

SCIENCE AT MILLS HIGH SCHOOL

By C. R. Pruette

We come to the end of our first grading period in the science classes and sincerely hope that the students have accomplished the following:

- (a) A feeling and a need for science.
(b) An assimilation of certain science concepts.
(c) An understanding and knowledge of textual information presented to them.
(d) An ability to associate certain principles learned to every day problems.
(e) A desire for truth and experimentation.
(f) An appreciation for science itself, as well as the fact that the state, county, community, and parents have made possible this essential study.

General Science
For the past few days, the General Science class has been studying the many types of apparatus used in a science laboratory. The learning and recognition of each piece of apparatus presented was soon mastered, enabling the student to understand the various steps taking place in an experiment.

- Experiments performed up to date have had five concrete parts:
(1) Name of experiment.
(2) Materials or apparatus used.
(3) Procedure.
(4) Results.
(5) Conclusion.

Biology
The thirty-five students taking biology have for the last week spent most of their time in the laboratory doing work which would help them to better understand the circulatory system of man. Some of work presented in lab was as follows:

- (a) Dissection and study of a calf's heart.
(b) Dissection and study of the circulatory system in a frog.
(c) Observation through a microscope of the circulation of blood in a tadpole's tail.
(d) Examination of corpuscles under the microscope.
(e) Examination of many other slides dealing with the circulation of the blood.

The department wishes to thank Joseph Holmes for his gift of a frog, and also Page Ann Bunn and Annie Moon for their gift of a calf's heart.

- Physics
The physics class for the last week have studied the following:
(1) ejector principle.
(2) principle of the atmosphere.
(3) principles of lift pump.
(4) principles of force pump.
(5) worked problems on compression of gases.
(6) study of Boyle's J-tube in relation to air pressure.

Eighth Grade Science Boys
Discussions of snakes has been the center of our attention for some time now. Upon conclusion of this subject the boys will begin the study of our solar system.

Two Richmond County farmers removed 10 dozen medium-size eggs from a lot of 120 dozen. The remaining 110 dozen graded Grade A Large and sold for an extra \$4.40.

Research has indicated that the meat of exercised cattle is more tender than that of cattle having little opportunity to move about.

RESOLUTIONS

Whereas, It has pleased the Great Creator of the Universe to call Sister Lois Mitchell from labor on earth to rest and immortality above; therefore be it resolved:

That we acknowledge the wisdom and goodness of our Heavenly Father, and bow in humble submission to the inevitable edict from above; yet we mourn the death of our sister as of one whom we shall never more meet until we join her on high, where she has preceded us; and we deplore her loss to the Order of the Eastern Star, to her family and friends and to the community in which she lived.

She was a just and upright member of our Chapter, a kind wife and mother, an honorable and useful citizen in her community, a sincere friend, and courteous and obliging neighbor, a person who endeavored always to perform every duty to her God, her country, her family, her neighbor, honestly, faithfully and well.

Resolved: That in token of our sincere friendship and sympathy in the dark hour of this great affliction, and as a pledge of our fidelity to the memory of our departed sister, we extend to the bereaved husband and children, our love and best wishes, with assurance from the Green Ray of our Star that there is immortality and that they will be again reunited, and admonish them to say as was said to Martha "Believest thou this?"

Resolved; that a copy of this resolution be spread upon the minutes of Wellons Chapter No. 167, O. E. S., a copy sent to the family of Sister Mitchell, a copy sent to the FRANKLIN TIMES, one to the Henderson Daily Dispatch, and one to the Tar Heel News.

The above resolution was duly passed at a regular meeting of Wellons Chapter No. 167, O. E. S. on October 18th, 1944.

HARVEST DAY

The FRANKLIN TIMES is requested to announce that the annual Harvest Day sale and supper of the Duke Memorial Church will be held at the Justice Community House on November 3rd, beginning at 3:30 in the afternoon. Supper will be served from 6 to 8 o'clock. There will be both barbecue and chicken plates. Everyone is cordially invited to be present.

The U. S. output of chicks by commercial hatcheries in September was slightly more than half the record output of last year.

