

SCHOOL DIVISIONS SHOW CONGESTION

Most Modern and Most Neglected Buildings Found in Nos. 10 and 11.

This is the seventh of a series of articles describing the physical features of Washington's public schools...

Nowhere in the District of Columbia can stronger contrasts in school house accommodations be found than in the combined tenth and eleventh divisions of colored elementary schools.

The 21 school houses range from the up-to-the-minute John F. Cooke School, which was completed only several years ago...

Unsurpassed in Congestion. There is the district centering about Tenth and U streets, formerly served by the old Garnet and the Patterson Schools...

Congestion in terms which embrace all the schools of these combined divisions is shown by the existence of 38 part-time graded classes, 13 portables...

The two divisions, further, have only three auditoriums, thus making the complete exercise of present-day educational methods generally impossible.

A building-by-building description of the schools, as seen by a reporter for The Star follows:

Cleveland. Cleveland School, Eighth and T streets—Twelve rooms, four portables, eight part-time classes...

Harrison. Harrison School, Thirteenth and W streets—Eight class rooms, three portables, eight part-time classes...

Wormley. Wormley School, Thirty-fourth and Prospect streets—Eight rooms, total enrollment, 288; total sittings, 310...

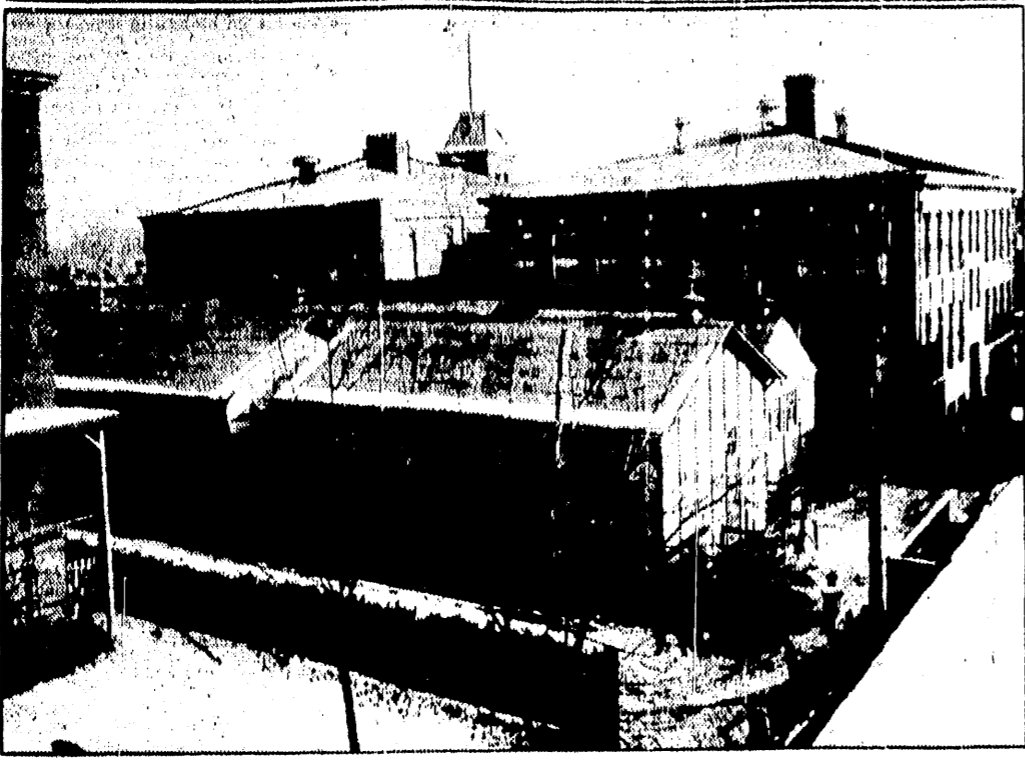
Langston. Langston School, P street near North Capitol street—Eight rooms; total enrollment, 350; total sittings, 326...

Blair. Blair School, P street near First (adjacent to Langston)—Eight rooms; total enrollment, 300; total sittings, 347...

Twining. Twining School, Third street near N—Eight rooms; total enrollment, 187; total sittings, 203...

Wilson. Wilson School, Seventeenth and Euclid streets—Eight class rooms, total enrollment, 304...

CONGESTION AND ANTIQUITY IN DIVISIONS 10-11



Upper: Here's how the Garrison School meets its congestion with six portables. There's not enough playground space left for a game of marbles...

Lower: Another relic of bygone days which Washington school children still are using. Chain Bridge School pupils get water for their every use at this 'communion pump'...

field street—One class room, total enrollment, 25 in one class, including first to seventh grades...

Military Road. Military Road School (near Brightwood)—Four class rooms, total enrollment, 133; total sittings, 177...

Montgomery. Montgomery School, Twenty-seventh and I streets—Eight rooms, total enrollment, 240; total sittings, 219...

Stevens. Stevens School, Twenty-first and K streets—Eighteen regular class rooms, three storerooms, total enrollment, 600...

Briggs. Briggs School, Twenty-second and E streets—Eight rooms, four part-time classes; total enrollment, 283; total sittings, 266...

Bruce. Bruce School, Kenyon street and Sherman avenue—Sixteen class rooms, six part-time classes, total enrollment, 704; total sittings, 724...

Phillips. Phillips School, Twenty-seventh and N streets—Eight rooms; total enrollment, 288; total sittings, 306...

M'KINLEY SENIORS RECEIVE DIPLOMAS

Dr. H. Barrett Learned, Vice President, Education Board, Is Speaker.

Eighty-nine pupils were awarded diplomas at the graduation exercises of McKinley High School last night. Dr. H. Barrett Learned, vice president of the Board of Education, presided and spoke briefly.

The invocation was offered by Rev. Godfrey Chobot, pastor of the Sixth Presbyterian Church. The Tech Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Dore Wallen, played several numbers...

Among the pupils who were awarded diplomas at the graduation exercises were: Minnie Clipker, who completed the course in three years and who won a place in the national high school orchestra...

Boys—Isidore Abramowitz, Elvin Russell Barnett, Lawrence Edwin Bell, Leslie Carl Bell, Willis Alton Benner, James Daniel Bradley, William Oliver Brown...

Virginia Tobacco Output Increases Drop Shown in District and Maryland—Country as Whole Makes Gain.

Tobacco manufactures increased in Virginia, but decreased in the District of Columbia and Maryland during 1929, as compared to 1928...

No More Meters to Click Away Your Dimes The total tax on cigarettes jumped

from \$213,143,138.09 in 1924 to \$377,205,783.91 in 1929. Cigarettes manufactured in this district fell off in tax from \$206.15 in 1928 to \$186.87 in 1929...

OFFICERS WILL RECEIVE ORDNANCE INSTRUCTION Group Will Start Another Phase of Post-Graduate Course at Navy Yard.

About a dozen officers, who have had a year's special instruction at the Naval Academy and later some time at one of the large universities, will start another phase of their post-graduate course...

of the officers have attended Columbia University in New York and some the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, Mich. The officers scheduled to come to the local navy yard will be given special instruction in ordnance during a course that will take them to the naval station at Indian Head, Md., and to the naval proving grounds at Dahlgren, Va.

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