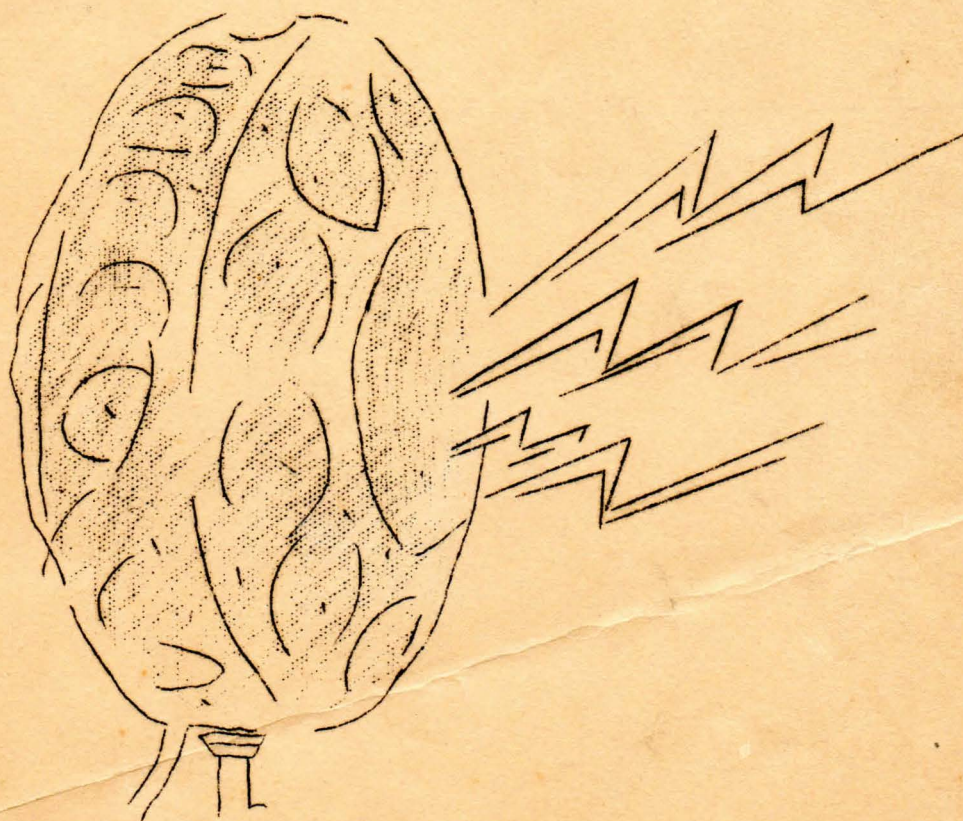


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THE FRANKLIN BROADCASTER



EDITORIALS

Our school has been going along fine this year so far. It seems that we have just about everything we could wish for, except for some more rooms. This year for the first time we have a course in Typing for the benefit of our High School students, and since we do not have a sufficient number of rooms for our needs, we have cornered off a part of the Auditorium for a place to type, and is it cold out there. It has helped us a great deal in our subjects and we hope to be benefited much more as we continue to improve in our typing. I am sure we could profit much more from the course if we had a room for it.

We need an additional room for our Home Economics Department and additional equipment to meet the growing demand for this course which is continuing to grow in popularity. In some classes of about twenty-five, two sewing machines surely does cause us to have to rush around, and it takes us so long to get anything done. We hope to be fortunate enough this year to secure six additional rooms to meet our needs.

The Editor

What must we do now? This question is asked day after day by the boys and girls of our school. We need additional school ground equipment to provide our students with some form of amusement during recess and the noon hour. With additional equipment we would no longer see boys and girls standing around in groups talking. Instead we would see boys and girls plying and building strong and healthy bodies. We feel that students could make better grades, if, they had some means of exercising their bodies between their studies. Let us all work together to obtain this equipment in the near future.

Larry Lee Key 38'

THE DANGER OF BEING SATISFIED.

