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BAKER MOUNTAIN SCHOOL SOMETHING ABOUT IT.

has provided industrial training daily domestic work, and abundant opporser Mountain School began in tunities for recreation. Since vegeear 1907, conducted by Mr. and tarianism is more conducive to M. H. Johnston, who are still health, flesh foods are not served.

school at that time would acdate forty students. The work is that it was necessary to have int teachers. By 1909 the call

o great from students who deboard at the school that it was im-ton, a baby girl.

This made it necessary to underwent an operation for tonsils in addition to the school in 1910. and adenoids rding students have increased | Elizabeth Barkley was admitted to h an extent an addition had to the hospital and was operated on. She made to the school home. It has is getting along nicely. acity at the prosent of thirty

Mr. Henry Reichard, who was operated on for appendicitis, was able to three and one half miles to return to his home yesterday. h of Hildebran, it has a most Miss Katharine Fritz was operatlocation. Its scenery is be- ed on for tonsils and adenoids this escription. In the distance one's morning. are surerb. This section of

and its rambling brooks. mate is delightful. Here in country place, the students Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 5.—Atlanta votin from all the follies of the ers today will ballot at a special elecet country place, the students

acres. The ground is of a stantial majority. nature, and is partially covered The police commissioners whose re- school department if the present rate ruits of different kinds, such call is asked are W. P. Fain, J. W. of increase continues. ars, peaches, cherries, prunes, English, R. T. Pace, R. C. Clarke and grapes, strawberries, rasp- A. R. King. This large farm en-

mentality, is the one great -1-5-2t.

# Woman and Society

The love we own to women-for all we have and are; our strength when we are tempted, our trust and guiding star, our wives our mothers, sisters-all

wonder and all awe these whose worth sustainst us, our doctrine and our law!

The love we owe to women-for all we dream to be, or all we've striven to master, for all we've tried to see.

Our seetheart and our counsins, our Huffman knows how to serve one. will, our strength, our zest!

we've known or know, our courage in the shielders from the blow.

Our silencers of hatred, our light, our trust, our truth, whom we find our solace, from whom we draw our youtn:

shall we repay?

shall we rise to measure to all that they have meant bove us in the'r splendor of love and boys.

all our dreams advancing, hopes that burn and rise, them life's nure devotion-these stars that light our skies!

hese strong tides in our weakness, to hold us true through life

o all that makes us noble, these sweetners of our strife! -Baltimore Sun. Mrs. W. T. Sledge and Mrs. C. M.

herrill motored to Charlotte today.

Miss Hazel Carpenter of Charlotte zies, Mr. James C. Shuford. visiting friends in the city.

Miss Della Teague left this morning o visit home folks in Taylorsville.

ister, Mrs. Worsley, in Charlotte. Mrs. T. F. Burns passed through

oday coming from Morganton.

Miss Gertrude Finger returned to day from Bluefield, W. Va.

Ledies' Guild Meets. The Ladies' Guild of Holy Trinity Lutheran church held its first meetrg of the year at Hotel Huffry yesterday afternoon. About sixty membors were present. The meeting was led by Mrs. W. E. Murray and the vearly report was read by Mrs. K. A. Price. Mrs. J. A. Moretz appointed the leaders for the ensuing year. After the business meeting was over an elegant luncheon was served, as Mr.

Entertain Classes. Last night Messrs. B. L. Prevette and C. W. Ellington entertained their clarses in the Sunday school room of the First Baptist church, Mr. Ellington having the Bereans and Mr. Prevette a class of young ladies of about the same age. Games were played and refreshments served and the boys and girls enjoyed there selves greatly. As a proof that they Ien in world of mischief, poor crea- are not ungrateful Mr. Prevette's class presented him with a pair of military brushes and Mr. Ellington received a handsome silk umbrella from his

With Mrs. J. C. Shuford. Mrs. C. M. Sherrill won the lady's prize for the highest score and Mr all we are or may be, to worship R. A. Crimes the gentleman's prize when Mr. and Mrs. James C. Shuford entertained the Owl Club last night. Auction was played at seven tables. Refreshments in t o courses were served at the close of the games Those plavin were Mr. and Mrs. W 'he same today, tomorrow, in triumph X. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Blackwelder, Mr. and Mrs. George Luerly. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shuford, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bryan Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh D'Anna, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Riddle, Judge and Mrs. E. B. Cline, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Menzies, Mrs. C. M. Sherrill, Mrs. J. Shuford, Mrs. Walker Lyerly, Mr. Robert Martin, Dr. H. C. Men-

Philatheas Elect Officers. The Philatheas of the Presbyterian church held a social and business meeting with their leader Mrs. W. B. Mrs. Alma Whitener is visiting her Ramsay last night. An election of officers was held. Mrs. S. A. Grier was elected vice-president, taking the place of Miss Thomasson who has moved away and Mrs. George Killian is now secretary. The matter of im-Miss Carrie Peeler has returned to proving the Sunday school library was taken + and it was decided to hold a book recertion on Tuesday night, Miss Louise Peeler entertained at January 18, every one attending to rook party last night in honor of bring a donation of money or books r both. The place of meeting was left to a committee and the election Mrs. Bessie Tatum, bookkeeper for until later. Short talks were made by he head office of the Singer Sewing Messrs. Garth and Bradshaw. The neen in town since yesterday assist- much enjoyed and music was given on mg Mr. J. R. Bovd. en ne Compar in Salisbur has hostess served refreshments that were

