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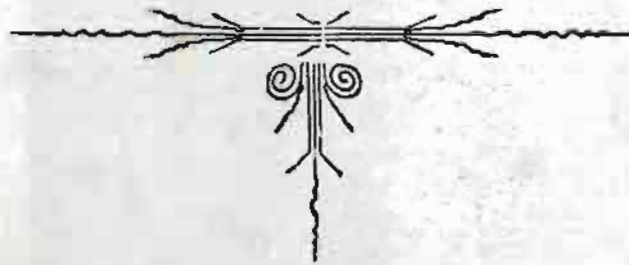
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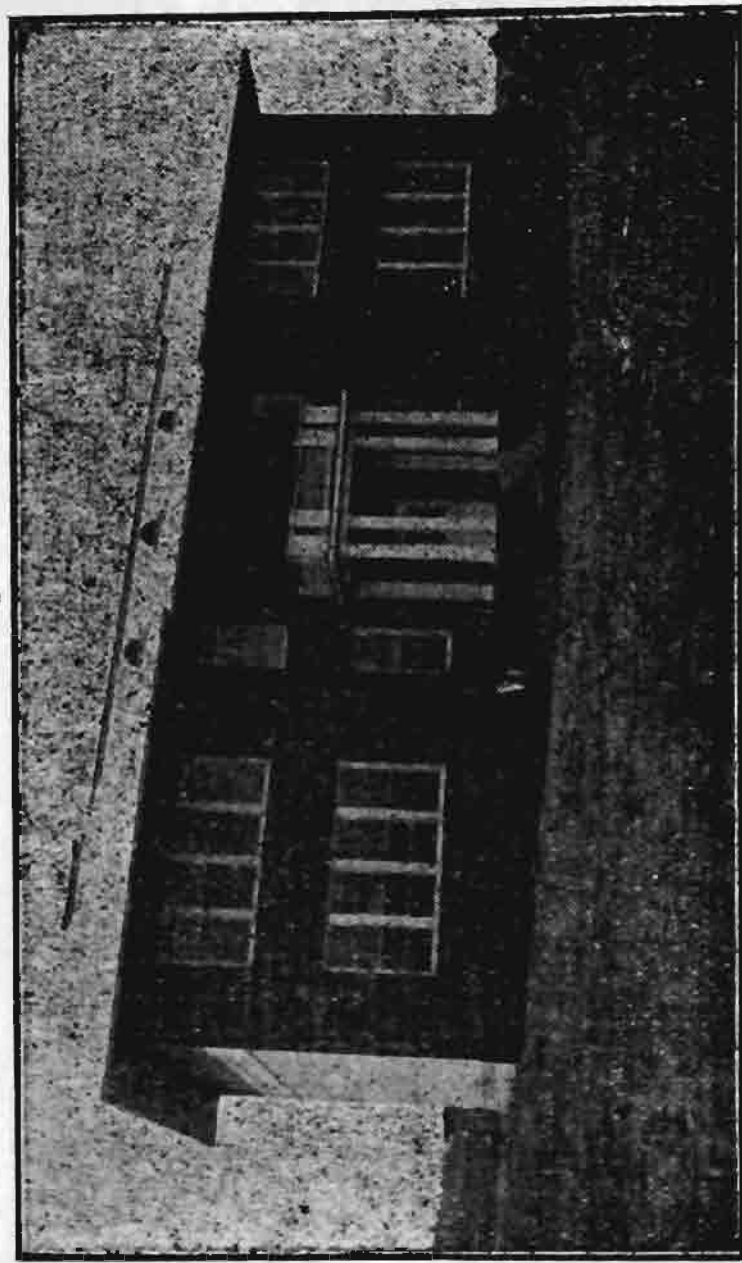
ANNOUNCEMENT OF FACULTY,
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GENERAL INFORMATION



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SHELBY COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL.
COLUMBIANA, ALABAMA.

FACULTY

LYCURGUS LEFTWICH, A. B. Principal,
Latin and German.

