

HONOR ROLL

(Proper Gander.)
The following pupils have been neither tardy nor absent during the school month ending October 1st, and have made an average of over 90% on their studies. Those marked "highly distinguished" have made a general average of over 95%. The department of the pupil must also be excellent before entitling him to a place on the roll of honor:

- 1st Grade—Distinguished: Ida Gaston, Sarah Neuffer, Adelaide Philson, B. F. Cheatham, Albert Gilliam.
- 2nd Grade—Highly distinguished: Eugenia Swetenburg. Distinguished: Bennie Evans, Woodrow Perkins, Guy Botts, Mary L. Benton, Mary Maxwell, Walter Hagen, Allen Hall.
- 3rd Grade—Distinguished: Martha Aiken, Dora Campbell, Jane Harrison, Florence Sprouse, Frank Denard, Mabry G. Miller, Norma Flynn, Helen Gambrell, Lida May Johnson, Claude Neuffer, William Martin.
- 4th Grade—Emily Morse, Anne Smith, Eleanor DuPre, Sam Shiver, Jr., Bill Dawson, Henry Power, Mary Chalmers, Sara Evans, Lillian Goleman, Margaret Maxwell, Lillie Pruitt, Sarah Smith, Sarah Thomson, Edna White.
- 5th Grade—Josephine Barnwell, Adair Aiken, James Fulp, Jr., John McMurray, Estelle Lyon, Mary N. Perrin, Susan Minshall, Mable Bradley, Martha Calvert, Jenrose Pressly, Guy Blanchett.
- 6th Grade—No report.
- 7th Grade—Distinguished: Elliott Coleman, Margaret Harrison, Ada Perrin, Wm. P. Greene, Jr., Annie Jackson, Rachel Minshall, James McComb.

HIGH SCHOOL.
Highly distinguished: Jennie White, Mary Jones, Grace Milford. Distinguished: Louis Bristow, Jr., Emory Penney, Sara Edwards, Madge Ferguson, Judith Hill, Virginia Wilson, Caroline Chalmers, Mary Shaw Gilliam, Elizabeth Lyon, Deborah Owe, Ada Faulkner, Billy Long, Corrie Hawthorne.

MILL SCHOOL.
Minnie Taylor, Jessie Smith and Grady McAble.

OLD SONGS BRING TEARS TO EYES OF WEARERS OF GRAY

Houston, Tex., Oct. 7.—First greeting their thirtieth annual reunion here, began their business sessions today with interest centering in the election of a commander in chief to succeed General K. M. Van Zandt, who has announced he would not be a candidate for re-election, and the contest for the next reunion.

Friends of General Van Zandt stated today that his name probably would be placed in nomination for re-election despite his disinclination to enter the contest. No other veteran has formally announced as a candidate for the office although the name of Lieutenant General Virgil Y. Cook, of Batesville, Ark., commander of the Trans-Mississippi department and Lieutenant General Julian S. Carr, of Durham, N. C., commander of the department of the army of North Virginia, have been mentioned in informal discussions. Savannah, Ga., and Little Rock, Ark., are among the cities expected to contest for the next reunion. Southern melodies dating back to ante-bellum days and carrying the minds of the veterans to the time they marched to battle to the same tunes more than 50 years ago, brought the old soldiers to their feet at the opening session of the reunion today. "Dixie" brought forth vociferous cheers and, as one after another of the familiar tunes of the sixties were played, the veterans gave free vent to their emotions. When the bands struck up "The Girl I Left Behind Me," many a tear was wiped away.

This morning's session was to be followed by morning and afternoon sessions by the veterans, the Sons of Veterans and the Southern Confederate Memorial Association until Friday, the day of the annual parade, the meetings of the three organizations to be held simultaneously.

Governor W. P. Hobby, of Texas, and Mayor A. E. Amerman of Houston, with addresses of welcome were the principal speakers on this

POLES AND REDS AGREE ON PEACE

Meeting Now To Arrange Final Details Of Armistice—Will Exchange Prisoners And Each Side Pays Damages

Riga, Oct. 7.—Polish and Soviet Russian delegates here were today completing the work of framing the final armistice terms between the two governments and prince Sapieha Polish foreign minister, was expected to arrive to take part tomorrow in the ceremonies incident to signing the convention.

The exact term of the agreement have not as yet been made public but it was learned from authoritative sources that the two governments will covenant to mutually return all prisoners held by them, restore archives and other property and to pay for property taken or destroyed by either country without military necessity.

morning's program. Others included Rev. J. W. Backman, chaplain general of the veterans as director of divine services and Captain James Dinkins, with a response to the addresses of welcome. The only speaker on the afternoon program was congressman Fritz G. Lanham, of Texas who was selected to deliver the annual address to the veterans. The sessions of the Sons of Veterans and the Memorial Association were devoted almost entirely to business. Social events scheduled for today included a luncheon at noon to Mrs. A. McD. Wilson of Atlanta, president general of the memorial association and reception during the afternoon to Miss Sadie Ruth Aldridge of El Paso sponsor for the South and Admiral A. O. Wright, of Jacksonville, Florida.

