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Mary Stewart School News

ON HALLOWE'EN

For many days before Halloween we were preparing for the fun of Halloween. Every one of Mrs. Skinner's pupils made yellow and black hats. Sue Barefoot, Donnie McLamb and Dwight Coats, brought corn for a contest.

For games, we played bobbing for apples, ridding pennies, guessing corn, pinning the cat's tail on, toothpick contest, chewing string for gum-stick and reviewing of costumes.

Poems were given by Sue Barefoot, Brenda Allen, Dorothy Ferrell, Helen McLamb and Carolyn Franks.

Jokes and riddles were told by Fave Lee. The winners were Sue Barefoot, Billy McLamb, Carleton Barbour and Gayle Holmes.

The refreshments that were served were soft drinks, candy, popcorn, cakes, gum and suckers. Our guest was the music teacher, Mr. B. L. Frink.

Meta Penny brought a box of candy to celebrate her birthday.

Sue Barefoot, 4th and 5th grades.

OUR VISITOR

We had a visitor yesterday. He was Mr. Kelly. Lehman told a story for him, then he told us a story. We liked it very much. We want him to come back to see us and tell us another story.

Pat Moore, 2nd Grade.

OUR ENGLISH TABLE

In our room it was hard for us to learn the different parts of speech. So we let this be our project. We built a town and called it Speechville. We gave each part of speech a personal name and built houses for them. We made figures to represent each part of speech.

Different people learned what the parts of speech were and made up a paragraph to express them. Different people said the parts in front of the room as a little play. It made our English much easier and was a lot of fun.

Gen'va Holmes 7th grade.

AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK

The week of November 11th-17th is American Education Week. We will invite our parents to visit Mary Stewart School during that week. We are planning to have a party for our parents too. The seventh grade will have their party in their room. So parents, come to see us!

Frances Johnson 7th Grade

SCIENCE CORNER

We have a science corner in our room. We collected things from the woods and mostly anything else we found in other places. We now have a collection of snake shells, arrow heads, grass hoppers, hornets, weather beaten rocks, glass rocks, and aquarium with fish in it. We take good care of the fish too. We have a turtle too, and we take good care of him.

James Kilby Strickland 7th Grade

OUR CIRCUS

We had a circus. We invited the children from Mrs. Burn's and Mrs. Milam's rooms to see our circus.

Carolyn Sue Beasley sold balloons. Barbara Ann Tanner was the zoo keeper. The funny clowns were Garry Lee, Bill Shaw, James Harvey, Johnson, Johnny Core, Carl Smith, Golden Ray Barefoot, Shelton Wilkins, James Ralph Lee and Junior Barefoot. The dancing girls were Becky Barbour, Judy Lee, Edith Wilkins, Barbara Jean Butler, and Helen Griffen.

A funny animal play was given too. The players were: Pur Puss, Patsy Wood; Creepy Mouse, Janice Barefoot; Funny Bunny, Sandra Butler; Quack-quack, Mary Sue Stewart; Dancing Duck, Sue Caudie; The Old Witch, Brenda Parker. Everyone had fun.

Betsy Sue Stafford 1st and 2nd grades

OUR MUSEUM

The sixth grade of Mary Stewart School has a museum. We have made or brought in interesting things. Once in a while we get something we would like to tell about. I like to tell about the coral. It comes from tiny animals called polyps that live in the bottom of the ocean. Wilma Nordon of our class brought it in. We want to know more about the things we have, we look them up in our Encyclopedias or read about them in our science or reading. We like our museum very much.

Some of the things which are in our museum are many kinds of insects, stones, seed hitchhikers, many different sizes of arrow heads, shells, spears, bows and arrows, many kinds of rocks such as weathered rocks. All of our things are classified and have labels on them which tell what they are, where they were found, and who brought them in.

Judy Laughter 6th grade

OUR ART WORK

In Mrs. Godwin's sixth grade room at Mary Stewart. We have the most interesting lessons and art. We have painted Indians, Daniel Boone, autumn scenes and many other pictures.