P. O. LUCK, LL. B., First Assistant,
English and History.

MISS CAROLINE ROWE, A. B. Second Assistant,
Mathematics and Science.

MISS MARY McMILLAN, Teacher of
Seventh Grade.

MISS CLARICE WHITE,
Expression.

MRS. G. F. HARPER,
Domestic Science.

MRS. ROSA TEAGUE,
Music.

CALENDAR.

First Term, begins.....Wednesday, September 3rd, 1913
First Term, ends.....Friday, January 16th, 1914
Second Term, begins.....Monday, January 19th, 1914
Second Term, ends.....Friday, May 22nd, 1914

BOARD OF CONTROL.

HIGH SCHOOL COMMISSION.

Hon. Emmett O'Neal; Governor of Alabama, Montgomery, Ala.

Hon. Henry J. Willingham, Supt. of Education, Montgomery, Ala.

Hon. C. B. Smith, State Auditor, Montgomery, Ala.

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COLUMBIANA

LOCATION AND ADVANTAGES

Nestling among the foot hills of the Apalachian mountain system is located the quiet little city of Columbiana, the county site of Shelby County.

This attractive town has a population of nearly 2000.

It has excellent railroad accomodations being situated on two prominent roads, the Southern and Louisville and Nashville.

The town has a complete system of water works, and an excellent little plant that furnishes electric lights for the entire city, and an up-to-date ice plant which adds much to the comfort and health of the town.

Columbiana is beautifully situated on a plateau which is splendidly drained, which makes it the banner section of the State for health, and physicians say that a true case of typhoid fever has never been known in this section.

It has the best court house in the South, constructed of marble at an expense of \$225,000.

There are two banks here, the Columbiana Savings Bank, capital stock \$35,000.00, and the Shelby County State Bank, capital stock \$28,000.00.

The town enjoys excellent church facilities. There are three organized working churches, Methodist, Baptist and Presbyterian all of which have live, active Sunday Schools.

Above all is her citizenship composed of merchants, doctors, lawyers, and officers, who are hospitable, peaceful and industrious people standing with open arms to welcome home-seekers and all who are interested in the education of their children.

THE HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING.

The building is large and commodious and modern in every respect, located in the center of a six acre lot which affords ample space for ball park, basket ball and tennis courts, flower beds and a vegetable garden.

The basement has one large room especially arranged for the heating plant.

The first floor consists of four large class rooms, president's office, library, and two toilet rooms.

The second floor consists of two large class rooms and a magnificent auditorium, well lighted and seated with opera chairs and is well equipped for chapel exercises and entertainments.

The building is constructed along the lines taking into consideration the health and convenience of the students.

It is steam heated, electric lighted, double floored, equipped with the very latest sanitary drinking fount, has slate black boards and all the class rooms are seated with steel framed single desks, making the class rooms healthful, comfortable, and convenient for students.

FUNCTION OF THE HIGH SCHOOL.

The High School or secondary school in each county, places a secondary education in reach of the many who heretofore were deprived of these opportunities because of the expense of attending such schools located so far from home.

The High School with its four grades, 8-11, brings to the door of thousands of young people a practical and business education, and at the same time a course of study has been arranged that it

will articulate with the prescribed courses of study in the colleges in the State.

The County High Schools are all registered with the colleges as accredited schools, and a certificate showing that the 14 units has been obtained entitles the applicant to enter without examination.

However, the boy or girl who takes the four year course not only has a practical education but is prepared to take any special course, in Medicine, pharmacy, Dentistry or a business course.

The High Schools are inspected twice per year by the State High School Inspector and are thus required to keep up to the standard.

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

The holder of an unexpired second grade certificate issued to the State Board of Examiners or a written statement from a teacher who holds a first grade certificate issued by the State Board of Examiners stating that the holder has taken the elementary course of study as prescribed by the Department of Education in his or her school and has passed a satisfactory examination on these branches through the seventh grade, shall be entitled to entrance in the County High School without further examination. Every applicant who is not eligible to entrance without further examination as stated in this rule shall be required by the principal and teachers of the County High School to stand a satisfactory written entrance examination on the branches included in the elementary course of seven years' work. Each applicant shall be required to make not less than 50 per cent. on each elementary branch and his general average shall not be less than 75 per cent.

