

compass a wealth of data on the various phases of the school and its work, notably the curriculum, administration, and the teacher. The chapter lacks the usual interpretative conclusions. These weaknesses are partly atoned by a good many references and brief discussions of phases of education in such other chapters as those on Rural Life, The Arts in Social Life, Public Administration, and Taxation and Government Functions. For the teacher, chapter 15, which deals with Childhood and Youth, is one of the most significant, as it shows education in relation to other activities having to do with health and nurture. The administrator and teacher alike will find a very valuable discussion of Changing Social Attitudes and Interests in chapter 8, a discussion which is basic to many of the other problems in the study.

It would seem safe to predict that no study has been made in America of a similarly comprehensive type, and no pair of volumes has been presented to American readers that will be provocative of so much discussion and study. It is to be hoped that the timeliness of this report will make it directly useful in the solution of perplexing contemporary social problems.

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#### EDUCATION IN SOCIAL INSURANCE

With its ears filled with cries of distress from all types of mankind, society can not be impressed by logical arguments that, as I wrote sixteen months ago, "the last to profit from prosperity should not be the first to feel the pinch of depression," or by the rhetorical appeal that the budget must not be balanced at the cost of the rights of little children. Perhaps it can be made to listen to the larger argument that education must be preserved and promoted that society itself may be preserved and its future welfare insured.—PROFESSOR T. H. BRIGGS, in *School and Society*.

#### NEWS OF THE COLLEGE

The three literary societies recently elected the following officers:

*Lee*—Madaline Newbill, Norfolk, president; Edith Todd, Richmond, vice-president; Elizabeth Sugden, Hampton, secretary; Kathleen Tate, Lebanon, treasurer; Julia Courter, Amelia, chairman of the program committee; Sarita Byrd, Charleston, critic.

*Lanier*—Kathleen Carpenter, Norfolk, president; Eleanor Wilkins, Capeville, vice-president; Elizabeth Kerr, Harrisonburg, secretary; Dorothy Merryman, Rustburg, treasurer; Martha Saunders, Richmond, sergeant-at-arms; Douglas MacDonald, Scotts, N. C., chairman of the program committee; Virginia Orange, Exmore, critic.

*Page*—Gladys Farrar, Rustburg, president; Eleanor Cook, Charleston, vice-president; Rebecca Comer, Roanoke, secretary; Dorothy Martin, Norfolk, treasurer; Eunice Meeks, Baltimore, chairman of the program committee; Laura Melchor, Winston-Salem, sergeant-at-arms; Rachel Rogers, East Falls Church, critic.

The honor roll for the fall quarter is as follows:

*Seniors*—Helen Sites, Dayton; Katye Wray Brown, Roanoke; Lillian Holland, Kents Store; Catherine Manke, Hampton; Dorothy Martin, Norfolk; Gladys Myers, Timberville; Prudence Spooner, Chester.

*Juniors*—Mildred Simpson, Norfolk; Virginia Sloane, Winchester; Rhoda Wenger, Harrisonburg; Mary Sue Hammersly, Randolph; Hilda Hisey, Edinburg; Elizabeth Kerr, Harrisonburg; Sarah Lemmon, Marietta, Ga.; Madeline Newbill, Norfolk; Janie Shaver, Harrisonburg; Mary Spitzer, Harrisonburg.

*Sophomores*—Marjory Hatcher, Washington; Betty Marie Coffey, Mint Spring; Louise Golladay, Quicksburg; Florence Holland, Eastville; Douglas McDonald,

Scotts, N. C.; Elsie Mallory, Vigor; Joyce Rieley, Troutville; Ruth Shular, East Stone Gap.

*Freshmen*—Katherine Glenn, Covington; Virginia Cox, Woodlawn; Lois Meeks, Baltimore, Md.; Margaret Thompson, Lexington; Mary Glover, Charleston, W. Va.; Sylvia Kamsky, Richmond.