One reason why we do not grow into doing bigger things, is that we are too easily satisfied with ourselves. How can we do our job better if we think we are doing it well enough. If we measure ourselves by what we have already done, we are not progressing. We should think of how much more we could accomplish by working harder and then go at one job with greater energy. We want results, but we dislike to put forth the effort to bring about those results. Or worse still we may be too lazy to desire better things for ourselves. Those who are really successful, never in their own estimation, reach the top for the thing they want keeps moving away as they approach near it. The more they achieve, the larger are their ideas of what they want to do.

Hazel Forman 38'

GENERAL BUSINESS

This is a new subject selected by the State Department of Education for an elective course to be taught in the High Schools of North Carolina. Under the leadership of Mr. McLeod Franklin was the first School in Surry County to add this valuable course to the Curriculum.

We have a membership of twenty-four boys in the class which includes five seniors. Members of the class enjoy the subject and take a keen interest in studying it. In this course we deal with problems in business transactions that all of us will have to deal with in the future. Upon completing the course in General Business Training we will be better qualified to solve our everyday problems in the business world.

Haswell Rumley 38'

HONOR ROLL

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

List of students who made the Honor Roll for the second quarter. To qualify for the Honor Roll students must make an average of B on all subjects and A on conduct.

FIRST GRADE

Eleanor Hatcher
Ora Mae Niston

SECOND GRADE

Edgar Hodges
Ruby Lee King
Hazel Martin
Mary J. Hall
Gladys Gravley
Adelle Caudle
Bernice Noonkester
Pauline Thomas

THIRD GRADE

Betty Rose
Virginia Surratt
Clara Belle Easter
Cecil Hodge
Nancy Gordon
Wade Alderman
Owen Stone

FOURTH GRADE

Nannie Mae Booker
Betty Lou Key
Nenivah Noonkester

FIFTH GRADE

Velma Sykes

SIXTH GRADE

Jane Weddle
Ray McGee

SEVENTH GRADE

Tommie Gwyn
Roland Nichols
Allyene Arrington
Clara Belle Allred

Students who have neither absent or tardy during the first half of the school year 1937-38.

SECOND GRADE

Bernice Noonkester
J.C. Edwards
Katherine Blackburn
Adelle Caudle
Gladys Gravley
Mary J. Hall
Betty Ruth Harrison
Bobby McCraw
Pauline Thomas
Edgar Hodges
Hazel Martin
Vera Young
Peggy Lee Booker

THIRD GRADE

Betty Rose
Wade Frye
George Dawson
Bernell Nichols
J.T. Cox
Cecil Hodge
Rudolph Jarrell
Foy Noonkester
Clyde Wright
Owen Stone
Margaret Blackburn
Nancy Gordon
Dorothy Thomas

FOURTH GRADE

Thomas Eldridge
Arless McCraw
Billy Snow
James Young
Nannie Mae Booker
Betty Jean Carter
Clorine Humphrys
Betty Lou Key
Nenivah Noonkester
Letha Frances Quesenberry
Parthene Slate
Howard C. Nichols
Howard L. Nichols
Frances Booker
Ruth Hill
Betty Joe Jarrell
Carrie McCormick
Helen Nixon
Hazel Payne

Honor Roll
(continued)

Perfect Attendance
(continued)

EIGHT GRADE
9th

Edward McGee
Helen Horton
Lois Lineback
Lela Moseley
Margaret Rose

10th

Edith Miller

11th

Josephine Nichols
(6) Carolyn Pope-Eloyes Slate

Perfect attendance roll continued

FIRST GRADE

Eleanor Hatcher

8th

Ardene Jarrell
Pauline Key
Mary Nell Snow
Dora Welbourne
Lettie Willard
Lonnie Francis
Jack Johnson
Tommy Jones
Clarence Thomas
Harvey Wagoner
Louise Bowman
Lottie B. Cundiff
Frances Norman

9th

Worth Haynes	Eva Lee Haynes
Josephine Hudson	Edith Jarrell
Verna Key	Lois Lineback
Lela Moseley	Audrey L. Vernon
Grace Wilmoth	

