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FIRST ANNIVERSARY CONCERT ATTRACTS A LARGE CROWD

It is seldom that as many people gather in the school auditorium here as were present for the first anniversary concert of the Spindale Band, Saturday evening. The house was filled and most of the standing room taken up. During the program, which lasted nearly an hour, the band played eleven selections, picked as follows: two marches, two fox trots, serenade, one step, overture, trombone novelty and three other selections. Following the sixth selection Mr. W. E. Wells, president of the band, gave an interesting talk on the events leading to the organization of the band, and briefly sketched the results of the first year's work. Starting a year ago with twenty-two instruments, bought by the local mills, five other members owning their instruments, have come into the club. Mr. Wells' statistics showed that only a few changes have been made and that the larger portion of the membership are the original members beginning when the club was organized.

The concert was thoroughly enjoyed. The appreciation of the people for its band was shown by the immense crowd. A number of visitors from Rutherfordton and Forest City were present.

The first year's work has been gratifying. Improvement is being constantly shown and by another year it is fondly hoped that the band will be equal to any.

The band is planning on giving a concert at the county home on some Sunday afternoon at an early date, possibly February 1st or 8th. Announcements later.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Miss Grace Ellington, who was operated on for appendicitis at the Rutherford hospital last Tuesday week returned home Monday, considerably improved.

Mr. J. H. Hill and daughter, Miss Jacquette, spent the day in Charlotte Thursday.

Miss Grace Griffin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Griffin and Mr. Max Tolleson, of Spindale were secretly married in Spartanburg, S. C., Saturday, January 11th.

Mr. J. Horace Burwell, general agent of the Pilot Life Insurance Company in Rutherford county is attending an agent's meeting in Greensboro this week.

Mr. Lloyd Williamson, formerly of Robbins & Williamson Grocery Co., of this place, is now associated with R. P. Geer & Company, of Rutherfordton. Mr. Williamson will probably move to Rutherfordton later. He sold his interest at Spindale to Messrs. W. L. and Lee R. Robbins.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nanney were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. Nanney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nanney.

Messrs. Ivy and Carl Cowan, Fred Kinzie and Victor Grose and Miss Ethel Cowan, of Charlotte, visited Miss Bess Cowan, Sunday, who is in the Mission Hospital in Asheville.

Messrs. C. M. Beasley and W. M. Williams spent a few days last week

with Mr. Beasley's sister, Mrs. Max Watson. Messrs. Beasley and Williams have been spending the winter in Florida and were returning to their home in Louisburg, N. C.

Mr. G. B. Howard spent Sunday in Statesville.

Born, Saturday night, to Rev. and Mrs. O. L. Simpson, a son, Robert Limbaugh.

Miss Ethel Morris and Mr. Ralph Morris were week-end visitors at the home of their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dotson spent the week-end visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Dotson, at Cliffside.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Spangler and little son, Broadus, spent Sunday visiting Mr. Spangler's parents, near Campobello, S. C.

Miss Edith Dotson, of Cliffside is spending this week here visiting her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dotson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Robbins spent Sunday visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Robbins, of near Ellenboro.

Mr. Marshall Long resigns his position with the Stonecutter Mills Co., to accept a position with the Wade Mfg. Co., at Wadesboro, N. C.

Mr. E. B. Spangler of near Gilkey was in Spindale last week on business.

The local B. Y. P. U. was entertained at a social at the home of Mr. J. H. Campbell's last Thursday evening. About forty members of the union were present.

Mrs. Elizabeth Payseur gave a party for the teachers last Friday evening. Several games of interest were played during the evening.

Mr. Oscar Hendrix and family spent the week-end with Mrs. Hendrix's mother at Gilkey.

Miss Viola Culbreth was the dinner guest of Miss Carrie Hamrick Sunday.

Mr. Robert Culbreth and family spent the week-end with Mrs. Culbreth's parents at Shiloh.

Mr. Jones and family, of Golden Valley, were the dinner guests of Mr. Charlie McCurry, Sunday.