According to Marietta Melson, business manager of the Athletic Association, the varsity basketball schedule consists of three games away from college and none on the home court. Shepherdstown, W. Va., will be host to the H. T. C. team February 11. The Schoolma'ams will meet Farmville, February 17, and Westhampton, February 18.

The varsity squad consists of the following: Frances Neblett, Victoria, captain; Douglas MacDonald, Scotts, N. C.; Julia Courter, Amelia; Edith Todd, Richmond; Mary Van Landingham, Petersburg; Marietta Melson, Machipongo; Lucy Coyner, Waynesboro; Emily Pittman, Gates, N. C.; Alma Fultz, Butterworth; Anna Larrick, Round Hill; Edith Slusser, Raphine; Wil-line Clark, Petersburg; Marguerite Holder, Winston-Salem, N. C.; Melva Burnette, Leesburg; Lottie Burch, Petersburg; Mary Grogan, Spencer; Elizabeth Huffman, Hopewell; Edna Sayer, New York; Geneva Peters, Harrisonburg; Vada Steele, Harrisonburg.

Showing how wisdom overcomes superstition, the Sophomore Class celebrated their annual "day" on Friday, the 13th of January, attired in the customary white dresses and bearing emblems of good luck.

The officers of the Sophomore Class are Marian Smith, Norwood, Pa., president; Mary Elizabeth Deaver, Lexington, vice-president; Anna Larrick, Round Hill, secretary; Sarita Byrd, Charleston, W. Va., treasurer; Eugenia Trainum, Louisa, business manager; Alma Fultz, Butterworth, sergeant-at-arms.

Nineteen new students entered H. T. C. for the winter quarter. They are Mabel Baker, North River; Violet Bernath, Orange; Gladys Bleier, New York; Charlotte Burch, Carson; Isabell Cordell, Norfolk; Camilla Dunham, Warm Springs; Grace Hart, Baltimore; Ethel Long, Eheart; Edith Laudermilk; Edinburg; Ella Onufer, Passaic, N. J.; Nancy Poole, Stoneville, N. C.; Italine Reed, Norton; Edna Sayer, Glendale, N. Y.; Ora Mae Smith, Suffolk; Berie Stewart, Alberta; Margaret West, Poolesville, Md.; Katherine Wilson, Harrisonburg; Virginia Boggs, Glenville, West Va.; Iva Lou Jones, Newport News.

The nominating convention held its first meeting recently to consider the nomination of students for the major offices next year. The board consists of Katye Wray Brown, president of Student Government; Emma Jane Shultz, president of Y. W. C. A.; Emilyn Peterson, president of the Athletic Association; Lois Drewry, editor-in-chief of the *Schoolma'am*; Christobel Childs, editor-in-chief of the *Breeze*; Dorothy Harris, Janet Lowrie, Catherine Bard, Mildred Henderson, Betty Bush, Gladys Farrar, Frances Whitman, Hilda Hisey, Mildred Simpson, Evelyn Watkins, Sarita Byrd, Mary Page Barnes, Ruth Schular, Catherine Matthews, Anna Larrick, Bessie Watts, Virginia Spense, Emma Watson, Louise Howerton, Sylvia Kamsky.

Elizabeth Carson, Lynchburg, and Arthur Stump, V. P. I., led the figure with Dorothy Williams, Norfolk, and Paul Hogg, Medical College, assisting at the annual midwinter dance sponsored by the Cotillion Club on January 21 in the Big Gym. The gym was decorated in modernistic effects of blue and white. The Southern Collegians of Washington and Lee University played for the dance.

Lantern slides of Naples, Mt. Vesuvius, and the Island of Capri were shown to the faculty and student body by Dr. John A.

Sawhill, professor of Latin and Greek in assembly recently.

Home economics teachers in the public schools of the state were entertained here January 18 and 19. Miss Julia Robertson, associate professor of home economics, is a consultant for this group.