We also like to study art appreciation. Pictures we like best are Sir Galahad, Blue Boy and The Boy With The Rabbit.

Corbett Lee Smith 6th grade

HALLOWE'EN PARTY

On Halloween, Mrs. Ezell gave us a party. We had a fish pond. It was 10¢ to fish for the 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th grades, and 5¢ for the lower grades. Gladys and I stood at the door, and collected money. Jimmy and Gale stood at the door and told them how many times they were to fish.

The money will be used for play ground equipment. After the fishing, we ate lunch. We had the ladies to keep our popovers until we had our party. We had drinks, cakes, popovers, and chewing gum. We played many different games and had a very exciting time.

Elizabeth Allen 7th grade

SENIOR MASCOTS

Mascots of the senior class this year are Brooks Best and Jane Adams. Brooks is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Braxton Best of Dunn. Jane is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Adams of Newton Grove.

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Meadow School News

The Halloween Carnival last Wednesday night proved to be fun everyone. First, there was a program given by the grammar grades, and a costume contest followed. Mr. Ayden Barefoot was voted "Most Henpecked Man." Winners of the Baby Contest were Brenda Smith first place, James Robert Lee second place, and Tony Massengill third place.

In the gym there was fun and refreshments for all. The highlight of the evening was the crowning of Mr. and Mrs. Meadow of 1951. There were twelve girls in the Popularity Contest. Each grade sponsored a girl.

Miss Henrietta Hood, a Freshman, won the Popularity Contest. Her escort was Steven Morris, a Senior, who was crowned king as she was crowned queen.

SENIOR PLAY

The Senior Class of Meadow High School will present a play, "Brides to Burn," Friday, November 16, at 7:30.

SCHOOL PICTURES

The pictures the photographers took when they were at Meadow on September 17 arrived last week. Everyone seems to be satisfied with the results.

Newton Grove School News

The 4-H Club of Newton Grove School is getting underway this year with its usual boys' leader, J. P. Burch. We are very happy to have Margaret Powell as our new assistant home agent and leader for the girls' 4-H Club. Presiding over the meeting was Jean Thornton, who appointed a nominating committee to elect our officers of the following year. This committee consists of Cori Ellen Laughter, Agnes Atkins, and Charles Jackson. Interesting reports of the 4-H Camp Trip were given by Jaxie Warwick, Faye McClenny and Olivia Britt. We were very proud of our 4-H members receiving county awards.

WORKING ON ANNUAL

We seniors are beginning to make a start on our annuals. The name decided for the annual is "Grove Echo." The annual staff is as follows: Editor, Jean Thornton; assistant editor, Iris Clay Massey; business manager, Margaret Hudson; advertising manager, Clayton Barefoot.

Our boys have been doing a swell job of selling ads. They have brought in a nice sum of money. So far, with only one day's work, they have made \$111.00.

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Westbrook School News

By Jean Daughtry, Shirley Strickland, and Dixie Hudson. Everybody enjoyed the Halloween Carnival last Wednesday night. The King and Queen for 1951 are Mildred Raynor and Johnny Williams.

The Beta Club was organized last Friday. The officers are President-Donald Barefoot, Vice President-John Bass, Secretary-Ina Paite Tart, Treasurer-Helen Faye Bass, and News Reporter-Flora Mae Naylor. There are twenty three members. The members are running a store to make money for a trip to Washington, D. C. next spring.

Everybody is on pins waiting for our new ball suits to come so we can have a ball game other than our practice games with Newton Grove. The weather is just fine for a game even if the gym is cold. Our captain on the girls team is Betty Mae Strickland.

CHATTER AROUND WESTBROOK

Shirley Strickland and Dixie Hudson are sporty with a "W" on their coats.

Joyce and Robert Lee sure are a cute couple.

By the way, Wynell has a new watch from her boy friend in the Air Force.

Jean sure fooled the crowd as a fortune teller at the Halloween Carnival.

We're glad to have Mrs. Smith as our music teacher this year. Boy she has some dumb students.

Why does Shirley like Gardner's Milk so good?

Where are all those apples Dixie eats coming from?

