



MR. DWIGHT O. W. HOLMES.

Mr. Dwight O. W. Holmes, Vice-Principal and head of the Department of Sciences of the Colored High School, was born in Lewisburg, West Virginia, November 15, 1877. He is the son of the Rev. John A. Holmes, who, for nearly twenty years, has been pastor of Metropolitan M. E. Church, of this city.

Stanton, Va., and New York City, followed by courses in the Academy and in the College of Arts and Sciences of Howard University, Washington, D. C. He received the degree of A. B. from that institution in 1901, taking first rank in scholarship. During the year immediately following, he studied Education in the Teachers' College at Howard and taught in the Summer High School, St. Louis, Mo. At the Commencement in 1914 his Alma Mater conferred upon him the degree of Master of Arts.

As a result of graduate work pursued at Columbia University, New York City, he holds the degree of Master of Arts from that institution also. While studying there, he came under the instruction of such scholars as John Dewey in Philosophy, Edward L. Thorndike in Psychology and Paul Monroe in Education. His Master's thesis was prepared in consultation with the latter.

Mr. Holmes has taught in the local High School since September, 1902, meanwhile receiving a promotion to the headship of the Department of Sciences in 1906, and to the Vice-Principalship in 1909. During these years he has always taken an active interest in public affairs, having served as President of the General Alumni Association of Howard University from 1911 to 1915, and as President of the Schoolmasters' Club of this City during the first two years of its existence, from 1913 to 1915. At the present time he is President of the Baltimore Educational Association and is connected with several other organizations of a public nature.

The faculty of the High School at present is as follows:

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