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After examinations are over there is usually a tendency on the part of most of us to "let down" and "coast awhile" so to speak. We feel that if we've passed all our examinations that we've earned a rest and maybe that's true, but we should guard against slacking up too much. If we slack up it just makes it all the harder for us to start again. The best thing to do is to make a flying start for the spring semester now. If we do this we'll find the last lap much easier.

We might as well face the fact that the spring semester is going to be harder than the fall semester has been. Last semester due to the fact that our school term was cut, we had to work much faster. Of course, we all felt the burden of this extra work. This semester it seems that we are going to have to work even faster. Besides this all the classes have extra activities during the spring semester; then too, we will soon catch spring fever, become lazy and want to play "hooky". Thus with the weather and the work against us we are going to have to "dig hard."

The seniors must believe in the wisdom of being early birds. They have already selected their invitations and are getting things under way for their Senior play. The Juniors are not far behind, they have already laid aside a "nest egg" for the banquet and they have started negotiations about their rings. An early start is always to be commended because it usually brings good results. Let's hope these do.

ATTENDANCE RECORD

Fourth Month—Grade Eighth, total enrollment 152; average daily attendance 128.45; average daily absences, 3.7. Grade Nine, total enrollment, 105; average daily attendance, 95.15; average daily absences 4.15. Grade Tenth, total enrollment 95; average daily attendance, 88.9; average daily absences, 3.4. Grade Eleventh, total enrollment 54; average daily attendance 50.85; average daily absences 2.15.

Third Month—Grade Eighth, total enrollment, 142; average daily attendance 131.4; average daily absences, 5.75. Grade Ninth, total enrollment, 105; average daily attendance, 96.85; average daily absences, 3.4. Grade Tenth, total enrollment, 94; average daily attendance 89.9; average daily

absences 4.1. Grade eleventh, total enrollment, 54; average daily attendance, 50.9; average daily absences, 2.1.

Mr. Cobb announced on Tuesday, the 19th that the total enrollment had reached the 400 mark for the first time in the history of the high school.

SOCIETY

Katherine Faulkner, Editor

Spends Week-End Away
 Miss Julia Bethes, a member of the faculty spent the week-end in Raleigh, N. C., as the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. P. Bailey.

Called Away
 Mrs. James Y. Paris was called away on Saturday because of the illness of her aunt, Mrs. T. R. Wooding, in Danville, Va. Mrs. Wooding died on Saturday night and was buried Sunday in Milton, N. C. Mrs. Paris returned to Henderson Monday but did not resume her teaching until Wednesday.

Glee Club Meets
 The Glee Club held its regular practice on Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock. Some very good work was done on two numbers to be given in the Spring Concert. The practice was omitted the week before on account of examinations.

New Pupils
 Robert Whitten, formerly of Reidsville, N. C., has been transferred to Henderson with his family. He is the son of Rev. R. A. Whitten, pastor of the Christian church. He is classed as a senior in high school and we are glad to have him as a member of the senior class.

Raymond Harris is attending school here since Christmas. Before Christmas he was a member of the Junior class in Franklinton high school.

Speaks at Meeting
 Elizabeth Polston represented the high school at the meeting of the Daughters of the Confederacy last Tuesday afternoon. She made a brief talk telling some incidents in the life of Robert E. Lee which made him seem more real and human.

Parent-Teachers Meet
 On Wednesday afternoon, the P. T. A. held its regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Noel presided. Mr. Cumming had charge of the devotionals. The program, which was a memorial program for Mrs. Beck who was instrumental in beautifying Henderson was in charge of Mrs. Newell. A short business session followed, with the various reports which proved to be very gratifying.

Chapel Programs
 The Sophomore and Junior Classes this week had the privilege of assembling twice in chapel. On Tuesday a very enjoyable and profitable talk was given by Dr. H. A. Ellis. His theme was the Four Judgments as given in 1 Corinthians. He brought out each, beginning with the judgment

of every individual by his friends, then by the world, thirdly by his own self, and then the greatest judgment of all, God's.

