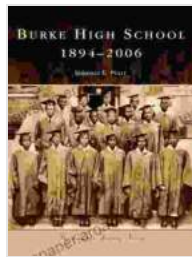


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Burke High School was founded in 1894 as a segregated school for African American students. The school was named after Dr. Robert Alexander Burke, a prominent African American physician and educator who served as the school's first principal. Burke High School quickly became a center of academic excellence, and its graduates went on to achieve great success in a variety of fields.

In 1954, the Supreme Court ruled in *Brown v. Board of Education* that segregation of public schools was unconstitutional. As a result of this ruling,

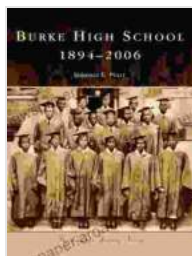
Burke High School was desegregated in 1965. The desegregation of Burke High School was a difficult and challenging process, but the school's administrators and teachers worked hard to create a welcoming and inclusive environment for all students.

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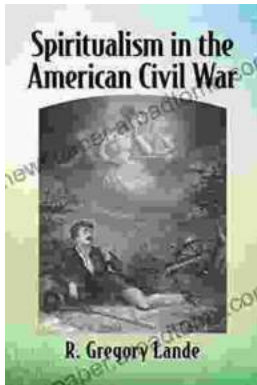


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