EXAMINATION.

Examinations will be held at the middle and close of each term of four and one-half months by the high school teachers and at the close of the session a certificate shall be issued to each pupil who passes a satisfactory examination stating that such pupil has finished the work of a designated year and this certificate shall entitle the pupil to enter upon the work of the year next after that so designated in any County High School in the State.

In order to pass a satisfactory examination on a particular branch in the County High School it is necessary for the pupil to make an average of not less than 60 per cent. on a branch in the first year's work, 65 per cent. on a branch in the second year's work, 70 per cent. on a branch in the fourth year's work. This average shall be secured by averaging the grade made on the final examinations with the daily recitation grades given, the final examination counting one-third and daily recitations two-thirds.

SEVENTH GRADE.

By special act of the County Board the seventh grade will be taught in the High School building as a preparatory grade to the High School course, and all students entering this grade will be required to present a certificate stating that they have completed the 6th grade, otherwise they will have to stand examination.

All students in this grade will be subject to the same regulations as the students of the High School.

DIPLOMAS AND CERTIFICATES

Upon the completion of each year's work a certificate is given

and upon the completion of the four years' course a diploma is granted which admits the holder without examination to any college or university in the State.

---- LIBRARY ----

The library now consists of something over 150 volumes of standard reference works, a good encyclopedia and dictionary to which students are often referred.

LITERARY SOCIETIES.

There will be two active Literary Societies and every student will be required to participate with one or the other.

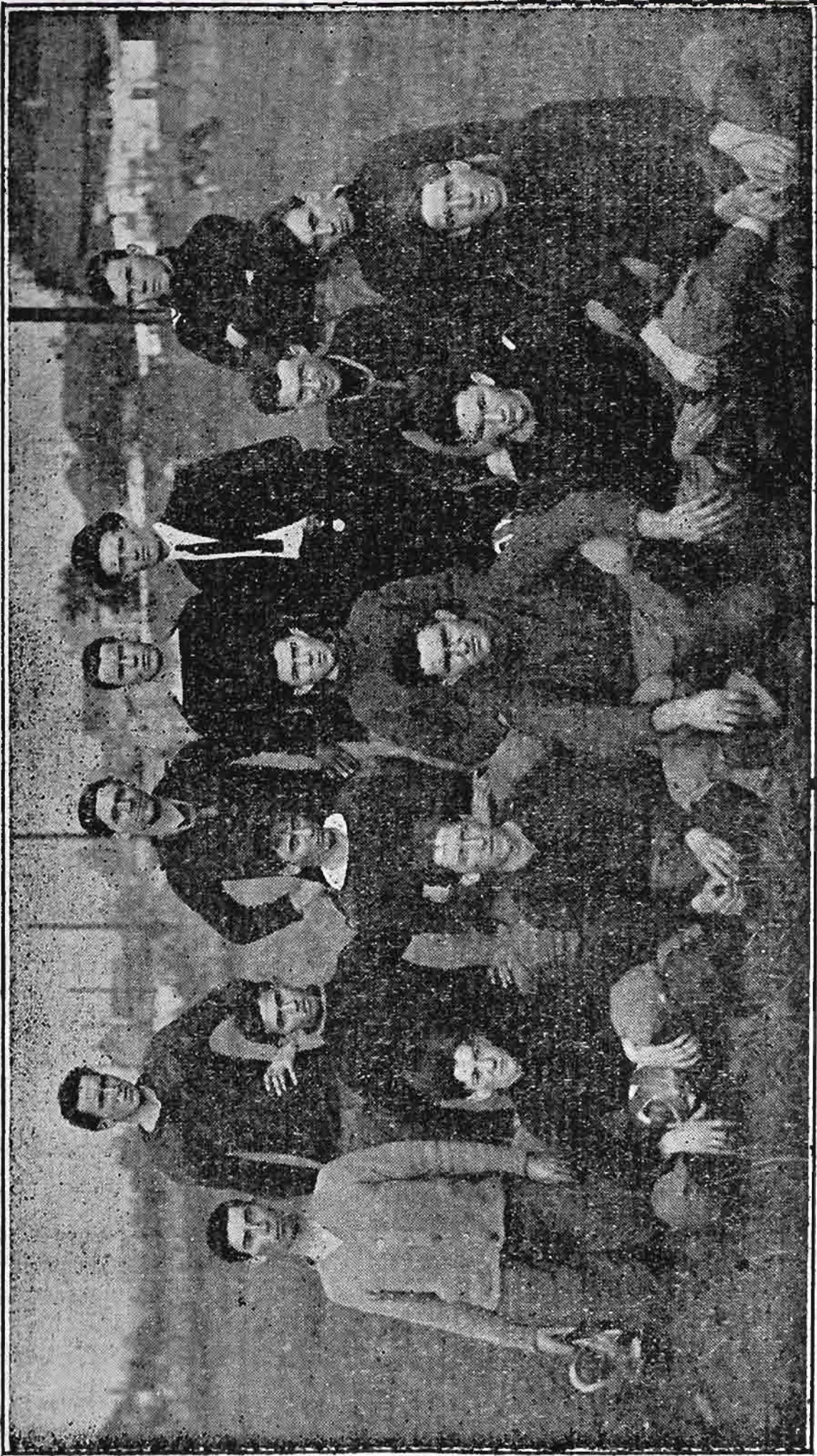
This work will be under the direct supervision of some teacher and there will be regular meetings on each Friday afternoon.

