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SCHOOL NEWS OF THE WEEK

Interesting Items Picked up Here and There on The Green.

The 8th A Grade had a new kind of review on Tuesday of this week. Instead of the teacher asking questions, each pupil prepared three thoughtful questions which he or she in turn asked the class. Some of the questions were quite difficult and much harder in many cases than the teacher would have asked, but the class did well and settled every one before they finished. Below we give a few that were asked: Caesar speaks little, does little and disappears altogether in act III. Is the play therefore rightly named? Show in detail how Cassius worked Brutus up to Conspiracy? What did Caesar say about death? Why does Caesar's ghost appear to Brutus instead of to Cassius? What was the Roman idea of suicide? What is the purpose of the episode between Brutus and Lucius? What did a teacher of Rhetoric ask of Caesar and what was his name? The 8A Grade made quite a record in attendance this month. There are 23 pupils in the room and there was not a single absence during the month. The 10th Grade was given an Algebra test on Tuesday on all the work they had been over since mid-term examination. The following made 100: John Jones, Gertrude Caraway and Hilda Willis. Most of the papers were very good. The 8A Grade had a very interesting spelling bee Friday. The boy stood against the girls. Monnie Smith was the only boy who remained standing. Three of the girls, Kathleen Nelson, Laura Roberts and Katherine Disoway were left on the girl's side. As a few of the plants in our flower garden are beginning to bloom, we are becoming very interested in our plot, and are working hard to keep the weeds in and grass out. The following children have made 100 in spelling for the past month: Charles C. Uzzell, Redmond Dill, Charles Clark, Horace Springer, Worth Ely, Habo Nasref, Charles Gaskill, Frederick Whitty, Lonsdale DuVal, David Davis, Melvin Torian, Meier Bailey, Shelton Lucas, James Williams, Alton Blangie, Gann Giber, Johnny Dunn, Herbert Watson, Philip Dixon, Mary Depe, Louise Joyner, George J. Yner, Carrie Louise Ward, Elizabeth Roberts, Jeanette Land, Trema Gaskins, Ollie Rhodes, Lucy Dupree, Nannie Tyler. In the attendance contest, the girls won this week. On Wednesday afternoon, May 22nd, the McInte. Evison (Ben Green) Co. of Pictorial Players will present on the Green, The Merchant of Venice and at night Mid Summer Night's Dream. The proceeds of the play will be used in better equipping the Manual Training and Domestic Science Departments. Special rates will be given to the pupils of the school. On next Friday night, May 24th, the music pupils of the school will give a recital in the Griffith Auditorium to which the public is invited. The program will consist of vocal, piano and violin solos, etc. No admission will be charged.

PRECINCT MEETINGS YESTERDAY

Democratic Voters Assemble and Elect Delegates to County Convention.

The Democrats of Craven county met yesterday and last night at their respective precincts and elected delegates and alternates to represent such precincts in the County Convention which is to be held next Saturday, May 25th. The delegates all go to the Convention undisturbed. Delegates to County Convention. FIRST WARD—Wade Meadows, T. D. Warren, Wm. Ellis, L. G. Daniels, E. M. Green, O. G. Dunn, H. H. Tooker, Ed. Clark, A. H. Bangert, Eugene Williams, Wm. Dunn, Jr., T. G. Hyman, P. M. Pearsall and T. P. Ashford. WARD COMMITTEE—E. M. Green, J. B. Hill, B. B. Hight, Farnie Gaskill, Ed. Meadows, Jr. SECOND WARD—Owen H. Guion, C. D. Bradham, W. K. Baxter, F. T. Patterson, L. I. Moore, C. E. Foy, J. A. Bryan, Wm. Dunn, R. A. Nunn, A. J. Gaskins, Daniel Fulcher, C. R. Thomas, C. K. Hancock, H. K. Land, S. H. Lane, W. B. H. Blanford, J. S. Miller, R. E. Whitehurst, J. A. Patterson and Geo. C. Speight. PRECINCT COMMITTEE—R. A. Nunn, J. A. Bryan, W. B. R. Guion, Dr. N. M. Gibbs and Fred Scott. FOURTH WARD—T. F. McCarthy, F. W. Shriner, Thos. Gaskill, D. E. Henderson, J. W. Smith, L. S. Wood, J. G. Brinson and W. H. Davis. WARD COMMITTEE—D. E. Henderson, Thos. Gaskill, J. H. Smith, F. W. Shriner, T. F. McCarthy. Delegates to County Convention from Craven Precinct. E. Y. Holland, R. J. Disoway and Helo. Huff. WARD COMMITTEE—E. L. Smith, E. T. Holloway, Helen Huff, J. W. Dukes and R. J. Disoway. JESUS SALVE—JESUS SAVE. LINES TO A LONG INFEBLED AND SUFFERING INVALID. Life's barque sails off some troubled sea. Where storm winds spray the foaming wave. That barque must have a sheltering sea— Jesus salve—Jesus save. Above seems all a closed abyss. And all below a watery grave. In life's dark storm like this, Jesus salve—Jesus save. Whom for some on Gallilee, Thou standest rising wave. That mercy show now, Lord to Thee, Jesus salve—Jesus save. Some haven't grant—some healthful morn. Some quiet shore, where ripples lave. There may the barque greet peaceful dawn, Jesus salve—Jesus save. But, if for barque no rising sun Shows beneath life's seething wave. Help us to say "Thy will be done," Jesus salve—Jesus save. J. F. C.

