

HIGH SCHOOL FINALS ON THIS WEEK IN SHELBY--PROGRAM AND PRIZES

Kiwanis Club Will Entertain Seniors Thursday With Baccalaureate Sermon Sunday By Dr. Lemons. Address By Tom Bost. Detailed Week's Program.

Informal exercises of the finals of the Shelby high school begin Tuesday evening of this week and continue through Monday night, June 1, with preliminary exercises Sunday and Monday. The program for the week as given by Superintendent L. C. Griffin's office follows:

Senior examinations begin on Tuesday morning, May 26, and close on Friday, May 29.

All other high school examinations begin on Thursday, May 28, and close on Monday, June 1. Class work in all grades will close on Monday, June 1. There will be school in all grades on Saturday, May 30. On Tuesday, June 2, promotions in all grades will be made.

Tuesday night, at 8:30 Miss May Washburn's class in expression will give a recital in the school auditorium.

On Wednesday night, May 27, at 8 o'clock the classes in music, Mrs. McGord and Miss Bostic, teachers, will give the annual musical concert. A gold medal will be awarded the pupil who has made the best record in music.

The Kiwanis club will entertain the Senior's Thursday night at 8 o'clock with a banquet at Cleveland Springs hotel. A splendid program has been prepared.

The Junior high school will render its program, already published, on Friday night at 8 o'clock. The following medals will be contested for:

Paul Webb Medal for the best orator.

O. M. Mull medal for the best declaimer.

J. D. Lineberger medal for the best speller.

A one-act play will also be presented by the pupils of this department.

On Saturday night, May 30, the Juniors will debate for the O. Max Gardner medal. The subject is:Resolved That Capital Punishment Should be Abolished.

Affirmative: Elizabeth Spangler, Louis Roberts, Mary Roberts.

Negative--Charlotte Teider, Virginia Hoey, Dorothy McKnight.

Sunday evening, May 31, at 8 o'clock, in the Central Methodist church, Dr. R. L. Lemons, pastor of the 1st Baptist church, will preach the annual sermon to the graduating class. Special music will be rendered by the High School.

Monday night at 8 o'clock the final graduating exercises will take place in the school auditorium.

Following the class exercises, Hon. W. T. Bost, Raleigh, will deliver the annual address to the graduates. After which the diplomas, honors and medals will be awarded.

For the best high school record in scholarship and deportment, for boy or girl each a scholarship, donated by Mr. C. C. Blanton. This contest is limited.

For the best high school record in all activities, including scholarship and deportment: Boy, loving cup, given by Max Washburn; Girl, loving cup, given by Cleveland Hardware company. This contest is open to all.

Seniors.
For the best Senior essay, medal, given by Lee B. Weathers.
For the most improvement in scholarship and in all school activities during the four years of high school, a medal, donated by Wm. Lineberger.
For the best Bible student, a medal, given by J. R. Dover, open to Seniors only.
For the best speller, a medal, given by T. W. Hamrick open to all high school pupils.

NEGRO BOY SHOT ANOTHER SUNDAY

Shooting Took Place at Patterson Springs Sunday Night. Jeffries, in Jail, Says Accidental.

Ambrase Moses, negro youth of about 19 years, is in the Shelby Public hospital in a serious condition with a .22 calibre bullet lodged somewhere in his body as the result of being shot by Weston (Jack) Jeffries 20 year old negro, Sunday night at the home of Walker Gill, colored, near the old Patterson Springs hotel, Jeffries, now in jail says it was an accidental shot, but the sureness of the aim and circumstances cause officers to think otherwise.

About midnight a colored man, very much excited, located Policeman Hester here and told him of the shooting and that the negro who had done the shooting was bringing his victim to the hospital. A visit to the hospital located Jeffries, who was standing over the operating table watching the surgeons work with Moses, Jeffries, who is the son of Reuben Jeffries and lives on the John Hamrick plantation, declared it to be an accident and said that he was just playing with Moses and prodding him with the little .22 when it was discharged, the bullet ploughing its way into the abdomen of Moses just below the chest. Other negroes present say that Jeffries just walked up and shot without saying a word and that the entire incident appeared odd. Immediately after the shooting Jeffries placed Moses in his car, carried him to the doctor at East and later brought him to the hospital here, where he is undergoing treatment and it is said he is doing very well considering the serious location of the wound. Jeffries, not disturbed in the least, was placed in jail and will remain there officers say until there is a change in the condition of Moses, or more light is shed on the matter.

Crosby May Live.
John Crosby, negro youth of Freedman, who was shot three times last week by a bullet passing by his brother, Dewey Crosby, who also tells the accidental story, is getting along first rate say hospital authorities and may recover despite the fact that one bullet pierced his intestines in several places.

B. Y. P. U. Convention To Be Held at Union

Interesting Program is Planned For Saturday and Sunday May 30th and 31st. Dr. Tanner to Speak. (Special to The Star.)

The following program will be given by the Kings Mountain associational B. Y. P. U. convention which meets with the Union church May 29-31. Beginning Saturday night at 8 o'clock.

Each church is asked to send representatives whether it has a B. Y. P. U. organization or not.

Saturday Evening.

8 p. m.—Convention singing—Max Gardner, leader.

8:10—Around the Altar—Miss Madge DePriest.

8:15—We're Glad to See You—Foster Powell.

8:20—We're Glad to be Here.

8:25—Enrollment of delegates and special music.