10th

Swain Cooke	Roy Kirkman
Virginia Beamer	Lovie Mae Cundiff
Betty L. Hatcher	Edith Miller

11th

Mary Lee Key	Ruth Morris
Hazel Norman	Florence Wagoner

FIFTH GRADE

Alton Phillips
Mary Lou Caudle
Velma Sykes
Rawley Amburn
Wayne Jarrell
Howard Thomas
Faye Davenport
Gladys Freeman
Lyrtle Phillips
Irene Woodruff

SIXTH GRADE

Arvin Edwards
Jack Gwyn
Arthur Money
Mitchell Sparger
Larrie Berrier
Ethel Freeman
Mary Rose Jarrell
Norma McCormick
Carolyn Pope
Irene Tolbert
Moyer Hodges
Buford Poore
Jack Tate
Irene Carter
Mary Lou Childress
Maxine Jones
Berdine Nichols
Blanche Davenport
Mary Vernon
Thelma Gravley
Jane Weddle

SEVENTH GRADE

Lola Bowman
Lorraine Francis
Cleo Fulk
Pauline Harrison
Faye Jones
Omie Key
Mae Moser
Helen Payne
Zennia Smith
Irene Verann
Raymond Wdwards
Roland Nichols
Audrey Noonkester
Edward Shelton
Walker Shelton

(Perfect Attendance 11th)
Roy McHone-Cup Blackburn

NEWS

EIGHTH GRADE

We regret the our class has lost an active member, Wayne Pope, however with the enrollment of James Overby from Gaylax, Va. our membership remains the same.

In our Civics class we have been having debates once a week. We have elected Lettie Willard, Chairman and Garnell Sutphin Vice-Chairman. The English students have been busy turning in book reports. A great deal of confusion has resulted in everyone waiting until the last minute to secure their reports.

Mabel Tickle and Dora Quesinberry have been confined to their homes on account of illness.

Miss George: Mary Welle, who was Joan of Arce?

Mary Welle: She was a girl who was tried in Hillsville last year.

Miss George: What was she tried for?

Mary Welle: For skipping a class.

NINTH GRADE

We have elected class officers for the year. Edward McGee has been elected President, Lola Mosely, Vice-President, Helen Horton, Secretary, Harold Stone, Marshall.

The ninth grade boys are working hard to get a team to enter in the grade Tournament this spring. We are hoping to win the Tournament this time.

We are glad to have Mabel Tickle back with us after having been out of school on account of illness.

We are very sorry to hear of the illness of Miss Kendall and wish for her a speedy recovery.

"
HERE COMES EARLIE
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Our magazines would be enjoyed by many more students, if, all of us would co-operate in helping to make them last as long as possible.

OUR LIBRARY

The Library is a place of study for the whole High School. Everyone uses it for study, but it is our home room, so let's try to keep it as clean as possible. Let's try to keep the chairs in place, paper off of the floor, and everything in place. Let us try to make the Library a desirable place to study. Those of us who are members of the ninth grade should take a great deal of pride in co-operating to this extent.

TENTH GRADE

We regret to loose two members of our class Ottola Jarrell, and Louise Lineback who have dropped out of school.

Lovie Cundiff entertained 16 guests at a party given in her home January 15th. Marie Allred entertained a number of her friends on Friday, night Jan. 7th.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Virginia Beamer whose father died January 23rd.

It was Roy Kirkman's first day at Franklin. He walked up to the teachers desk and announced-

"I ain't got no pencil"

Miss Cooper "Oh Roy" I have no pencil.

Roy-"You aint either?" "Well we're both in the same fix."

Haswell Rumley who was asked to write an essay on the mule turned in the following:

"The mowl is a hardier bird than the guse or turkie. It has two legs to walk with, two more to kick with, and wears it's wings on the side of it's head. It is stubbornly backward about going forward."

NEWS

At a recent meeting of the P.T. A. a very interesting program was presented by members of the Home Economics Department under the direction of Miss Coltrane.