Mr. G. W. Deter and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Deter's parents near Logan.

Mr. Howard Crow and family spent the week-end with Mrs. Crow's parents, Mr. Blankenship in Golden Valley.

CAROLINA RANKS FIRST IN FOUR FARM CROPS

Raleigh, Jan. 26.—North Carolina ranked first in the production of four farm crops in 1924, according to a report that has just been compiled by the United States department of agriculture. In 1923 the state ranked first in the production of only two crops, peanuts and soy beans, with a production of 176,000,000 and 2,675,000 bushels, respectively.

The four crops in which the state led in production in 1924 were: Sweet potatoes, 9,292,000 bushels; peanuts 152,945,000 bushels; soy beans, 2,560,000 bushels; cow peas, 2,545,000 bushels. During both years the state ranked second in the production of tobacco, 409,500,000 pounds being produced in 1923 and 278,320,000 in 1924.

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SPINDALE SCHOOL NEWS

Public education is the great creative process by means of which society consciously strives to control and perpetuate its life and to improve its condition.

On account of the delicate and difficult nature of this process, due to the intangibility of the substance with which it works and of the results which it achieves, preeminently in the profession of teaching it is aspiration rather than attainment that constitutes ethical conduct.

Those who accept the responsibility, therefore, of serving society by attempting to determine, direct, and carry on the process of education should possess the highest attributes of character, and should practice the highest code of ethical conduct.

These ideals, attributes, and practices should find expression in the teacher's relation to each of the following:

1. The Pupils.—In his relation to his pupils the teacher should endeavor to set up ideals and to assist his pupils in acquiring the desire, the knowledge, and the power to make those ideals prevail in their own lives and in the life of the community of which they are members.

In order that he may be able to do this, he should recognize and respect the inalienable rights of childhood and the individuality of each child. His attitude toward his pupils should be determined not so much by contemplation of what, from the adult point of view, they ought to be or may ultimately become, as by frank recognition of what they intrinsically are. Youth is not a defect to be overcome by old age. Like beauty, it is its own excuse for being. The teacher's attitude, therefore, should be devoid of condescension and characterized by sympathy and justice.

The teacher's authority should be commensurate with his responsibility, but he should punish only to protect, and control only to deliberate. He should attempt to maintain the dignity of his position by demonstrating his superior ability to serve rather than his arbitrary power to compel. He should strive to lift up his pupils to the high level of co-operation, rather than to hold them to the low plane of mere obedience.

2. Fellow-Teachers.—In his relation to his co-workers, the teacher's attitude should be characterized by the spirit of co-operation. Co-operation is not obedience to a superior, but loyalty to an equal. The heart of co-operation is the recognition of common interests.

As guidance for the conduct of teachers in their relations to one another, the Golden Rule is adequate and applies with explicit force and beauty.

3. The Administration.—The relation between the teacher and those in positions of superior responsibility should be characterized by mutual confidence and co-operation.

Those who are responsible to the public for the conduct of the school should attempt to acquaint the teacher with the larger purposes of the organization and to furnish him with such assistance and guidance as will enable him to co-operate intelligently. The teacher should make a sympathetic effort to understand those purposes and, regardless of personal feeling or private opinion, so long as he continues to be a part of the organization, faithfully to carry them out.

Teachers, however, should be encouraged to make suggestions and to offer criticisms through proper channels. A school system in which only one mind is allowed to think and only one voice to speak is ethically as well as educationally indefensible.

All contracts should be offered in good faith and accepted in the same spirit, and no contract should be broken by either party except by mutual consent or by due process of law. If at any time before the expiration of a contract either party should decide that a new contract should not be entered into, the party so deciding should notify the other party at such time and in such manner as may be calculated to produce the minimum amount of inconvenience or embarrassment.

4. The Community.—In his relation to the community the teacher should be an example of the value to society of an educated citizen. So far as may be consistent with the best performance of his specific duties, as a teacher, he should actively

identify himself with all movements of civic and social interest.

