

SCHOOL NOTES

Valentine Day was observed in the usual way in the grades.

Ernest Palfrey is a new member of the seventh grade.

The seventh grade has commenced Percentage.

Mrs. Stark visited the fourth and fifth grades last Monday.

The class in Plane Geometry has finished the subject and taken up solid.

We now have a systematic and reputable course in Drawing and the grades are progressing nicely under the supervision of Miss Ostrander.

A number of Photographs of classes at work and recitation rooms was taken last week which will appear in the booklet for our Educational Exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition.

Owing to the change of work in the spelling of the sixth and seventh grades, no one had a perfect spelling lesson last week. The words now studied are more difficult so the definition of each word is to be learned in connection with the word.

The following in Miss Larson's room were perfect in spelling the past week. Second Grade:- Frank Taylor, Hiller Stark, Earl Jefferson, Helen Baker, Ina Jefferson, Mazie Gilmore, Alice Carpenter, Grace Hazlett, Grace Harness, Gladys Philip, Floyd Reynolds. Third Grade:- Georgia Dittes, Elsie Klovstad, Florence Boise, Blanche VanDusen, Almar Stark, Johnnie Carpenter, Blanche Warner, Mamie Milligan.

Program for Rhetoricals Friday afternoon is as follows.

- Chorus.
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| Life of Washington | Arthur Patten. |
| Reading | Maude Laramore. |
| Essay | Ella Nelson. |
| Recitation | Paulina Jefferson. |
| Life of Lincoln | Arthur McLaughlin. |
| Recitation | Bessie Styles. |
| Declamation | Robert Officer. |
- Debate:-Resolved; That Lincoln was greater than Washington. Aff. John Baldwin, Edna Gray, Willie Jacobson. Neg. Lou Bowen, Kate Carleton, Frank Gilmore.

Through the instrumentality of the Board of Education and Superintendent we have been granted an extension of time and all work in the grades will be made up by teaching in June. The children will not be crowded and will have ample time to prepare for their final examination. This seems to be the only solution for the dilemma.