners of real estate in the form of town lots

lars, gold coin.
J. M. Alien, two and a half dol

rs. gold coin. Miss Edna Laughlin, two and a

baif dollars, gold coin.

Master Ben Bulla, set of silver

Master Britt Armfield, set of sil-G. A. Spiuks, set of silver spoons. A number of the purchasers say they will erect dwellings on the loss

Why Sam Trogdon Resigned.

It is pretty generally understood hat Mr. Samuel L. Trogdon was forced out of the office of the Clerk of the Federal courts in Greens bure, the position being held at the will and pleasure of the Judge of the District.

death being due to apoplexy. He had started to his home in Archdale accompanied by his daughter and just as they neared the Moser Drug Co. he complained of a severe pain in the head. Dr. Duncan was called in but Mr. Wheeler died almost instantly .- High Point Review.

Raleigh has completed a new her pital at a cost of \$50,000.

The examination for Rhodes Scholarships will be held at Chapel Hill, October 19:20. Applicants can procure information and liter-ature by writing to President Ven-able at Chapel Hill, N. C.

The grand pagesut of the Hud-son-Fulton celebration culminated with the impressive picture of 500 ships in one grand armsda from New York to Newburg. Among New York to Newburg. Among the ships were Peny's steamer, the Rosswelt, the Half Moon and the Trinity Public and High School.

The Trinity Public and High School opened on Sept. 6th with four teachers including the princi-pal. The number of pupils at the end of the second week was 125 and others have come in since that date and the capacity of the school prom-ises to be taxed to the uttermost. Isses to be taxed to the uttermost. Some boa ding pupils are coming in from the neighboring t waships of New Market and Tabernacle. Fution is free to all papils of the High School grades from the townships of Trinity, Back Creek, New Market, Tabernacle and Randieman, It is hoped that other pupils may be able to avail themselves of the free furtion here offered. The High School tuition here offered. The High School has representatives in each of the fouryears and has at present about

36 members Miss Haworth, in charge of the High School, has arranged an inter-esting program for Friday afternoon. consisting of reading, vocal and in-strumental music, declamations, etc., by the pupils of the High School to which the pupils of the lower grades

The High School boys have reorganized their literary society, krown as the Lycurgian Literary Society, and are holding regular meetings each week.

Steps are being taken to seen

Steps are being taken to secure
the necessary means for a Rural
School library and with all promise
f success. The boys will soon or
anize an athlitic association.
Mr. R. Jackson Weeks, a member
of the third class in the U.S. Naval
Academy at Annapolic, Md., newon
furlough for his vacation, has been
giving the larger boys some of the
elements of military tactics and wall elements of military tactics and will continue to do so for a week longer. continue to do so for a week longer. The boys are entering on this work with eathersam. They godly gave their hours of recreation to the practice and are making progress. After Mr. Weeks returns to Annapolis the drilling rill be continued by Mr Charles Parkin and Mr. Earl Car

Miss Miller and Miss Auman, the voung lady teachers from Asheboro have their classes c osely graded and are doing good work.

Mr. Herbert Jackson Goes to Richmond. Mr. Herbert W. Jackson, the President of the North Carolina Bankers' Association and one of the Bankera' Association and one of the best men in North Carolins, is to leave the State. He goes to Vir-ginia, where he will be connected with the largest banking house in the Sauth. Mr. Jackson was born and raised in Asheboro and was a model boy and a model citizen. For years he has lived in Raleigh, and is cashier of one of the leading is cashier of one of the leading banks of the State. He is a son of banks of the State. He is a son of the late S. S. Jackson, a prominent lawver and leading citizen, who died in June, 1875. His mother, M.s. E. E. Moffitt, is president of the North Carolina Division of the Daughters of the Revolution, and is adjust of the North Carolina Bull.

more than when she asked for Her-bert Jackson."

Hong Service.

A. M. Fentress the singing mas ter, of Pleasant Garden, will hold a Song Service at Bernetts Chape Sunday Oct. 10th at 11 o'clock. He expects to make the service unusually interesting, as he will have several classes present. Prof. Fran-cis Low is expected to bring one of his classes and join the service.

The Pennsylvania Railroad hes placed orders for five and a half millions of dollars worth of steel rails for use next year,

Next year Russia adopts the Gregorian Calendar instead of the antiquated machine for counting

The Good Roads campaign in the ships were Peary's steamer, the Rosswelt, the Half Moon and the Claremont. The crowd was simply immense.

High Point is warming up and it secretary of the Greensboro board of enterprising town will be successful in their work for better roads.

DEATH OF MR. SAMUEL LOWE

ing at His Home Near! High Point
--Typhoid Fever Cause
His Death.

Samuel Lowe, a prominent citizen of Guilford county, died at his home near High Point yesterday moraing, October 5th, 1909. Mr. Lowe was born in Cedar Grove township, in this county about

56 years ago and lived in that im mediate section until about ten years ago, when he removed to Trinity. After living at that place a short time he removed to High Point. From that place he removed to a farm between High Point and Jamestown, where he remained until his death.

Mr. Lowe was married about 30 years ago to Miss Civilla Lewis. By this union there were born ten chil dren, nine living and one dead,

Mr. Lowe was a good citizen, tak ing stall times a great interest in any movement for the upbuilding any movement for the upbunding and betterment of the community in which he lived. He was especially interested in temperance work and never failed, in season and out, to say a good word for that cause.

