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# A Stock REDUCTION

On account of an unusually large amount of merchandise on hand our regular February Furniture Sale was enlarged upon and made a much greater sale due to the fact that we must

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#### **ELLERBE TOPICS**

School News. (By Ralph Ballard)

A music recital was given in the auditorium last Thursday evening. Mr. J. F. Gallery, the violinist, was here and he and Mr. Sides and Miss Auman made music; it was certinly a fine entertainment and everybody was well pleased.

The basket-ball season ended 1881 here with last Friday's game at Rockingham and it sure was a successful season with us; we didn't lose a game in the county, winning the championship. The game last Friday was one of the, ing the season we were defeated severe frost is about over and once and that was through a little the planting of tender vegetables hard luck. We defeated Derby twice by the scores of 13-11 and 25-9, Mt. Gilead twice 19-2, 16-7, defeat was against Eureka at Jackson Springs by a 14-12 score.

just right.

#### TOWN NEWS.

Mr. Prince O'Brien has just moved into his beautiful brick bungalow on Main street.

M. L. Altman.

here for about a week.

Mr. Walter Hogan has been ill be up.

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proclaiming to a blindly, worshipping world, "I am the resur-Also a good one-reel comedy.



Easter again and all the throb

bing life of early spring! To Expressions As to Why a some the word merely means a new hat and a new suit and a corsage of costly flowers. To others it means that danger of ward. Certain others rejoice that the religious rules of Lent baseball to Ellerbe they hit us that in such like manner shall attention to study. those arise who sleep in the grave as He did.

Like many of our Christian festivals "Easter" is a combination of many Spring festivals from many lands and is inter-A meeting was held here at woven with the mythological they have to go to a larger room. the Auditorium last Monday legends of every country from This takes up a part of their 4 night and the following town of the frozen north to the tangled minutes period and they cannot get ficers were selected: Mayor, Mr. jungles of the tropics. It takes as much work done as they could John S. Huckabee; Marshall, Mr. its name from 'Eostre," a Scan- if they didn't have to move from R. A. Easterling; and the town commissioners were Dr. W. L. dinavian heathen goddess whose one place to another. Then some Howell, Rev. D. P. Bridges and joyful rites celebrated the return of the rooms have only one window. of life to the bleak hills of Norse- This makes the light so bad that The B. Y. P. U. held their first 1 nd. We borrow its time from they have to burn lights all day meeting here last Sunday night. that of the Jewish Passover which which is very thresome for the eyes. Mrs. Black, of Rockingham, was kept on the first Sabbath A fourth reason is that we have has been visiting her relatives after the first full moon after the no place for regreation. We have to 22nd day of March (or the march up to the other school build for a few days and hasn't able to "Spring Solstice.") This Jewish teast commemorated the passing over of the Israeliteish homes by the angel of death on the night before their deliverance sons we see that the High school from slavery in Egypt and was cannot make very much progress kept with solemn rejoicings. without a new building. The pretty fancy of dyed eggs came from Scandinavia where in his work. lighting bonfires and candles was 2. The dark rooms, part of the Easter ceremonies in- to the eyes. tended to represent the return of the warmth of the sun to the earth and the gay colors of the eggs symbolized the rays of the life-giving sun. We are indebted to France for the legend, of the rabbit who lays the wonderful eggs and that country propably got it from Germany, who borrowed it in turn from Egypt, or India for in the oldest records of the oldest nations we find traces of these legends of the rabbits and the eggs. One story connects the rabbit with the Eastermoon because rabbits are born with their eyes open and were supposed never! to close them, thus "watching all night" like the full moon. In Catholic countries, France, Italy and Spain, Easter is celebrated with gorgeous religious processions, all the priests in magnificent robes of satin and velvet and rare lace, all the churches decorated with tapestries and banners and fresh flowers, and the jewelled vessels of fabulous beauty and cost are displayed. Japan too, celebrates its Easter, also Siam and the far isles of the sea, exchanging gifts of eggs and flowers and chanting hymns in praise of the fertility of the Earth; giving them fresh food after the long winter of deprivation. All down the centuries these legends came. symbolizing death and resurrection until all was fulfilled by our

Lord, gathering unto Himself the vague beliefs and hopes land

longings of the human heart,

giving point and meaninglto the

savage dances under the glory of

the African moon and the bon-

fires on the northern hills, and

rection and the life."

And as we bring flowers to beautify our churches and homes and greet each other in Christian fellowship and offer our most joyful music let us remember.

"The Lord is risen indeed, He is here for your love, for your need Not in the grave, nor the sky, But HERE where men live and die: And true was the word that was said: Why seek ye the living among the deac-L. P. R.

#### SCHOOL BOND ISSUE

High School Building is Needed at Rockingham. Written by Students of Rockingham School.

Need of a New High School Bailding The High school is now working under very unsatisfactory conditions. It is situated in the Opera Hoffman twice 12-7, 15-11, Rockingham twice 20-17, 18-11, ROCK- take a livelier interest in bridge flown, and the noise is sometimes so Roberdel once 43-4. Our only "What IS Easter anyhow and teacher is say, or, then it is quiet better conditions. We hope, that why doesn't it come on the same enough to hear the teacher, there is by the next term the people of our day every year like Christmas?" a never ceasing and an irritating town will see that we have a new Baseball practice was started Those who read and believe in noise, which makes it very bad for and up-to-date High school building. here Monday and is now in full our Christian Bible know that it the pupil to concentrate on his work. swing; our prospects for baseball commemorates the climax of our It is indeed difficult to do justice to are brighter than were those for Lord's life, his resurrection from your work when there is anything basket-ball. When they talk the dead and recalls His promise to keep you from giving your whole

We are also very crowded. The rooms are so small that they can hardly hold a grade. When the 9th grade pupils have math they change rooms with the 10th grade. The 9th And do you keep cool there, my pretty grade room is so small and there are so many pupils in the class that

ing for recess and chapel. We only have two 15 minute recesses, and by the time we get ready to go and then go, a large portion of our time is spent. Then for these four rea-

1. The nois hinders the pupil

3. The poor heating system caus es loss of time.

 There is no place of recreation. We, the pupils of the Rockingham High school, think that the people of the town ought to feel responsible for these bad conditions. With



cigarette. Flavoris sealed in by toasting



ve, it seems to us that there is By JULIA MOURICE.

#### "Where Are You Going?"

Where are you going, my pretty maid? I'm going to high school, Sir, she said. How do you get there, my pretty maid? Just climb these dark stairs, Sir, she

maid?

With an electric fan, yes Sir, she said. Are there no windows, my pretty maid? There's only one in our rooms, she said. Then how do you study, my pretty maid? By an electric light, she said.

You need a new building, my pretty maid. Indeed, yes Sir, we do, she said. And how will you get it, my pretty maid?

By the vote of the people, most assur-

--- Ernestine Tarkington.

#### IN MEMORIAM.

In sad but loving memory of my dear husband, Mr. John W. Lassiter, who died January 17th, 1921. Johnnie, thy gentle voice is hushed, Thy warm, true heart is still, And on thy pale face is resting Death's cold chill.

No more your kind and loving face Shall lighten the gloom at our home, Yet in Heaven you are waiting Till my task on earth is done, Where we will meet to part no more, Where no pain and grief can enter, You are sleeping, gently sleeping,

While we are in sorrow. But we will meet again in Heaven Some sweet day by and by, MRS, JOHN W. LASSITER.

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