On Thursday the program commemorating the birthday of General R. E. Lee was given by Home Room 2, Mrs. Paris teacher. The program consisted of readings and talks telling of General Lee after the Civil War. The years he spent as President of Washington and Lee University, working especially for the youth of the South, were emphasized. Those taking part were Roger Spruill, Anne Stevenson, June Hardee, Minnie Ranking, Bobby Davis, and Nannie Mae Harper.

Esther Clark has entered the freshman class. She came to us from Zeb Vance.

George Harrison and Winifred Tucker have been out several days on account of illness. We hope they will be back soon.

Hal Smith is moving to Morganton, N. C., with his people. We are very sorry to lose Hal. He was an outstanding member of our football squad last fall, and a very popular Junior, and also a good student. Here's luck to you in the new home, Hal.

L'INCONNU
 "O wad some Power the giftie gie us
 To see ourselves as others see us!"
 Burns.

THE THREE MONKS
 We see all—We hear all—We tell all
 Our "machine gun action" science teacher seems to be fickle indeed. Last week it was History and this week it is Latin. We wonder why the great change, maybe he is following the example set by our "Big Milk and Cream Man." We also wonder if, the subject of the talk which appeared so amusing last week in first period library was Science or Latin. If so, to all appearances it was much funnier than any we have been privileged to listen to on classes.

There is a group of girls in H. H. S. who seem to have grasped with a strange hold the opportunity that leap year provides to all of the fairer sex. College boys seem to be the pinnacle of their ambitions, especially Wake Forest boys. So great is their desire to "rise" and "shine" in the eyes of the aforesaid, Wake Forest masculine population that they have recently and quite often blessed Wake Forest with their presence. Well maybe a reversal of the "Cave Man" theory is appreciated by males; we think not though. However the boys from Wake Forest seem to enjoy it. The girls brought three of them home with them the other night, consequently these three had to bum back to school after dark. In case you don't know who they are, check over these in your memory:

1. All juniors.
2. A flaming red.
3. A dark, raven headed brunette with bewitching eyes.
4. Brown eyed blond.
5. All their pals.

Play Romance—Or What Have You.
 Time Friday afternoon
 Place Chestnut Street, Henderson
 Characters:
 (a) Heroine, H. H. S. Latin Instructor.
 (b) Hero, Young man, (identity unknown).
 Situation: Conversation
 Accessories: Ford car
 Figure the rest out for yourself—
 all we got was a fleeting glimpse.

One of the smartest girls of the Senior class has been keeping company with a very promising Sophomore recently. Yes, he's been promising to pass for years. We hope the combination is benefiting to both. Would it be disclosing too much if we said that she was a blonde and the secretary of the Senior Class?

THE WHO'S WHO OF HENDERSON HIGH SCHOOL.

Would you like a postage stamp portrait of our vice presidents? Second on the staff of the senior class is Louise Powell, a very attractive girl. Louise has been an important member in her class from the sixth grade up until now. She is a member of the Glee Club, a good sport, a good student, and a little bird says that she likes Oxford.

In the Junior class, Dean Bunn is filling the vice president's place. Dean showed that he had the football spirit last fall and we hope he makes first team next year. He is handsome, always smiling; he likes to argue, a trait which has caused him to leave a room several times; in fact, Dean is a good all-round student in every way. Here's a girl who is the Vice president of the Sophomores, Emma Burdett. Everybody knows Emma! She is a popular member of the "younger set" of our school. She has a winning personality; she is a good sport, generally being ready for a good time; she is always laughing and carefree.

The freshmen's choice is Milton Dworsky. This is Milton's first year in a Henderson school. He seems to be very popular though. He is not worried about a need to gain more flesh, because he has plenty. He is the boy who aids a great deal in keeping a smile on the face of the freshmen with his witty sayings.

Twins in a restaurant they met—
 One Romeo and Juliet,
 There Romeo fell into debt,
 For Romeo owed for what Juliet.