He was a kind husband, a good father and a true friend. He was

a man whom the community will miss and can ill afford to lose. He will be buried at the old Springfield cemetery today (Thursday) at 11

Mr. Lowe is survived by his wife, Mr. Lowe is survived by his wife, four daughters, five sons, two sisters and three brothers, one of them being N. M. Lowe of Asheboro, who with his daughter, Miss Pat, and son, Worth, were with him when the end came, together with a nu merous family connection is the county. Peace to his ashes.

Mrs. A. R. Hix Dead-Died in High

Mrs Alton R. Hix, of Asheboro, died at the Junior Order Hospital at High Point last Monday evening, Oct. 4th, at half past eight o'clock. The news that Mrs. Hix was dead came as a distinct shock to her friends here, for while she had been ill for some time, it was thought and hoped that her a ckness was not serious and that under the care of rious and that under the care of hospital physiciaus and skilled nurses she would speedily get well.

Ars, Hix, who, before her marriage, was Mary Belle Shaw, was born in New Hope township and lived at the old home untill she married Mr, A. R. Hill about ten years and Some time after their marriage. ago. Some time after their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Rix came to Asheboro where they remained only a short time, going from this place to Candor, where Mr. Hix had charge of a store at the Jones gold mine. When the mines suspended some time ago Mr. and Mrs. Hix returned to Asheboro where they have since made their home. Only recently they purchased a heautiful grove on Fay-ettevill street and built them a home. They had barely got settled in their new home when Mrs. Hix was stricken with fatal illness and the new made home was robbed of its

Jewel.

Mr Hix has the sympathy of a goodly circle of true friends in the hour of his desolation.

The remains of Mrs. Hix were brought here Tuesday afternoon and taken down to the old home Wednes day for interment at New Hope chusch.

Prof. E. J. Coltrane will speak here next Saturday night, October 9th. His subject will be Education. The public is cordially invited, especially the patrons of the school at this place.

E. C. WILLIAMSON.

Worthville Out 5, 1900.

Worthville, Oct. 5, 1900.

Orville Wright broke his own and all other records for high flying at Potsdum, near Berlin, last Saturday. He not only went up twice as high as his previous flight over the same ground but he carried up the Crown Prince Frederick William.

Woman's Betterment Associations are requested to send delegates to this meeting.

The meeting will be held in the Graded School.

## General News Items.

The Sandy Creek Suptist Associa-tion met at Tyson's Creek, Chatham County, last Tuesday.

Rosnoke and Rocco Mount, Va., have voted wer, Rosnoke by 69 and Rocky Mount by 3 majorn,

Upon the retirement of J. M. Millikan as U.S. marsha' his deputies presented him with a gold watch,

William Watson shairman of the with an warsen and remain of the big Cunard Stamehin Company, who died last Monday in Eug-land, was born and raised in Onadeston, S. C.

T. F. Coble, the convict guard who killed Will Partier a negro prisoner on the Guilford Co. roads has been indicated by the grandjury of Grandjury at Greensbor.o

Chief of Police, H. B. Howie, of Albemarle, has been releved of his duties, and ex-Secriff Love, appointed in his place. It is alleged that he is short in his accounts.

John Hill, who lives near Lenoir, who was alleged to have used threat-ening language towards a Mr. White of that place, was recently severely whipped by White Cappers.

Eugene Fuller has been appointed general foreman of the Southern Shops at Spencer, succeeding C. H. Kadie who becomes master me-chanic and goes to Charleston S. C.

The Methodist Conference to be held at Asheville has five and magbe eight Bishops to elect. During the oust two years Bi hope Tigert, Dun-can, Smith, Gallewsy and Ward have died.

A boy named Snipes was arrested at Goldsboro the other day and lodg-in jail on the charge of stealing a p stol. He had been reading dime novels and proposed to arm himself and go forth to seek adventure. He found it—behind the bars.

Little Olive Aydlett, the 7-year old daughter of Dr. Aydlett, of Eliz-abeth City, while playing at her home, last Saturday, fellon a sharp picket of an iron fence and sustain ed serious injuries.

Those who are on the 'nside say that Committeeman Duncan is responsible for the appointment of Glasson, the Yankee Professor, as Census Supervisor of the 5th Dis-trict and that Duncan wants to go to Congress.

The Crown Prince went up for The Crown Frince went up for about a ten minutes trip and was so well pleased that he presenteed Mr. Wright with a souvenir pin act with a diamond and ruby. Mr. Wright estimated that he reached a height

James Cole an eleven year old boy ran away from his home near Sea-grove the other day and walked all the way to Catthage, where he saw the carnival and sgain disappeared.
After a three days search by his father he was located at Aberdeen,

Thomasville had a gala day and general carnival of fun last Saturday. The features of the day were a big street parade, two riding tournaments, a wheelbarrow race, climbing church.

Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Chandler, of High Point, Miss Hix. Mr. and Mrs. Csvines, Messre T. H. Redding, W. J. Armfield, W. J. Miller and perhaps others went down to the funeral which was conducted by Rev. C. H. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Hix's pastor, at Asheboro.

for the first meeting of county teachers. This will be an important meeting because of the fact that many questions of importance to the teachers of the county will be ex-plained, Mr. J. A. Bivins, of the State Department of Education, will be present to discuss the plans for the organisation of a reading circle among the teachers of the county. Mrs. Chas. D. McIver will also be present to di cuss the work of the Woman's Betterment Association,

The meeting will be beld in tha-Graded School Auditorium and will open at ten o'clock. All public school teachers in the county will please be present.

E. J. Coletrane,

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County Supt. of Schools.