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NEWS OF THE SCHOOLS
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Editorials

OUR GRADUATES

On May 29, 1924, the Senior class of the Elizabeth City High School graduates. This marks the end of one period of Education.
What to do next is the uppermost thought in their minds...

MRS. SKINNER'S ROOM HAS AUDOBON SOCIETY

By Selma Chambers
The pupils of Mrs. Skinner's third grade room have organized a Audobon Society for the purpose of studying birds and how and where they live.

THE CONDITION OF THE SOUTH AFTER THE WAR

By Gussie Lee Harrell
It was a gloomy winter evening. The sun had gone down, and an unusual north wind prowled and mournfully whistled through the bare trees and around the little Tennessee cottage, on the hill side.

THE SNOW

By Eva Mason, Fifth Grade.
How pretty is the snow as it comes falling down.
The children running on the streets make snow hills right in town.

ON THE FARM

By Helen Parker, Third Grade B
Once as soon as school was over a little boy went in the country to visit his grandmother. He had never been in the country before and was afraid of the animals.

PINEY GETS IN BAD.

By Pearl Skiles, Freshman A.
It wuz Friday and as usual it wuz my unlucky day. To tap it all I had to go to school which I don't like a bit.

SPORTS

COACH DWIGHT HAS FINE LOOKING SQUAD

By Thomas Johnson
Candidates for the E. C. H. S. varsity nine have been putting in some real hard afternoon practice during the last two weeks.

BASEBALL SEASON IS BEGINNING OPEN UP

By Elgin White
Baseball season has started, we have been practicing very hard for the last week. Many have come out, and the chances are we will have a fine team this year.

TRUE COURTESY

By Louise White, 10th A
Courtesy and politeness are two factors of a true lady or gentleman. We can trace courtesy back to the time of the medieval knights, when some fair lady was in trouble.

A TRIP TO EUROPE

By Robert Ashbury
Instead of our regular geography lesson we are taking a trip to Europe. We started at Washington, passed through New York and expect to take in most of the countries of Europe.

FRENCH CHEF IS AT SCHOOL CAFETERIA

By Margaret Gordon
Mr. Alderic Riendeau, a French chef, for the past week has been giving interesting lectures and demonstrations in the new high school cafeteria.

Studying Birds and Building Bird Houses

By John Peele.
The following compositions were written by eight year old boys of the Audobon Society of Mrs. T. E. Cooke's room.

THE CROW

By Blades Foreman.
The crow is a medium sized bird. He is black all over. He eats May beetles, June bugs, grasshoppers, little baby frogs, corn, turnips, potatoes and many other things.

Crows build their nests in the spring high up in the trees and they make them of strong sticks and twigs and line them with grapevine, bark, grass and moss.

They say "caw" when they warn their friends of danger; then they fly away. The crows are useful in one way only, and that is by eating insects, but the farmers don't like them because they pull up their young corn.

By Terry Davis.
Crows are big and black. They eat wild berries, insects, frogs, turtles, corn, pumpkins, and potatoes.

They have great roosts up high in the trees where they sleep at night. They are the first birds that build their nests in the spring. Then they are near their nests they are very quiet so nobody will find them.

By Billie Lester.
The crow is a black bird. He likes corn and pulls it up as soon as it sprouts. He is a great enemy to the farmers.

He is one of the wisest birds of our country. Crows are one of the first birds to build their nests in the spring. They like to have their homes in trees. In April you will find freshly laid eggs.

DEBATE ON VACATION.

By Frances Pendleton.
Miss Linda DeLon's room had a debate Monday and Tuesday which was very interesting.

The subject was "whether or not we should have a longer vacation." The judges were Bobbie Lewis, Tom White and Kenneth Munden.

The room was divided into two parts, the negative and the affirmative. Each child worked hard on his part, and tried to do his best. The judges, after careful deliberation announced that the affirmative side had won, although the negative side had put forth good argument for their side of the question.

I WUZ WONDERING.

By Pearl Skiles, Freshman A.
I wuz setting here a wondering, If the world would still go round, And the houses upside down, If the honey-bees had stingers, Like the needles on a tree, If when you go out in the orchard Brains wuz all that you could see?

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