VEGETABLE GARDEN.

There will be a vegetable garden on the campus and every student will be assigned a plat of ground and will be expected to plant and cultivate it under the direction of Prof. Luck who is a practical agricultural man having taken a course in an agricultural school.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE.

We were indeed fortunate to secure the services of Mrs. G. F. Harper, a lady of eleven years experience as teacher in the A. G. T. I., at Montevallo, as instructor in the sewing department and hope to be able to secure an instructor in cooking.



SHELBY COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL FOOT BALL TEAM.

— ATHLETICS —

We have a fine athletic park and all students will be encouraged to take an active part in some form of Athletics. We shall try to attain the old Greek ideal, "A Sound Mind in a Sound Body." Sports and games that will aid in physical development will be encouraged but not to excess. Prof. Luck an experienced ball player will be general director of athletics.

DISCIPLINE.

The discipline of each County High School is authorized to make such rules and regulations which may be necessary to successfully control and discipline the school, provided such regulations in no way conflict with the regulations of the High School Commission. However, the entrance of a student to the High School will be regarded as an obligation to conform to all school regulations. There will be few fixed rules, but firm and just.

Order, obedience and class work will be accomplished by confidence, interest, honor, system and as few regulations as possible.

BOARDING PUPILS.

All boarding students will be under direct supervision of the principal of the school and those in authority at their boarding houses. It will be the object of the entire faculty to inculcate into each student the highest sense of honor and to keep guard on the pupils habits and morals on all occasions. All non-resident pupils will be solicited and urged to attend some religious service of their choice every Sunday.

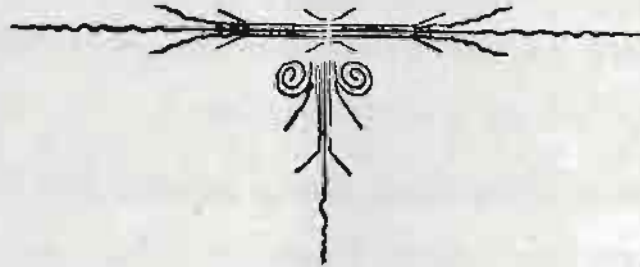
MORNING SERVICES.