WOOD'S WILL

A community is pretty much like a person. There are a whole lot of folks that do some mighty good things in this world and you never hear about them. It's the same way with a community. Now out at WOOD the folks have been worried about their school. It seemed like there weren't enough kids to keep the school open on a two teacher basis. Well, a committee made a survey and they thought they had the beginners lined up so there would be enough, but after school got started somehow or other the attendance was still too low. After due consideration it looked like the folks would have to abide with a one teacher school, quit OR pay for the extra teacher themselves. It certainly was a matter that would have to have the backing of the folks in the community so the committee decided to put it up to them and whatever was decided would be the plan. The result of these folks decision is what this is all about, because when it was put up to them they didn't want a one teacher school, they wouldn't quit but they did dig down in their overall pockets to back up their desires for a two teacher school. At the meeting at the WOOD SCHOOL Thursday night, Oct. 12th, they had enough cash on the barrel-head to pay for the extra teacher for the whole year. Now isn't that something!

Friday night they had their first PTA meeting with Bunn Shearin presiding as President. You know Bunn thought he couldn't make a go of that job when he was nominated. He looked right dignified up in front of the folks. And that isn't all he conducted a swell meeting. Mrs. Mary Fuller also sat up in front as the Secretary and while Bunn isn't so pretty to look at Mary sort of made up for his natural deficiency.

It's surprising the things that will happen when folks get together in the good old American way and really put their shoulder to the wheel and push. For instance, after the meeting broke

up the folks were still standing in the aisle. It looked like they weren't quite ready to go home but still didn't know whether they had any more business to attend to or not. Somebody suggested that we sing a song before the meeting broke up. Well, they stood in the aisle for a solid hour and sang not one but song after song and when they finally did break up everybody was laughing and felt fine.

It's just beginning but there are bigger and better things that are going to take place out at WOODS. If you hear of a doings that's going to take place at WOOD you better come on over if you don't want to miss the fun.

On the wall of the church at WOODS is a picture of the congregation taken in front of the church some little while ago. There must have been well over three hundred folks in that picture. To look at the attendance now it is hard to believe that there are that many folks in the community, let alone that many attending the church and Sunday school. Still things are happening at WOODS and there were quite a few more attending the Sunday school and the church than there were the Sunday before. The best part about it is that more and more of the folks are beginning to realize that they haven't been attending and they

are coming back. Wouldn't it be swell to see the church full again. Preacher Turner gave a good sermon Sunday. He seems to have a knack at picking a topic that is timely and then presenting it in a way that is easy to understand. His sermon was about our Allies. We have Allies on the battlefronts and by their cooperation and help we are winning the fight against international evil. The preacher's sermon explained how we also had Allies individually and collectively when we called upon God for his cooperation and that our faith in his help and our fighting for his ideals would help us win our battle against sin and evil in our community. Believe me when the Preacher started shaking his finger under my nose I could feel the little sinner in me start shaking his boots.

We had the following visitors in the community last Sunday: Louise Browne, Ruby Thomas Allsbrook and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Horton, Mrs. Arch Perry, Corporal Murray, Weldon Jones, among others who got away before we had a chance to see who they were.

There will be a Hallowe'en party at the school next Monday night and we hope folks will feel welcome to come. A program is planned and we think everyone that comes will have a good time.

—Reporter.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Revenue's Rolling In— From Manteo to Murphy

"Well, colonel, I see that the beer industry paid considerably over \$8,000,000 taxes in the state last fiscal year," Abner Aiken said to Colonel Bain when he was in town recently.

Colonel Bain's the beer committee's state director, you know.

"Big money, I call it," he went on. "Legitimate revenue that we should see is protected. And I, for one, am glad to see you protectin' it."

"Your self-regulation program, backed as it is by just about all

the beer retailers, is a great idea.

"Clean people, conductin' business in a clean way—that's what appeals to Tarheel folks. Power to you, colonel. And power to you postwar, too—when we'll really need this tax money!"

From where I sit, Abner spoke mighty good sense. What's more, I believe all you taxpayers—from Manteo to Murphy—feel just the way I do about it, too!

Joe Marsh

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