Elsie and Marion are sporting a Buick these hard days.

Wonder how Margaret and that guy from Newton Grove are doing these days.

We sure do enjoy working for our ball coaches Mr. Nix and Mr. Cannady.

Viole and Junior are cute in that Pontiac.

Love birds are Ina and Sherwood.

The Seniors are sponsoring a "Talent Contest" November 16, 1951, which is Friday night week. Don't miss it!

Does the ninth grade know who Sug is? Jean doesn't.

Coats Teen Corner

By SHIRLEY NORRIS and GLENDA FARRISH. Faye Dean, we hope you had a nice time Sunday night carrying Max back to school. We bet Max did too.

Betty we're sorry Joe broke two of his fingers, but the mall still comes through.

Although T. J. is in the Army Joe Ann is still true to him and we're sure he is also Jody.

Hey, Mary Helen whose the new boy, friend?

One of our friends was visiting relatives the other day. She gazed long and earnestly at their well-filled bookshelves then exclaimed: "We get books from the library too, but we always take ours back."

By the way Ray G. whose the

Coats High School News

SENIOR PLAY CAST

"Comin' Round the Mountain" is the title of the three-act comedy that has been chosen by the seniors as their class play. "Comin' Round the Mountain" is a truly novel comedy of funny doings in the backwoods of the mountain country down south. Those taking part in the cast are: Maw Jean Hawley Paw D. C. Ryals Corney Bell Melvia Williams Dizzy Mae Laura Grace Ennis Curly Marvin McLean Sammy Dennis Pope Ellie Lou Becky Upchurch Zeke Jimmy Vaughn Robert Bruce Frederick Byrd Carol Hughes Sue Langdon Doris Dean Lela Ruth Cobb Ed Small Maynard Moran The play is to be directed by Miss Edith Allen.

BETA CLUB INDUCTION

The Coats Chapter of the National Beta Club, using the Rainbow Induction Ceremony, accepted three new members into the club Thursday, November 1. The students accepted, all of whom are seniors, are: Bobbie Gray Turlington, Delano Whittington and Dennis Pope. Mr. R. Hal Smith, our principal, congratulated the new members for their achievement and commended them.

SUPERLATIVES CHOSEN

The seniors met Monday, October 29 for the purpose of choosing the superlatives and the remaining class officers. The following were chosen: Names of the Annual Echo Class Flower Red Rose Motto-The ladder you build is the ladder you climb. Colors Black and Gold Poet Maynard Moran Testator Donnie Pollard

girl friend in Erwin? We mean the one who all the songs are played for. Come on tell us about her.

By the way all you guys and gals, our Teen-Age Club has been reorganized and we're meeting every Friday night. Mr. Coyte Lanier will be our new leader and we're sure everyone will be glad to have him. We're all going to Miss Joyce so we'd like to thank her sincerely for all the work she's helped us with. So let's everyone of you come out and join in the fun. We're sure everyone will have a swell time.

Doris G. sure has a pretty watch band. We couldn't guess who gave it to her, but we bet she could tell us.

A certain blond had just told a wolfish G. I. she wouldn't go out with a perfect stranger. "Don't worry babe," the G. I. grinned, "I'm not perfect."

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Neatest: Shirley Gregory and Frederick.
Most Dependable: Becky Upchurch and Raymond Jernigan.
Laziest: Whole Senior Class.

HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL
9th Grade: Irona Avery, Sylvia Avery, Billy Barnes, Charlotte Ferrell, Sue Johnson, Glenn Lewis, Ann Page, Rebecca Weaver, Joyce Williams.
10th Grade: Allie Mag Barnes, Larry Barnes, T. J. Barnes, Donald Blalock, Hettie Jean Byrd, Ann Pleasants, Helen Sears, Bobby Smith, Margie Sorrell.
11th Grade: Kathleen Cobb, Willie Carol Honeycutt, Henry Jackson.
12th Grade: Edna Avery, Dorothy Barnes, Ruth Denning, Jean Hawley, Sue Langdon, Peggy Senter, Becky Upchurch.

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