Devotional exercises will be conducted by some member of the faculty or visitor each morning before the daily work is begun. Every pupil will be required to be present.

- - EXPENSES - -

Board can be secured in private families from \$10.00 to \$12.50 per month.

No tuition, but an incidental fee of \$2.50 will be charged at the beginning of each term, the school being divided into two terms.



COURSE OF STUDY
FOR THE
COUNTY HIGH SCHOOLS OF ALABAMA.

(Based on elementary course of seven grades or years.)

FIRST YEAR

No. of recitation
periods per week.

ENGLISH—Grammar reviewed, Rhetoric and Composition and Classics	5
MATHEMATICS—Arithmetic reviewed, five recitations per week in first six weeks. Algebra, five recitations per week for thirty weeks	5
HISTORY—English	3
SPELLING—Common Words Commonly Misspelled; two recitations per week, no credit given.	
SCIENCE—Physical Georgraphy, three periods per week for first half year, and three periods per week for second half year until March when Agriculture is taken up..... Agriculture, three periods per week during March, April and May.	3
MANUAL TRAINING AND DRAWING—with home gardening, or systematic school gardening—Geometrical Drawing	2
ELECTIVE—Latin or German	5
LATIN—First Year	5
GERMAN—Grammar and Composition, easy reading	5
SCHOOL GARDEN WORK—(Practical work and personal direction of the teacher)	
Required periods	23

SECOND YEAR

ENGLISH—Rhetoric and Composition, and Classics	5
MATHEMATICS—Plane Geometry	5
HISTORY—Ancient	3

COURSE OF STUDY.

No. of recitation
periods per week.

SCIENCE—Biology, three periods per week during first half year; Botany, three periods per week during last half year; Agriculture, one period per week during whole year	4
MANUAL TRAINING AND DRAWING—Mechanical Drawing or Linear Drawing.	2
ELECTIVE—(One of the following)	5
LATIN—Caesar, 4 books; Grammar and Prose Composition	5
GERMAN---Grammar and Composition, reading of intermediate texts	5
COMMERCIAL ARITHMETIC	5
SCHOOL GARDEN WORK, under personal direction of the teacher	—
Required periods	24

THIRD YEAR.

ENGLISH---History of English Literature, Composition and Classics	5
MATHEMATICS---Advanced Algebra	5
HISTORY---Mediaeval and Modern	3
ELECTIVE---(Two of the following, including physics	10
LATIN---Cicero, six orations; or Cicero's Letters and four orations. Grammar	5
FRENCH---Grammar and Composition, reading of easy texts	5
GERMAN---Same as in first year	5
BOOKKEEPING	5
PHYSICS AND AGRICULTURE---Physics five periods per week	5
SCHOOL GARDEN WORK, with Horticulture.	—
Required periods	23

FOURTH YEAR

ENGLISH---American Literature, Composition and Classics

COURSE OF STUDY.

	No. of recitation periods per week.
and Advanced Grammar.....	5
MATHEMATICS—Solid Geometry, first half year; Arithme- tic, second half year.....	5
HISTORY—United States History and Civics, Alabama His- tory.....	4
ELECTIVE—(Two of the following, including chemistry)...	10
SCIENCE—Chemistry, 5 periods per week during year, use Manual to accompany Smith's Essentials of Chemistry. Perform not less than thirty-five experiments.....	5
LATIN—Vergil, six books; or 1500 lines of Ovid's Metamor- phoses and four books of Vergil.....	5
FRENCH—Grammar and Composition, reading of intermed- iate texts.....	5
GERMAN—Same as in second year.....	5
BOOKKEEPING AND COMMERCIAL LAW.....	5
SCHOOL GARDEN WORK.	
Required periods.....	24

ROLL OF PUPILS OF NINTH GRADE.

