

# SCHOOL NEWS.

Conducted by the Scholars.

The subject which was discussed last Friday evening at the Debating club, was decided in favor of the affirmative. The question being, "Resolved, that the Negro has had more cause of complaint against the Whites than the Indians." Both sides showed great energy in endeavoring to win the laurels, and the debate was the best that has yet been put on the program.

The program for the next meeting is as follows:

Recitation,.....Walter Laramore.

Select Reading,.....Josie Hench.

Debate, "Resolved: that Washington was a greater man than Lincoln."

Affirmative.	Negative.
Bennie Wasem,	Richard Baldwin
Georgia Baker,	Susie Jackson,
Guy Jackson.	Fred Lang.

Reading.... Nettie Van Dusen.

Recitation,.....Harvey Williams.

The first lesson given by Mr. Marsh in the manual training department was taken last Friday afternoon. There is to be one hour devoted to this study every Friday afternoon. The boys seem to be taking hold of it in an earnest manner and the prospects are "success."

The class in the B grade in the high room are on the point of leaving United States History, and will take up bookkeeping immediately after passing the required examination.

B. E. W.

The following is a picture story printed just as it was handed in by a scholar of the fifth grade:

## Johnny.

One day Johnny was restless so he went into the pantry. In the pantry whole row of jam, jellies, pickles and other preserves.

When Johnny saw this he thought he would have a picnic for himself. He saw the cover of the barrel was very thin, the barrel was standing under the shelf, so he could not reach it either.

So he got a chair from the kitchen, and his little stool from the sitting room, as he knew he could not reach the shelf if he did not. He put the chair down just in front of the shelf, then the stool on the chair and got up. He had brought a large spoon so he was ready, Johnny liked jam and commenced on the large can of jam. Now while he was standing there, his mamma not knowing where he was went to hunt.

When she came into the kitchen she thought she heard a noise in the pantry. She supposing it was the cat, went to see.

But what was her surprise on opening the door softly and putting her head in, she saw her own little Johnny, his head almost in the can of jam, he had almost emptied it. Johnny became very sick after eating so much. At the supper table that night his mamma not telling him she saw him put a large plate full of jam at his place. When he saw it he began to cry for he knew he had done wrong, for he told his mamma all about it. But Johnny never cared much for jam after that.

CHRISTINA FISHER.

The following is a letter written by a scholar in the Primary Department:

Hope, N. D., Feb. 2nd, 1892.

Cousin Mabel: I write you a few lines to let you know how nicely I am getting along with my lessons I am through with the Chart, and am part way through the first-reader. How is Laura? she was feeling so badly when I saw her last. I like to go to school I have such a good Teacher. I will close for this time.

MYRTIE.