Catherine F.—(in a N. Y. street car):
 Which end do I get off at?
 Conductor: Makes no difference,
 Ma'am, both ends stop.

SPORTS

FLASH-BACKS

The Henderson high Bulldogs met Chapel Hill high last Friday night for the first time since that rather startling game of 1929 in which the lads from Chapel Hill administered to the Bulldogs a defeat of no mean proportions.

Since Coach Payne has been with the Henderson high school the two schools have engaged in four games and have each won two victories (this is counting the game of last Friday night.) The Bulldogs of 1929 were defeated in the lone game in what must have been a real thriller, Chapel Hill won the winning basket in the last few seconds of play to win by the score of 28 to 27. In this hotly contested battle Hop Harris was high scorer with eleven points, while Moore was second high scorer with five points. The rest of the points were divided among many sibs. In 1929 the Bulldogs played the Wild Cats twice and broke even with them. They won the first game, 33 to 13, Captain Hagwood was the star of the game and scored 11 points. John Church scored eight points and our own Payton Rogers scored 5 points. Boyd and Loughlin each rank one field goal while Faulkner scored one free toss. For the second game of 1929 we won't say much, only that Henderson was defeated by the overwhelming score of 28 to 2. We were unable to ascertain who scored those two lone points for Henderson.

However this year's team evened the score by defeating Chapel Hill last Friday night.

We have heard from several sources that last week's article "So Far in 1932" was an case of crowing too soon because of the fact Oxford Orphanage defeated the Bulldogs. To the casual observer that would seem the case, the team had only played two games and there we were praising them for their splendid playing. However we were praising them, now so much for their having come out of two games undefeated but for their splendid showing under such adverse conditions. As for the Orphanage's victory over Henderson, well that calls for even more praise in our opinion. For Henderson with a few days of practice as they had had; to lose to a team in mid-season shape in as close a game as that one was, was in more ways than one almost unbelievable. Oxford Orphanage's defeat of Henderson by only two points was a moral victory for a team which has hoped to lose by a score triple to its own.

THE OUTLOOK OF THE 1932 BASKETBALL SEASON FOR GIRLS

By Dorothy Grissom
 The present outlook of the 1932 girls' basketball season is very bright. Considered as a whole the team is exceptionally good. Although many of the girls are small and know little of the techniques of the game they are being developed into a fast and well-working squad of girls.

This year Coach Bryant has three varsity members, Mary Neathery, Velma Johnson and Dorothy Grissom, as a nucleus around which to build the team. She will hardly have a definite line-up except for these three girls as the others are equally good and will be run in from time to time.

Following is the schedule which will be played by the girls this season:
 Jan. 22—Zeb Vance here.
 Jan. 26—Townsville here.
 Jan. 29—Oxford high here.
 Feb. 2—Oxford Orphanage there.
 Feb. 5—Elland here.
 Feb. 12—Warrenton here.
 Feb. 16—Roanoke Rapids here.
 Feb. 19—Zeb Vance here.
 Feb. 24—Warrenton there.
 Feb. 26—Oxford high there.

SPORT COMMENTS

On Tuesday night of this week Henderson high enters the second lap of their race for state honors. They will meet all the foes that they have already played in return games, the location of the games will be reversed. Out of the four conference games engaged in by the Bulldogs so far, they have run up 63 points to their opponents 50 points and have emerged victorious in three of the games. (Chapel Hill high is not entered in the conference).

We are proud of our girl's team, especially of those rookies who played their first game against Zeb Vance. We must not forget that they defeated a team which had played quite a few games while it was Henderson's first game.

The Henderson All-Stars have gotten together quite a strong aggregation and with sufficient practice we would not hesitate to send them against any of the strongest teams of the State. As you know Coach Payne is one of their big guns, while another of their stars is Marion Rogers. Be sure to watch them the next time they play.