# NOTABLE

Superintendent Chas. M. Staley last ight made the following report on the ork during the fall in the city

"I beg to report that the fall term f the city graded schools was highly uccessful. The percentage of school any previous year; the average today. aily attendance was much better than ver before; and the teachers reported asting work than in any previous

census for 1915 showed an ncrease in school population of only County News was here for a short 35 over that of 1914. The increase time today. in enrollment for the fall term just anded was 53 over the fall term of Mr. Caldwell Pronst, a young travment and attendance for 1914 and for city today calling on the trade. 915 is given.

Enrolled Enrolled Attendance Attendance South School-342-286 494-440 North School-472-420 Negro School-204-144

1,071 891 birds. "The teachers report that excellent ork has been done in all the grades. n the essential subjects of spelling, reading, writing, arithmetic, English tary Academy. He was accompanied anguage, grammar, and composition by his father, Mr. W. L. Long. more work is now required than ever before. The mid year examina- ELDER SHIREMAN WAS ions showed that better work is beng done in these subjects than ever

"An unusually fine school spirit ex-Rural Schools of North Carolina, sts among pupils, teachers, and parents. Every thing has worked in fui!

he council to the fact that ste - must be taken to provide more room for the schools. The 340 children enrolled at the South school are all that the North school there were 494 enrolled-144 in the elementary grades, and 150 n the high school grades. At the ndfather mountains with the erated on Monday, is getting along and of this year there will be at least W. Beach. In 1902 are surerb. This section of the sec are surers. This section of the surery is known for its wildwood ATLANTA VOTES TODAY TO make it necessary to have two teaches and its rambling brooks. RECALL MAYOR WOODWARD res for the Eighth grade. But every room in both buildings is now in use. "An estimate based on the present Not only do they appreciate tion on the question of whether Mayor shows that there will probably be ational advantages of the James G. Woodward and five mem- 175 pupils in the high school next t love to go forth under the bers of the board of police commis- year. I would recommend that steps

enrollment in the high school grades y, and list to nature's teach- sioners shall be recalled. More than be taken to provide a night school 12,000 voters have registered and both building of not less than eight rooms. school farm consists of three sides today claimed victory by a sub- Within the next three years there will be two hundred nupils in the high

For several reasons it is desirable to have the high school grades in a Caldwell county, was here today on building separate from the elementary his way to Morganton. He was takstudents to earn a portion Sheriff Isenhower will be at the city grades. Such a division will be of ing a patient to the hospital. Mr. manager's office in Hickory Saturday great advantage both to the high Whitt Hubbard. The man has been in elementary grades."

### **PERSONALS**

Mr. T. F. Brown went to Charlotte

Mr. Frank Moose is out again after

Mr. W. C. Feimster of Newton was a visitor for a few hours today.

Mr. Ward Shuford returned this morning from a business trip to Ashe-

Mr. J. R. Boyd spent two days in Marion on his office business this

Messrs. J. A. Moretz and B. B. opulation enrolled was greater than Blackwelder went to Granite Falls

Mr. E. V. Morton returned from larger percentage of pupils doing Caswell today. He enjoyed meeting

> Editor C. H. Mebane of the Catawba Mr. Caldwell Propst, a young trav-

Mr. W. R. Icard of Rhodhiss was in the city today. He stated that his new house in Longview is completed.

Rev. J. D. Harte, Clerk of Court Setzer and Mr. Walter Hefner are in upper Caldwell county today shooting

Mr. Horace Long left yesterday for Fayetteville to enter Donaldson Mili-

PIONEER IN SCHOOLS

'hich just closed their convention' at harmony, and it would be hard to ind a better school spirit than exists The first school was located at Hill Hickory. "Hickory.
"I desire to call the attention of liam Johnston. This school had two derbran. The first teacher was Wilrooms with a capacity of eighty pupils. In a short t'me it was necessary to build a school home for the benefit of students who desired to come to building can accommodate. At the that school. This home would accomodate about 20 students. The place is now known as the Alfalfa Dairy Farm and is owned by Mr. J.

In 1902 Elder Shireman left Hildebran and started a school at Toluca, building and a school home for the benefit of boarding students. This continued until Elder Shireman's health caused him to discontinued as school home for the Hickory March 15 and 22 and April 12; for Lenoir March 23, and for March 24. health caused him to discontinue it.

Sheriff Isenhower will be at the city manager's office in Hickory Saturday from 9 until 4 o'clock to collect taxes.

### CARRIED TO MORGANTON

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made and will be of much interest to
the members. A full attendance of

Sheriff Isenhower will be at the city manager's office in Hickory Saturday development of character, as from 9 until 4 o'clock to collect taxes. school pupils and to the pupils of the the Lenoir jail since the 17th of last from 9 until 4 o'clock to collect taxes.

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Nebo
C. C. & O. Crossing
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