

Hospital Serves Over 2 Thousand From Jan To Sept

74 Patients Per Day
Receive Hospital Care

The regular monthly meeting of the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors of Moore County Hospital was held Wednesday evening, September 25. Routine reports were made and also preliminary plans for the expansion of the Hospital plant were discussed. Further consideration of these plans as well as other matters was deferred until

the next regular meeting of the full Board to be held the latter part of October.

Figures of Hospital occupancy for the first eight months of 1946 and 1945 were submitted. These indicate that, in spite of the closing of a nurses' station during the 1946 period on account of the shortage of nurses, the average daily patient count had dropped off only a little over 6 percent.

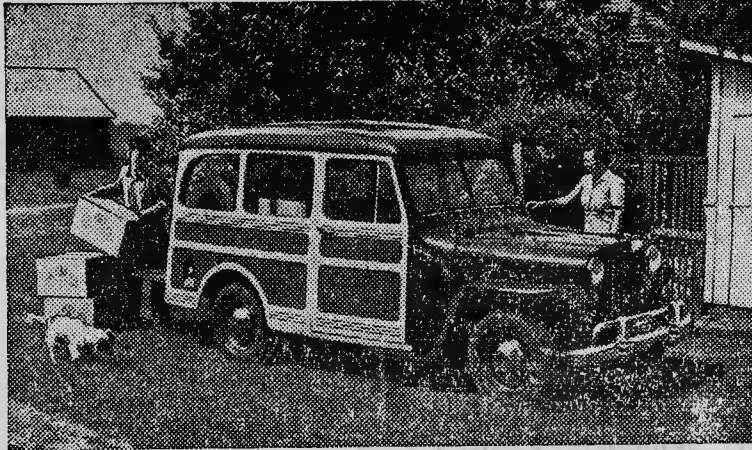
Number of Patients: Jan. 1st to Aug. 31st (1946) 2148; (1945) 2189.

Number of Patients Days: Jan. 1st to Aug. 31st (1946) 18,021; (1945) 19,135.

Patient Daily Average: Jan. 1st to Aug. 31st (1946) 74; (1945) 78.8.

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PINEBLUFF

W S C S

The Womans Society of the Methodist Church met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Howard Troutman. Mrs. W. R. Griffin was in charge of the program. At the close of the meeting the hostess served cookies and coffee.

Home From Hospital

Mrs. Earl Lampley returned home Monday from the Moore County Hospital where she was a patient for several days.

Mr. Lee Tyner is home from the Moore County Hospital after

undergoing a tonsilectomy.

Has Discharge

Mr. W. S. Eckersley, of Fort Bragg has his discharge and is home with his family.

Class Meets

The Friendship Class of the Methodist Church held its regular monthly meeting Friday night at the home of Mrs. J. L. Deyoe with seventeen members present. Mrs. Louis Marts had the Devotion Topic "Faith." The president, Mrs. Grace Pickler presided over the business meeting, after which a game was enjoyed.

The hostess served tea-cakes, nuts, and during the social hour passed delicious grapes.

Mrs. H. A. Fidler of Danbury, Conn. has returned to her home after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. John Fiddner, Sr.

Mrs. George Roberts of Rockingham returned home Friday after a two week visit with her sister, Mrs. Katherine Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McCaskill of Baltimore, Md. left Friday after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garland McCaskill.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Brooks of Savannah, Ga. are spending some time here with his mother, Mrs. Katherine Brooks.

Mrs. H. O. Queen left Sunday for Jacksonville, Fla., where she will spend a month with relatives.

Mrs. Beulah Sernoffsky of Buffalo, N. Y., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Alpert.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Carpenter left Wednesday for Portland, Ind. to spend some time with Mrs. Carpenter's brother, Mr. James Tarlton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rarden and

family of Kentucky are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rarden.

Howard Rarden of Oak Ridge spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rarden.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Stewart returned home Monday after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Buchan of Morehead City.

Miss Marguerite Deyoe of Fayetteville spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Deyoe.

Miss Gale Meanor and a friend of Greensboro spent the weekend with Miss Meanor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Meanor.

Sgt. "Red" Short of Raleigh visited Thornton Little Sunday.

Friends of Mr. J. F. Bufkin regret to learn that he is in the Moore County Hospital suffering from injuries received Saturday morning in a car accident near Pinehurst.

Robert J. Williams spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Williams.

Bill Meritt of Louisburg visited Bob Griffin Sunday.

Miss Ruth and Neil Yarborough of Jonesboro and Mr. Dan Williams of Wilmington visited Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Combs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector Lee and children of Burlington spent the weekend with Mrs. Lee's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Combs.

Mrs. June High and son Alton of Wadesboro, spent Sunday with Mrs. Katherine Brooks.

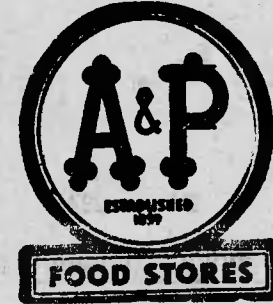
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Seago and children of Hoffman spent Sunday with Mrs. Maggie Holder.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Edwards and daughter Julia of Charlotte spent Sunday with Mrs. Ethel Edwards.

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