WEEKLY COTTON MARKET REVIEW

General Tone Firm. Demand For Spots. Crop Conditions Vary.

New York, May 18.—Cotton has alternately declined and advanced. Much of the time the decline has been firm. The floods, new breaks in the Mississippi levees, persistent wet weather over much of the belt and belief that the government report on the condition of the crop and the acreage to be sown on July 4th will be decidedly bullish, have emboldened big interests to buy, and led many of the shorts to cover. Bulls insist that if the government report comes anywhere near the facts it has got to be decidedly bullish, especially in regard to the condition of the crop. They insist the belated season has led to retarded planting and germination. They insist that the chances are very much against a crop of a size commensurate with the demands of the trade being raised. Meantime a large consumption is expected in this country and also in other parts of the world. Crop advices from Texas, Oklahoma and South Carolina, have been favorable. In Texas especially the outlook is declared as distinctly good and as pointing to a very large crop, not impossible to be the largest ever known. The price is so high, too, relatively in the estimation of some, that every effort will be made to plant a good sized crop. Bears don't cease to urge that a raise of \$15 a bale since January 1st discounts a good deal. They think that a week or ten days of good warm dry weather would put a different face on the whole situation. Some of the old bulls have been selling. Waldorf Astoria interests, recently very bullish, have lately sold heavily and Memphis has also sold. Some Wall Street houses have also been selling. But powerful interests in Wall Street are bullish and also some well known "spot" people. New Orleans prices have at times been noticeably strong. The spot situation has continued pretty firm, even if there is less activity. The week-end statistics have recently favored the bulls. The opinion is widespread and deep seated that it will take extraordinarily favorable conditions from now on to produce a crop of needed size. At The Athens, Harry and Edna Rose in their latest comedy, "An Ambitious Maid." Mon., Tues., Wed. At The Country Store Last Night. The following prizes were distributed to the winners at the Atlantic Fire Company's Bazaar last night: Mr. G. F. Garrett, of Chester, S. C., received a \$10.00 marlin rifle, Marvin Lewis a \$5.00 hat. Mr. G. C. Howard a Swift Premium Ham, Bob Russell a sack of flour. These were just a few of the many valuable prizes at the Country store, and it will be open all this week, so don't fail to attend. Ice Cream Freezers that freeze cream faster and make mixture better "ALASKA" at Basnight Hdw. Co. Americans Are Spendthrifts. Washington, May 18.—Americans blew themselves for \$200,000,000 last year for foreign luxuries, according to the Bureau of Statistics bulletin issued today. For diamonds, \$42,000,000; art treasures, \$40,000,000; imported tobacco, \$32,000,000. WILLIAMS' KIDNEY PILLS. Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in loins, side, back, groin and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent desire to pass urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you at once. Price 50c. Williams' Medical Co., Prop., Cleveland, O. Conference at Raleigh Make Recommendations. Raleigh, May 18.—At a conference of the North Carolina Child Labor Committee, a number of cotton manufacturers of the state here continuing until after midnight, it was agreed to compromise differences as to what changes the 1912 legislature should be asked to make in the labor law and seek changes only that shall prohibit women and girls and children under 16 years from working at night, to provide efficient non-political factory inspection and have the age limit as at present at 15 for day labor. Bucks Stores and Ranges that bake better bread with

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Admiral Soars in Aeroplane.

Salem, Mass., May 18.—Rear Admiral Bradley A. Fiske, commander of the second division of the Atlantic fleet of battleships, left the quarterdeck of the battleship Georgia yesterday for a short voyage in the air as a passenger on board a hydroaeroplane. The aerial was in the air about ten minutes, the aeroplane coming to a stop astern of the Georgia.

In-me Tax Bill is Disapproved by Senate Committee.

Washington, May 18.—The Senate Finance Committee yesterday authorized a favorable report on the Lodge substitute for the House free sugar bill, and an unfavorable report on the so-called House excise-income tax bill, which proposed a tax on incomes in excess of \$5,000 a year. The Lodge-sugar bill would eliminate the differential and the Dutch standard from the tariff and leave the duties otherwise practically as at present.

BECOMING PRETTY DESPERATE

Are Wilson Supporters As Shown By Attack On Congressman Underwood.

Washington, D. C., May 18.—Senator Rankin when his attention was called to the unwarranted and unjustifiable attack being made upon Mr. Underwood by the Wilson supporters in North Carolina, on account of his vote for the Bristow amendment, said "The vote of Mr. Underwood for the so-called Bristow amendment is nothing more nor less than the federal standard as it now exists, and has existed for a number of years, which is merely enlarged by adding a provision that United States Senators shall be elected by a direct vote of the people instead of by the legislature. The effect of the adoption of this amendment would be simply to provide that senators should be elected by the people, under the same regulations which now obtain for the election of representatives in Congress. This is all there is to the Bristow amendment and there is nothing left to stir our Southern people. As an evidence that the representatives from North Carolina have no fear of the direct vote, Messrs. Douglas, Kitchin, Faye, Fox, Small, Strickland and Work all voted with Mr. Underwood for the amendment. Messrs. Gorman and Gorman did not vote, and Messrs. Foy and the only member from South Carolina who voted against the

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