Margaret Hannah, Eleanor Balthis, Alice Kay won the three scholarships offered in piano, voice, and organ by the music faculty.

An exhibit of the etchings of Alfred Huty and Mrs. Elizabeth O'Neil Verner, both of Charleston, S. C., has recently been presented by the Art Club and the Art Department.

## ALUMNÆ NEWS

### ALUMNÆ NOW TEACHING IN NORFOLK

Teachers in the Norfolk City School system who have had some or all of their training in the State Teachers College at Harrisonburg are listed below. After each name is the period of attendance here; thus (4) means graduation with the B. S., (2) graduation in the two-year course, and (S. S.) attendance at summer sessions.

*Maury High School*—Hildegard Barton (2), Virginia Turpin (4), Helen Walker (4).

*Blair Junior High School*—Mary T. Moreland (2-S. S.), Clara E. Pollard (S. S.)

*Ruffner Junior High School*—Louise M. Berryman (S. S.), Mrs. S. E. Bower (1), Helen M. Goodson (4), Leonide L. Harriss (4), Helen M. Lee (4), Bessie C. Mauzy (S. S.), Sybil Page (2), Edna Phelps (4), Bessie Taylor (S. S.), Rachel Taylor (S. S.), Mrs. Annie T. Warwick (S. S.), Lilly H. Williams (S. S.).

*Patrick Henry School*—Annie E. Creekmur (S. S.), Ann E. Gammon (S. S.), Margaret Simmons (2), Fannie Willock (S. S.).

*Robert E. Lee School*—Mrs. Lelia H. Clay (S. S.), Nora O. Mitchell (S. S.),

Virginia Saunders (2), Gertrude Thomson (S. S.), Hazel G. Williams (S. S.)

*George Washington School*—Mrs. Ladora W. Barnett (S. S.), Leota Hollomon (2), Cora C. Johnson (2).

*Robert Gatewood School*—Margaret A. Borden (4), Imogene Montague (1), Hontas Norfleet (2), Margaret Norfleet (2).

*John Goode School*—Margaret Ford (2), M. Elizabeth Terrie (2).

*Stonewall Jackson School*—Esther S. Hackner (2).

*Henry Clay School*—Katherine Bedout (2), Linda Carter (2), Isabel DuVal (2), Lelouise Edwards (2), Mae R. Gatling (2), Delphine Hurst (4), Hannah Lewis (4).

*James Madison School*—Alice Borum (1), Blanche S. Gray (S. S.), Mabel A. Henderson (2), Agnes L. Howard (2), Helen V. Jones (2), L. Eunice Lindsay (2) Virginia M. Milford (2), Mary H. Morris (S. S.), Mabel Rawls (2), Eva L. Watts (2), Belle Westbrook (S. S.).

*John Marshall School*—Margaret A. Cunningham (2), Mrs. Mary E. Rhodes (S. S.).

*James Monroe School*—Helen Brown (2), Estelle Crockin (4), Jessie Dey (S. S.), Lucy Gatling (2), Lannie Mae Phaup (2), Frances Rush (2), Dorothy Stephens (2).

*J. E. B. Stuart School*—Elizabeth M. Bishop (2), Lucy A. Davis (4), Thelma Eberhart (4), Frances Hanbury (2), Louise Harwell (2), Lillian Kegebein (S. S.), Nancy McCaleb (2), Alice Williamson (S. S.), Lily Wood (S. S.).

*Walter H. Taylor School*—Alice R. Denby (1), Sarah C. Douglas (S. S.), Minnie Louise Haycox (2), A. Frances Lester (2), Lucy Mitchell (1), Virginia Stark (4).

*Villa Heights School*—Mrs. Margaret G. Webster (2), Dorothy Lindgren (2).

*Lafayette School*—Margaret Menzel (1), Trixie Musgrave (2).

*Frances E. Willard School*—Bessie J.