

Newton Grove School News

Our Halloween Carnival was a great success last Friday night. Supper was sold by the Home Economics Department. A free program was presented, after which everyone enjoyed playing bingo, fishing, or going through the "House of Horrors."

Joe Hamilton and Teresa Byrd were crowned "King and Queen" of "Babyland". Jane Adams and Hurley Hart were runners up.

Patrick Gregory, of the tenth grade and Mary John Dunn, of the twelfth grade, were winners of the popularity contest.

Everyone had a wonderful time.

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at the high school party which was given by Mrs. R. R. Warwick at House's Mill last Wednesday afternoon, October 24.

The entertainment provided was skating, which was interrupted just long enough for the students to roast a sufficient number of wieners and marshmallows to curb those insatiable after school appetites.

A Halloween program was given Thursday, October 25, by the sixth grade. The program was well presented and it was very good. Mrs. Eerdie Herring is sixth grade teacher.

The Seniors picked cotton last Friday for Mr. I. A. Barefoot. They made \$32.00, which they contributed to the baby contest.

Ralph Williford is being missed at school these days. He is in Duke Hospital where he has undergone an operation. We hope he will be able to come back to school soon.

The Seniors have received their play books and are trying to decide on the characters. The Juniors are coming along very well with their play. They have started practicing it at night, so maybe it will not be

Mingo School News

By FRANCES DAWSON

Shirlee Marie Strickland will hold the title for "Miss Mingo" and Jimmy Jackson will hold the title for "Mr. Mingo" for '51 and '52.

Shelby Tew, what are you doing with that turkey you won at the Halloween Carnival? Don't let him get away!

Gladys, we're expecting you to make a good basketball player, now that you have a basketball of your own.

Hey, Shirlee and Mary Lou, who was that from Tennessee on the green Dodge?

By the way, Patsy, have you found your bracelet? Just keep looking.

L. F. N. H. M. S., and P. L. S., who were your boy friends Sunday night?

It seems that L. N. is beginning to like J. T.

Mary Lou, what are you going to do now that J. E. is gone—stay home and wait or find you another one?

Hey, Berline, we know you had a good dinner Sunday, especially after winning that cake.

Aldridge, have you found your French book? Remember you can't study without a book.

Helen Jean has a pair of dark-rimmed glasses. You look very cute in them, Helen. —?

The Juniors play books have come, so I guess rehearsals will soon get under way.

Helen Jean and Patsy have been wearing football necklaces lately. Do you think they are really girls?

Joyce how do you like your new job?

4H Achievement Day for Sampson County is not far off. Mingo is proud of its county and state winners.

PLANT IS KILLER

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP)—A colorful shrub that grows along our highways is a deadly killer. Less than 2-10 of an ounce of oleander leaves will kill a 1,000 pound animal, according to the University of California's agricultural college.

too long before they will give it.

The Seniors had the pleasure of selecting their invitations Tuesday. We think they are very pretty. Now they are looking forward to deciding on their diplomas and caps and gowns. It seems that Harold Warren is interested in buying a diploma which has already been signed, if anyone has one for sale.

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Buies Creek School News

Anybody want to know how to get ads for their school annually? Just put up a \$5,000 prize for one who brings in the largest amount. That's what is going on at Buies Creek High School, and the race between two seniors is really growing hot. Agnes Mangum is leading Billy Rogers by \$25 to \$54. It seems to be a race between the boys and girls rather than an individual affair, with the girls contributing to Agnes and the boys to Billy. Before the ad collecting is ended, the race should really be hot.

It's Halloween, folks, and you are invited to attend the annual carnival at Buies Creek on Friday night. There will be everything from waffles to pumpkin pie. The doors will open at 5:30, and there will be entertainment of all kinds, including a floor show. Refreshments will be served in the school cafeteria. Contest of various sorts are already under way. The final judging will take place on the stage Friday night. Sounds as though fun is in the making for everyone, so come out and enjoy yourself.

It's cigars from Mr. Parker! He is the proud father of a 7 1/2 pound baby daughter, born Wednesday morning, October 24 at the Erwin Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Parker named their second daughter Brenda Grace.

SEVENTH GRADE: How interested we have been in the colonial settlement we are making in history! The cabins, lookout towers, church, and blacksmith shop are made from cornstalks. The cabins, lookout towers, and church have roofs of cornstalks, but the two boys who built the blacksmith shop used construction paper for variety. We filled the cracks and built our chimneys of clay.

Some of us even made men and women from clothespins. We drew a face, pasted on hair, made dresses, aprons, and bonnets for the women, and coats and pants for the men. Others carved boats from soap or modeled things from modeling clay.

Two boys made a splendid covered wagon from modeling clay and paper. We are going to cover our table with paper on which the roads have been painted. For a lake we are going to use glass. We would like for you to come out and see our exhibit when it is finished.

Meadow School News

FHA CLUB

The Home Economics girls are making plans for organizing an FHA Club. The Future Homemakers of America is a club for girls who are taking Home Economics this year, and for those who have taken Home Economics in previous years.

SCHOOL NEWS PAPER

The junior class of Meadow High published the first issue of the school paper, "The Meadowmark," Wednesday, October 21. The junior boys hope that everyone liked it and are striving for a much better paper in the future.

CHAPEL PROGRAM

Meadow High wishes to extend congratulations to Mr. Gibbon's tenth grade class for its fine chapel program of October 25. Sophomores, you really did a swell job!

CAT PUT ON FEET

GREENWICH, Conn. (AP)—Mittens, a four-year-old house cat, figured she had eight lives left after an emergency operation pulled her through from the effects of a gangland-style shooting by two teen-age youths who fled the scene in a car.

PAINT NOT SO GOOD

PLATTSBOROUGH, Neb. (AP)—James Boswell, a painter from Tennessee, went to jail on the complaint of a Nebraska farmer. The farmer paid Boswell \$600 for painting a barn. A week later it rained and the barn returned to its original color.

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