

News Of Week At Green Valley School

Dr. I. W. Carpenter, Jr. of the science department of Appalachian State Teachers College was host to our teachers last week at a most interesting tour of portions of the college science building which are of interest to elementary school science teachers. He showed various methods that might be used in demonstrating the existence of pressure to school children, various tests that are used by sanitarians who check the milk, and showed in detail what the college has accomplished in the establishment of a Herbarium. He also showed a simplified method that might be used to develop a similar project in our school. This last demonstration was a follow-up of a previous meeting which Dr. Carpenter conducted in our school.

Our teachers are most interested in this sort of thing and are most thankful to Dr. Carpenter who has given so unselfishly of his time and talents in this field.

The In-Service Committee in our school, Mrs. Paul Winkler, Mrs. Tommy Greene, and Mrs. J. T. C. Wright were responsible for this meeting.

They have plans for meetings in the near future on mathematics and visual-aids.

March of Dimes
Posters were placed on our main bulletin board in the cafeteria this week and charts for individual contributions were posted in each room telling about the campaign for the March of Dimes.

Mrs. Nora Greene is doing a good job of collecting room contributions each day. These are tabulated on a very unique chart to show each room how well it is doing.

Our school and community have always cooperated in a fine way to make this campaign a success and we are sure they will again this year. The parents might be interested in knowing that the system for collecting contributions has been changed by the county

directors this year. The children who solicit you will not be carrying a card as they have in previous years, but they will be just as anxious for you to contribute without a card.

Seed Sale
The selling of seeds in our school is always the first sign of spring. The children have done such a good job this past week. We are anxious to close out all seeds by the end of this week.

Chapel Program
On Friday morning the fourth grade presented "By Magic Carpet" as a chapel program. This was an imaginary trip to visit children in other lands. Those taking part were Janie, Ruth Ellen Moretz; Marilyn, Polly Ann Clawson; Eddie, Ernest Lewis; Barry, Leroy Coffey, Keith Norris, David Brown; Gretchen, a little Dutch girl, Helen Jackson; Hans, a little Dutch boy, Jimmy Greer; Oolak, an Eskimo, Jerry Tester; Lucita, a Mexican girl, Faye Penley; and Jimmy Lookabill the announcer. Keith Miller was in charge of the microphone. Walter Lewis, Paul Bryan, and Lewie Winebarger were in charge of the scenery. Singers were Margaret Moretz, Joyce Ragan, Lois Ragan, L. H. Miller, L. C. Trivette, Roy Miller, Jerry Carroll, June Maine, Albert Miller and Mary Lewis. Carolyn Greene and Roland Jones led the devotional and prayer.

EAST-WEST TRADE
The Eisenhower Cabinet is planning an early meeting, at the request of high Administration officials, to study anew the problem of East-West European trade. The Eisenhower Administration is increasingly worried about the volume of machine tools, electric power equipment and other capital goods which are moving from Western Europe to the Soviet Union and wants to develop plans to curb such sales.

GARDEN TIME

By ROBERT SCHMIDT

We usually think of our supply of garden plants about the time that they should be set in the garden. Then it is too late to grow our own and we must depend on commercial plant growers and seed stores for our supply. This means that we have little choice of varieties and sometimes the quality of the plants is poor.

It is not difficult to grow your own plants if you have a hotbed or coldframe available. A few plants could easily be grown in a shallow box in a kitchen window. It usually takes five to ten weeks to grow plants from seed ready to set out in the garden, depending on the kind of crop and on the temperature and growing conditions.

Hotbeds and coldframes are structures used to grow early plants from seeds for transplanting in the garden after danger of frost is over, or in some cases to give sufficient protection to certain kinds of plants to allow them to mature during the late fall or winter seasons.

A coldframe is built like a hotbed but has no source of heat except the heat from the sun's rays. A hotbed is supplied with some artificial source of heat such as electricity, steam, hot water, hot air or manure.

The frames may be covered with glass sash, cellophane, glass cloth, plastic materials or heavy muslin cloth. Glass sash are the most efficient covers, but they are rather expensive. However, if given good care they will last for many years whereas the other materials will have to be replaced every two or three years. The kind of heat to be used will depend on what is most easily available.

On farms very often manure is easily obtainable. Fresh horse manure is the only kind that will give satisfactory results. Where electricity is available, that is the most efficient and dependable source of heat because it can be controlled by means of a thermostat so that the heat control problem will not be as great as in other types of beds. An electric

hotbed six feet in size will require 60 feet of cable as a heating unit and 2 standard glass sash for cover. A hotbed of this size should grow sufficient warm season plants of all kinds for the average home garden. A coldframe without heat but with glass or other type of cover will take care of the production of most cool season crop plants such as cabbage, lettuce, broccoli and cauliflower.

Control of temperature, watering and ventilation are the important operations in the care of hotbeds and coldframes. Temperatures should not be allowed to go too high, and watering should not be excessive if you wish good plants. Both of these operations are controlled by ventilation as well as by thermostats. Have a good soil thermometer — don't guess at the temperature.

Bulletins on construction and management of hotbeds and coldframes may be obtained by writing the N. C. Extension Service, Department of Horticulture, N. C. State College, Raleigh, N. C.

Servicemen News

IN GERMANY

4th Div., Germany—Army Pvt. Jack Hollars, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hollars, Boone, is serving in Germany with the 4th Infantry Division.

Training received by the "Ivy" division, part of the U. S. Seventh Army, includes intensive maneuvers and realistic field problems.

Private Hollars, a member of the 8th Regiment's Company M, entered the Army in February 1954 and completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C.

ALLIE G. MORETZ SERVING IN GERMANY

U. S. Forces, Germany.—Cpl. Allie G. Moretz, 22, whose wife, Jean Dorothy, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Moretz, live in Deep Gap, N. C., is serving with the 7811th Army Unit in Germany.

Moretz, a quartermaster supply specialist with the unit's Bad Kissingen Installation, entered the Army in March 1953, and joined the unit in February 1954.

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