Averyt Alvyn,	Shelby, Ala.
Allen Arthur,	Montevallo, Ala.
Busby Ernest,	Shelby, Ala.
Christian Charles,	Columbiana, Ala.
Cross Ida Mae,	Columbiana, Ala.
Cross Cecil,	Columbiana, Ala.
Green Ocie,	Columbiana, Ala.
Green Bliss,	Columbiana, Ala.
Haynes Littie Mae,	Columbiana, Ala.
Longshore Leslie,	Columbiana, Ala.
Longcrier Paul,	Columbiana, Ala.
Morrow Jimmie,	Clanton, Ala.
Milstead Tierce,	Columbiana, Ala.
Nelson Clyde,	Columbiana, Ala.
Nelson Walter,	Columbiana, Ala.
Pitts Faxie,	Columbiana, Ala.
Pitts Jno. S. Jr.,	Columbiana, Ala.
Price Bertha,	Columbiana, Ala.
Sawyer, Robert,	Columbiana, Ala.
Short Loraine,	Calera, Ala.
Session Hubert,	Montevallo, Ala.

ROLL OF PUPILS OF EIGHTH GRADE.

Bearden Lalene,	Columbiana, Ala.
Baker Allene,	Columbiana, Ala.
Butler Robert,	Pelham, Ala.
Carter George,	Columbiana, Ala.
Christian Clarice,	Columbiana, Ala.
Connell Myrtle,	Jemison, Ala.
Dorough Ethel,	Columbiana, Ala.
Eastis Leonidas,	Vincent, Ala.
Farley Correlli,	Columbiana, Ala.
Freidburger Pollie,	Columbiana, Ala.
Frye Wesley,	Calera, Ala.
Hicks Edward,	Columbiana, Ala.
Jackson Homer,	Wilsonville, Ala.
Johnson Leila,	Calera, Ala.
Kidd Leon,	Harpersville, Ala.
Longshore Marinel,	Columbiana, Ala.
Longcrier John,	Columbiana, Ala.
Lovelady Robert,	Helena, Ala.
Lyon Peddie,	Columbiana, Ala.
Milner Jim,	Columbiana, Ala.
Page Nallie,	Columbiana, Ala.
Sawyer R. L.	Shelby, Ala.
Weaver Vida,	Columbiana, Ala.
West Lee,	Wilsonville, Ala.
Whorton, Ethel,	Wilsonville, Ala.
Whorton Isaac,	Wilsonville, Ala.
Willis Edgar,	Jemison, Ala.

ROLL OF PUPILS OF SEVENTH GRADE.

Blackerby David,	Wilsonville, Ala.
Blackerby Mary (<i>ms. Guy Clower</i>) ? <i>Chloagh</i> ?	Columbiana, Ala.
Browne Elizabeth,	Columbiana, Ala.
Choate Edgar,	Columbiana, Ala.
Cox Frank,	Columbiana, Ala.
Farley Dewey,	Columbiana, Ala.
Farr Ruby,	Wilsonville, Ala.
Gibson Lucile,	Columbiana, Ala.
Gibson Marguerite,	Columbiana, Ala.
Haynes Minnie Bell,	Columbiana, Ala.
Haynes Lera,	Columbiana, Ala.
Holcomb Robert,	Columbiana, Ala.
Jackson Eunice,	Wilsonville, Ala.
Judge Florence,	Columbiana, Ala.
Lester Amie,	Columbiana, Ala.
Liles Mary,	Columbiana, Ala.
Lyon John	Columbiana, Ala.
Milstead Olive,	Columbiana, Ala.
McMillan Dugald,	Columbiana, Ala.
Nelson Thomas Neal,	Columbiana, Ala.
Peers Inez,	Columbiana, Ala.
Pitts Nathan,	Columbiana; Ala.
Sorrell Bill,	Columbiana, Ala.
Smith Mabel,	Columbiana, Ala.
White Eunice,	Columbiana, Ala.
Watersworth Johnnie,	Columbiana, Ala.
Total Enrollment	75

IF FURTHER INFORMATION IS DESIRED
ADDRESS,

LYCURGUS LEFTWICH,

Columbiana, Alabama.