Members of the department presented a program showing the things made during the sewing season. Many attractive garments including print dresses, smocks, wool skirts, and shirts were shown. The girls are to be congratulated on the splendid work accomplished.

The splendid speech delivered by Rev. H. G. Harden, Pastor of the Rockford Street Methodist church, on January 7th, was enjoyed by everyone. His subject was "Sincerity".

Work has been going forward on the High School play "Here Comes Charlie" by Jay Gobias.

The play, a three act farce-comedy, presents a very interesting plot. We are shown how Charlie and Uncle Aleck, two typical hicks from the Ozarks, crash into "Big time" society and give the "swells" a run for their money.

The cast of characters include: Mary Gardner, Warren Booker, Josephine Nichols, Robert Gardner, Billie Rose, Foye Cooke, Elwood Hommings, Evelyn Simmons, Dolia Gordon, and T. W. Estes.

Elwood: I am trying to break myself from the habit of talking to myself.

Lucile: How do you do this?

Elwood: I ask myself fool questions and then tell myself to shut up.

Help support your Basketball teams by being present at the next home games played.

In a game recently played between the seventh and eighth grade girls the seventh grade girls were victorious by the score of 10 to 0.

7th

8th

Faye Jones 4 Dorothy Nichols
Marjorie Fain 4 Pauline Key

Eva Tickle2	Mabel Tickle
Irene Vernon	Opal Mac Boyle
Zinnia Smith	Ardona Jarrell
Pauline Harrison	Oneda Booker

SEVENTH GRADE

Team number two was the winner in the map contest and team number three won second place.

Members composing the winning team included-Rowe McKinney, Edward Shelton, Wayne Hutchens, Lucy Surratt, Lola Bowman, Vivian Smith, Rena Leonard, Loreine Nixon, Sarah Draughn, Mozell Banks, Raymond Edwards, Walker Shelton, Raymond Hodge, Kenneth Jones, Audrey Noonkester, Edwin Easter, Marjorie Payne, and Francis Reece.

Our grade has lost three or four members including Raymond Cockerham, Magaleno Jessup, and Gracie Mae Gunnell, however, we are glad to list the names of three new students, Marjorie Payne, Opal Easter and Imogene Jones.

Several members of the Senior Class started the new year off by making new resolutions.

Vera Shelton-Getting to school on time.

Ruth Larence-Dating all the boys she can.

Has well Rumley-Teaching the girls to dance.

Mary Lee Key-Talk less and study more.

We are glad to have Glenn McCraw back as a member of our class after being out for a year.

Approximately 275,000 children are transported to and from school each school day in North Carolina.

The school buses travel a distance of more than five times around the world each day in the state.

DO YOU KNOW
THESE FACTS?

The United States Office of Education announces these
facts concerning American education:

There are still 138,542 one-room schools in our country .

2,794,000 pupils are transported to school in 77,000 vehicles at
an average cost of \$20 per pupil per year.

There are nearly 4,000,000 illiterates in the United States.

More than 100,000 persons are studying to be nurses.

About 3,000,000 persons are enrolled in emergency classes, evening
schools, and special schools of various kinds in the United States.

1,250,000 persons are enrolled in vocational schools or classes.

There are 127,000 school districts in the United States.

SAFETY I am more powerful than the combined armies of the world,
STOP! THINK!

I have destroyed more than all the wars of the world,

I am more deadly than bullets and I have wrecked more homes than
the deadliest siege guns.

I steal in the United States alone, over \$300,000,000 each year.

I spare no one and I find my victims among the rich and poor alike,
the young and old, the strong and weak, widows and orphans know me.

I loom up to such proportions that I cast my shadow over every field
of labor from the turning of the grindstone to moving of every railroad.

I massacre thousands upon thousands of wage earners each year.

I lurk in unseen places and do most of my work silently. You are
warned against me but heed not,

I am relentless, I am everywhere, in the room, on the streets, in the
factories, at the railroad crossings, and on sea.

I bring sickness, degradation, death; yet few seek to avoid me.

I destroy, crush, maim, take all, and give nothing.