SOUTH CAROLINA GAINED 168,262 PEOPLE IN 1919-20

Percentage of Growth Was Slightly Over Eleven Per Cent—State's Population is Now 1,663,662—An Increase of 11.1 Per Cent

Washington, Oct. 7.—The population of South Carolina as announced today by the census bureau is 1,683,662, an increase of 168,262, or 11.1 per cent.

South Carolina had a population of 1,515,400 in 1910, ranking it as the twenty-sixth most populous state in the Union. It showed an increase of 175,084, or 13.1 per cent for the ten years ending with 1910, its numerical growth having been the largest in its history to that time. South Carolina's largest numerical growth prior to the present census was in the decade ending 1880 when the increase was 289,987 and her relative increase also was the largest she ever had it having been 41.1 per cent.

In 1790 when the first federal census was taken South Carolina ranked as seventh most populous state of the seventeen, then existing, having had a population of 240,073. In 1808 and 1810 it ranked as sixth state.

In area South Carolina ranked as thirty-ninth state in 1910 with a land area of 30,495 square miles, making its population average 4.7 per square mile which ranked it sixteenth among the states in that respect.

During the first forty years from 1790 South Carolina's population increased 322,112 or 133.3 per cent; during the second forty years, 1830-70, it increased 124,421, or 21.4 per cent; and in the 40 years, 1870-1910 the increase was 809,794, or 114.8 per cent. The total increase for these 120 years was 1,266,327, almost two-thirds of which were reported in the forty years ending with 1910, but

the relative increase for that period was less than that shown for the first forty year period.

Comparison of the rates of increase for the state with those for the United States shows that the increase for the state during every decade from 1790 to 1910, except two, 1790-1000 and 1870-80, was lower than that of the United States, the rates for the decades between 1830 and 1870 having been far below those shown for the United States.

The population of the state in 1910 was more than six times as large as in 1790 while the population of the United States in 1910 was more than twenty-three times that in 1790.

The record growth of South Carolina's population follows:

Year	Population	Increase	Pct.
1920	1,683,662	168,262	11.1
1910	1,515,400	175,084	13.1
1900	1,304,316	189,167	16.4
1890	1,151,149	155,572	15.6
1880	995,577	289,971	41.1
1870	705,606	1,898	0.3
1860	703,708	35,201	5.3
1850	668,507	74,109	12.5
1840	594,398	13,213	2.3
1830	581,185	78,444	15.6
1820	502,741	87,626	21.1
1810	415,115	69,524	20.1
1800	345,591	96,518	38.8
1790	249,073		38.8

YEAR OF EXPORTS TO MAKE RECORD

Revival of War Finance Corporation Not Necessary—Opinion Of Houston.

Washington, Oct. 7.—Revival of the war finance corporation to finance exports was declared to be unnecessary by Secretary Houston tonight in answering letters from unnamed correspondents who had urged that course. Present indications are for a record year of exports and it is evident that private

capital is successfully financing the exporters' operations, Mr. Houston said.

The letters reiterated the treasury's policy of encouraging aid to the farmers in crop movement but said the suggestion that the treasury deposit funds in agricultural sections for loans to the farmers was "highly unfeasible." The treasury, he said, was not in the banking business and had been compelled to borrow itself at high rates to meet current requirements between tax payments.

Orderly marketing of crop always has been fostered by the treasury as well as the federal reserve board, Mr. Houston said, but added that the department frowns on the employment of borrowed funds to maintain "war or higher than war prices."

Discussing curtailed loans Mr. Houston said he believed the conditions complained of were in no way under control of the banks.

"No one wishes to have the prices lowered in the things he produces," the letter said. "But the consumer apparently has made up his mind not to continue to pay high prices. Much trouble which is attributed to the banks of the country and credit conditions unquestionably arises from fundamental conditions over which the banks have no control."

Detailed reports from the banks show the crop movements are being financed amply, the secretary said, adding that there was no reason why the falling prices on these products of credit. The federal reserve board and treasury are in accord on the program of encouraging extension of such credit by the banks, he said.

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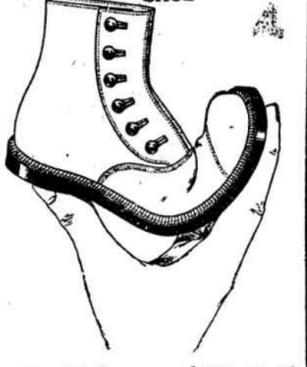
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