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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 certainly a fine entertainment and everybody was well pleased.

The basket-ball season ended 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 best games we have had. During the season we were defeated once and that was through a little hard luck. We defeated Derby twice by the scores of 13-11 and 25-9, Mt. Gilead twice 19-2, 16-7, Hoffman twice 12-7, 15-11, Rockingham twice 20-17, 18-13, and Roberdel once 43-4. Our only defeat was against Eureka at Jackson Springs by a 14-12 score.

Baseball practice was started here Monday and is now in full swing; our prospects for baseball are brighter than were those for basket-ball. When they talk baseball to Ellerbe they hit us just right.

**TOWN NEWS.**

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

A meeting was held here at the Auditorium last Monday night and the following town officers were selected: Mayor, Mr. John S. Huckabee; Marshall, Mr. R. A. Easterling; and the town commissioners were Dr. W. L. Howell, Rev. D. P. Bridges and M. L. Altman.

The B. Y. P. U. held their first meeting here last Sunday night.

Mrs. Black, of Rockingham, has been visiting her relatives here for about a week.

Mr. Walter Hogan has been ill for a few days and hasn't able to be up.

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"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 dead?"

L. P. R.

**SCHOOL BOND ISSUE**

**Expressions As to Why a High School Building is Needed at Rockingham.**  
Written by Students of Rockingham School.

**Need of a New High School Building**

The High school is now working under very unsatisfactory conditions. It is situated in the Opera House, which is in the main part of town, and the noise is sometimes so great that you can't hear what the teacher is saying. Even if it is quiet enough to hear the teacher, there is a never ceasing and an irritating noise, which makes it very bad for the pupil to concentrate on his work. It is indeed difficult to do justice to your work when there is anything to keep you from giving your whole attention to study.

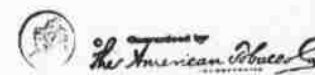
We are also very crowded. The rooms are so small that they can hardly hold a grade. When the 9th grade pupils have math they change rooms with the 10th grade. The 9th grade room is so small and there are so many pupils in the class that they have to go to a larger room. This takes up a part of their 45 minutes period and they cannot get as much work done as they could if they didn't have to move from one place to another. Then some of the rooms have only one window. This makes the light so bad that they have to burn lights all day which is very tiresome for the eyes.

A fourth reason is that we have no place for recreation. We have to march up to the other school building 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 reasons we see that the High school cannot make very much progress without a new building.

1. The noise hinders the pupil in his work.
  2. The dark rooms, cause injury to the eyes.
  3. The poor heating system causes loss of time.
  4. 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



**LUCKY STRIKE**  
cigarette. Flavor is sealed in by toasting



In a prosperous little town that we love, it seems to us that there is no reason why we should not have better conditions. We hope, that by the next term the people of our town will see that we have a new and up-to-date High school building.  
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 said.  
And do you keep cool there, my pretty 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 assuredly, she said."  
—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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