I am your worst enemy,

I am CARELESSNESS. - National Safety Council.

JUST FOR FUN Here are some riddles. The answers are below, but don't
look until you have guessed all you can.

1. How does the postage-stamp have advantage over the small boy?

2. What is remarkable about a yardstick?

3. Why are fish well educated?

4. When is a piece of wood like a queen?

5. What is the difference between a sentence and a cat?

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6. When is a boat like a heap of snow?
 7. Why is your nose in the middle of your face?

ANSWERS 1. It can be licked but once. 2. Though it has no head or tail
 1, it has a foot at each end and one in the middle. 3. They
 have a taste for going in schools. 4. When it is made into a ruler.
 5. One has its pause at the end of its clause, and the other its claws
 at the end of its paws. 6. When it is adrift. 7. Because it's the scenter.

----- INTERESTING BASKETBALL FACTS

1. Last year approximately 8,000,000 people played basketball in America.
2. There are more paid admissions to basketball games than to any other sport.
3. 98% of all high schools have varsity basketball teams.
4. A basketball player is in motion 35 minutes out of 40. A football player is actively in playing motion approximately 10 minutes of 60.
5. Basketball is only 46 years old.
6. Goals at one time counted three points.
7. In the early days if a player committed one or more fouls during four consecutive games, he was barred for the season.
8. In the gay nineties, it was not uncommon to see basketball played at picnics, with basket hung on trees.
7. The air pressure in a basketball is 13 lbs.

TOAST TO THE OLD NORTH STATE

Here's to the land of the long leaf pine,
 The summer land, where the sun doth shine:
 Where the weak grow strong, and the strong grow great
 Here's to down home, the Old North State.

Here's to the land of the cotton bloom white,
 Where the scuppernong perfumes the breezes at night;
 Where soft Southern moss and jasmine mate,
 'Neath the murmuring pines of the "Old North State"
 Here's to the land
 Here's to the land where the galax grows,
 Where the rhododendron roseate glows;
 Where soars Mt. Mitchell's summit great,
 In the land of the sky, in "The Old North State"

Here's to the land where maidens are fairest,
 Where friends are truest, and cold hearts are rarest;
 The dear land, the dear land, whatever our fate,
 The best land, the best land, the "Old North State"

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HERE COMES CHARLIE

SPORTS

White Plains boys and girls walked away with two victories tucked away on January 7th. In a hard fought game the girls from the Plains were victorious by the score of 25 to 21. The boys won by the score of 23-10. Nichols, Badgett and McHone deserve much credit for the strong opposition put up by Franklin.

Franklin recently won two games from Low Gap the girl's score being 24-21. The boys won by the score of 22-33. Jones was playing in top form to lead the scoring.

The Triangular Tournament sponsored by Franklin, Flat Rock and Beulah High Schools drew twenty teams to compete for honors. The strong boys team from Dobson won over Elkin in the finals to win by the score of 37-4, while the strong girls team from Copeland won in the girls division by defeating the strong team from White Plains by the score of 43-26.

The Franklin girls games proved to be two of the most exciting games played in the Tournament. In the first game the Franklin girls were in top form to defeat the Flat Rock girls 14-10. In the second game played with White Plains the final score was 19-17.

Miss Kendall is to be congratulated on the splendid team composed of players who have not yet had so much experience.

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FRANKLIN SCHOOL PROGRESS

Everyone takes pride in the many outstanding achievements accomplished by Franklin School during the past ten years. Our student body has increased so rapidly during this time that the number of teachers has increased from nine to twenty.

An active Parents Teachers Association has been organized with monthly meetings held and many interesting and worthwhile programs are presented during the year.

Our enrollment in High School has reached one hundred fifty. The elementary enrollment reached the high mark of one hundred, making a total of two hundred fifty.

The majority of the student body are in a curriculum of basketball, baseball, dramatics and modern gymnastics.

Courses are offered in religion, typing, and sewing.

Our grounds are making our school attractive in state.

HERE

COMES

CHARLIE

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