In his personal relations his conduct should be such as to elevate rather than to lower prevailing moral standards. His habits and practices should be governed by a due regard for the established conventions of the community.

In all his relations he should attempt, without calculation of the immediate financial compensation involved, to serve to the best of his ability the best interests of the community.

5. The Profession.—In his relation to his profession the teacher should stand for the highest ideals of educational service.

His loyalty to his group should be based upon recognition of group responsibility to society.

In the interest of professional growth he should maintain a friendly attitude toward change, and should support the efforts of his profession as an organized body to elevate its standards and improve the quality of its service.

Himself.—In his attitude toward himself the teacher may well afford to heed the admonition of Cardinal Wolsey to Cromwell: "Love thyself last." However, he should not be too aware of doing this. His attitude should be characterized by the spirit of Moses, whose face shone, but who wist not that it shone.

In the presence of his burning bush the teacher should ever stand with reverence and in humility of spirit. Before men his bearing should be dignified and devoid of apology, but without conceit.

To this end he should strive to keep himself physically efficient, mentally alert, emotionally sym-

thetic, volitionally moral, and spiritually reverent.

Committee:

T. Wingate Andrews,
John W. Moore,
Mildred Cunningham,
Florence Gray,
J. T. Jerome.

HONOR ROLL

The honor roll for Spindale school for last month follows:

First Grade—Miss Wilkie teacher: Irene Taylor, Gerthe Moore, Ernest Guffy, Irene Jones, G. E. Simmons, Theron McDaniel, Clyde Morgan, Opal Lawing.

First Grade—Mrs. Watson, teacher: Robert Lee Hensley, Helen Duncan, Ruby Culbreth, Sherman Moffitt, Mildred Wallace, Mildred Watkins, Clarence Tolleson, Richard Guffy, John Grayson.

First Grade—Miss Hicks, teacher: Louise Sinclair, Lewis Camby, Mary Sue Price.

Second Grade—Miss Hicks teacher: Addie Evans, Henry Scoggins, Bell Mace.

Second Grade—Mrs. Houser teacher: Roy Duncan, Robert D. Hill, James Northy, Shuil Padgett, Paul Sisk, Ellen England, Vivian Starnes, Velva Crawford, Carrie Upton, Esther Roberts, Miriam Young, Edith Roberts, Edith Melton.

Third Grade—Iola Culbreth, Gladys Scoggins, Fred Buchanan.

Fourth Grade—Mary S. Hill teacher: Eula Padgett, Evelyn Hill, Dewitt Hamrick, Vivian Nanney, Mamie Sue Watkins, G. B. Howard, Walter Grayson.

Fifth Grade—Miss Edwards teacher: Inez Brackett, Gaynell Brackett, Alberta Scoggins, Adrian Hovis, B. B. Padgett, Frank Setzer, John Tate.

Fifth Grade—Miss Tate teacher: Fay Stegall, Annie Yelton.

Sixth Grade—Miss Sanders teacher: Zonnie Crawford, Elma Sue Griffin, Foy Pritchard.

High School Faculty—Capt. Smith,

Mr. A. M. Norton and Miss Stegall.

son.
Eighth Grade—Gladys Griffin
Ninth Grade—George Grayson
Tenth Grade—Bentha Beam, I. Stott, Dora Ledbetter.
Eleventh Grade—Ora Crenshaw

P. T. A. Meeting

The P. T. A. meeting on Jan. 15th was a splendid success. There were over a hundred of the present. The topic of study "Health and Home Study." Mr. M. Hill made a splendid talk "What the Home Can do to School Work." She emphasized importance of home study and necessity of well-prepared lessons. She said that no school student should neglect their studies for side pleasures. They should form habit of staying at home nights studying. Another talk on "Health and Home Study."

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Splendid Programs

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See program on another page. Pictures shown in Forest City will appear in Spindale on next following day.

PRESSING ON INTO THE NEW YEAR

The old year is past and gone and no matter what the outcome was we can only look to the new one for results.

We are glad we were able to serve so many people last year and hope to make many more new friends this year.

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