A WORD OF APPRECIATION

Note: (The high school P. T. A. held a memorial service for Mrs. Beck last Wednesday, wish to add our bit. Therefore the staff, through Penelope Watkins, asked Mrs. L. R. Gooch who was associated with Mrs. Beck in the work on the school grounds, to write this note.)

As the time draws near to begin thinking of gardens and planting, our minds naturally turn to one who is no longer with us—Mrs. J. W. Beck, who died early last summer.

We are prone to take our friends for granted and feel that they ought to know without being told that we love and appreciate them, but Mrs. Beck's mark for the high school was so unusual that we did try to let her know how much she meant to us. She was untiring in her efforts to improve the high school grounds, not because she had anything to gain, but because she loved beautiful things, as her own home and the King's Daughters Park and the hedge of privet and low hardy poplars will always

be a memorial to her.
 We can best show our appreciation to Mrs. Beck by carrying on the work already begun by her.

CLASS ACTIVITIES

Monday, February 8 has been set as the date for the selection of the Junior class rings. The following companies have been invited to present their lines to the ring committee, with Miss Bryant as advisor: Auda, Galfour, Peters, Jenkins, Harcourt, Star and the local jewelers.

The Senior invitation committee met a few days ago to select invitations. Katherine Revis, chairman, Marion Rogers, and Lillian Aycock composed the committee. They were aided by the class officers; George Harrison, Louise Powell, Mildred Poythress, Nick Chavasse and by the class sponsor, Miss Taylor.

At a recent class meeting the Seniors adopted a class creed. The creed will take the place of the usual motto. It was worked out by Elizabeth Polston and Katherine Revis who were appointed at a class meeting, held before the Christmas holidays.

Here is the Senior Class Creed:
 We will never bring dishonor to this school by any act of disloyalty or disobedience, nor ever desert our comrades; we will fight for the ideals and the sacred things of the school, both alone and with many; we will reverse

and obey the school laws and do our best to arouse a like respect and reverence in others we will strive unceasingly to quicken the student body's sense of duty, that thus in all these ways, we may transmit to posterity this school, wiser, better, and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us.

THE TITAN LEAGUE

The First Meeting
 By ARCHIBAND YOW

Clank! Clank! Clank! In came Emperor Hal Smith, his arrival announced by noises similar to the rattling of an old tin "Lizle" coming down the street. He was thoroughly equipped with all the paraphernalia known to the knights of old in the days of King Arthur, with the exception of an asbestos coat which is worn only by the chief official of the league; the members wore uniforms made of the same material. But my discussion has gone far enough on the subject of clothes, and I must turn to other points of interest.

"Happy Hal" was received with enthusiasm and much applause until he, in an attempt to bow gracefully, slipped upon a banana peel, dropped by an enthusiastic member.....due to an unexpected calamity the meeting was adjourned and the election put off until next meeting.

The Chinese idea is to keep the Jap on the run by showing 'em how.

High School Fun

Frieda Hayes Editor

James Bullock: There are several things I can always count on.
 Marie C.—What are they?
 James: My fingers.

"What silly question is he asking now?"
 "Oh, he wants to know is you can get a barking cough eating hot dog."

It seems silly to continue using "she" and "her" in referring to European nations. The woman, as everybody knows, always pays.

After reading news from the Far East, one can see some reason for the general expression, "He hasn't a Chinaman's chance."

Miss Bethes: I can't find a pin anywhere around here. Where do they go?
 Hal Smith: Well, Miss Bethes, it's hard to tell. They're pointed in one direction and headed in another.

A wise man, said Seneca, is provided for occurrences of any kind; the good he manages, the bad he vanquishes; in prosperity he betrays no presumption, and in adversity he feels no despondency.



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All of which reminds us that too many business concerns with goods and services for sale are trying to meet a dead calm by huddling below the decks. Soon they will come on deck and wonder why they are so far from shore.

Newspaper advertising is ready, willing and anxious to serve you. It made black figures for many in 1931, who would have landed in the red and it is going to do the same thing in 1932.

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