8:30—"What Can Young People do in Christ's Name?"—Dr. H. V. Tanner, Spartanburg, S. C.

Reception to visitors.

Sunday May 31st.

Sunday school at usual hour.

11 a. m.—The W. M. U. will give a demonstration program.

1:30 p. m.—Song and praise.

1:40—Reports from churches.

1:50—"Why Every Church Should Maintain a Training Service for its Young Members."—Chas. Forney, Jr., Lawndale.

2:00—"The Real B. Y. P. U. Spirit"—Prof. J. B. Potts, Caesar.

2:15—Demonstration program—Car B. Y. P. U.

2:45—Business, election of officers.

2:50—Closing message—Rev. Rush Padgett.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE Having qualified as executor of the estate of T. J. Dixon, deceased, late of Cleveland county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned, or either of them, on or before the 15th day of May, A. D. 1925, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 13th day of May, 1925. O. C. DIXON, W. J. BIXON, Executors of the Estate of T. J. Dixon, RUSH STROUP, Attorney.

NOTICE OF MEETING TO CONSIDER CHANGE IN COUNTY-WIDE PLAN. In accordance with Section 73-A of the Public School Law of North Carolina, relating to the "County Wide Plan of Organization" the County Board of Education desires to give due notice of a meeting of all school committeemen and interested patrons and any citizens affected hereby, of a meeting to be held at 3:30 o'clock p. m., at the court house auditorium, 1st Monday in June, June 1st, for the purpose of considering the modification of the County Wide Plan so as to enable the County Board of Education to create a Special Taxing District involving the following districts, in No. 8 township, to-wit: Union, Fairview, and Delight. This May 18th, 1925. J. C. NEWTON, Secretary County Board of Education.

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN COUNTY-WIDE SCHOOL PLAN. In accordance with Section 73-A of the Public School Law of North Carolina, relating to the county wide plan of organization, the county board of education desires to give notice of a meeting of the school committeemen and interested patrons and any citizens affected hereby, of a meeting to be held at 2 o'clock p. m., at the court house auditorium, 1st Monday, June 1st, for the purpose of modifying the county wide plan so as to permit an election if deemed wise in the following school districts in No. 5 Township, to-wit: Waco, Marys Grove, Beulah, St. Paul, Beams, and Stubbs. All committeemen, interested patrons, and anybody hereby affected in the above mentioned districts are notified and requested to be present at this meeting. This May 18th, 1925. J. C. NEWTON, Secretary of County Board of Education.

—FARMS FOR SALE— 92 acre farm adjoining the lands of Minnette Mill and C. A. Mullinax, Grover, N. C. 60 acres in cultivation, balance in wood and small timber. 18 bales cotton and 250 bushels of corn made on this farm last year. Six room house, water and lights. Large barn and out-buildings. One-half mile from Baptist and Presbyterian churches and High School. For quick sale \$85.00 per acre.

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School Closing Dates In Rutherford County

Dr. W. L. Potent, president of Wake Forest college preached the baccalaureate sermon at commencement exercises of Forest City high school in the school auditorium, Sunday evening, May 24th at 8 p. m. A large crowd attended to hear the noted educator.

Dr. William H. Frazer, president of Queens college, Charlotte will deliver the annual literary address Wednesday night, May 27th at 8 p. m.

The Henrietta and Carolina schools will hold their annual commencement May 29-29. Rev. J. E. Abernethy, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, Charlotte will preach the sermon, Wednesday night, May 27th at 8 p. m.

Cliffside high school commencement will be held May 22-25th. Rev. W. E. Akers, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Lincolnton will preach the baccalaureate sermon Sunday morning at 11 o'clock while Hon. Clyde R. Hoey will deliver the literary address, Monday night, May 25th, at 8 p. m. There are eleven seniors. This is one of the county's best schools.

12 Year Old Child Missing at Kings Mtn.

Kings Mountain Herald. Mr. and Mrs. P. L. White are distressed over the whereabouts of their 12 year old son, David. He was coaxed away from home by a larger boy, named Payne last Wednesday. Payne has been lodged in jail. David was seen in Spartanburg at a filling station that night begging a place to sleep. Mr. White has gone night and day and spent lots of money in search of the boy while his wife remains at home in sore distress. The Whites live in one of the two houses near Falls brick yard on the Gastonia highway, in East Kings Mountain. Anybody getting any clue to the whereabouts of the boy will confer a great favor upon the parents by letting them know about it.

TWAIN HAD WEAKNESS FOR SOUTHERN COOKING

Mark Twain, in his Autobiography pays tribute to Southern dishes, such as, for instance, corn bread, hot biscuits, wheat bread and fried chicken.

"These things," he says, "have never been properly cooked in the North—in fact, no one there is able to learn the art, so far as my experience goes." The North thinks it knows how to make corn bread, but this is mere supposition. Perhaps no bread in the world is quite as good as Southern corn bread and perhaps no bread in the world is quite so good as the Northern imitation of it. The North seldom tries to fry chicken, and this is well; the art cannot be learned north of the Mason and Dixon, nor anywhere in Europe. This is not hearsay; it is experience that is speaking. In Europe it is imagined that the custom of serving various kinds of bread blazing hot is "American," but that is too broad a spread; it is custom in the South, but is much less than that in the South."

In Chicago in 51 months there have been 442 unsolved murders. But you ought to see how hard some of us work on cross-word puzzles.—American Librarian.

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