

County School Attendance Improving

School attendance in Moore County continues to improve, as indicated by the statement below. The following is a list of the long term schools showing the membership and percentage in attendance for the first month of the scholastic year 1930-31 in comparison with the percentage in attendance in the same schools for the corresponding month of a year ago:

Pinehurst	1	355	97.5	92
Elise	2	100	97.4	98
Southern Pines	3	369	97.4	93
Ingram Branch	4	19	37	89
Eureka	5	212	96	37
Jackson Springs	6	57	36	96
Roseland	7	20	95.5	84
Cameron	8	312	95.3	94
Vass-Lakeview	9	396	95	88
Aberdeen	10	408	95	95
Carthage	11	500	94.7	96
West End	12	256	94	92
Eagle Springs	13	120	91.4	92
Glendon	14	120	91.4	92
Total		3175	94.3	91.4
Increase			2.9	

REVIVAL SERVICES AT VASS HAVE PROMISING START

At the first service of the week's series at the Vass Presbyterian church on last Sunday evening, the church was filled with people from throughout this section and a wonderful service was held. A choir of more than sixty voices from the various churches of the town, Lakeview, Cypress and Union was led by B. R. Brigham and many of the old favorites were sung. These and the two solos by Mr. Brigham proved most inspiring.

The services will continue each evening at 7:30 o'clock, ending with the Sunday evening service which will bring to a close a four weeks' campaign in the four churches served by the Rev. C. A. Lawrence.

On Friday evening, the Rev. Mr. Barber of Aberdeen will bring a special message to the young people and while the young people are urged to be present, all others are invited also. At 3:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon a service for men only will be held, and it is hoped that every man who can will be present for this service.

BABY LEWIS WANTS MILK

The Rev. Charles A. Lawrence had the misfortune to lose his fine cow last week by death. She had been ill only a short time. When baby Lewis was told that the cow was dead and there would be no more nice milk, he looked very sober for an instant, then said: "Daddy get nunner cow, sometime."

SCHOOLS TO OBSERVE EDUCATION WEEK

A publication, giving many suggestions for making the program for the observance of American Education Week in the public schools on November 10-16, has just been issued by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction and is being sent today to all county and city school superintendents for distribution to teachers, principals and supervisors.

This bulletin contains material outlined day with reference to the general program of the week and suggestions as to its adoption to the needs of the local community. The general program as outlined is as follows:

- Monday, Nov. 10—The Schools and the Enrichment of Human Life.
- Tuesday, Nov. 11—How Schools Promote Patriotism and World Understanding.
- Wednesday, Nov. 12—The Schools of Yesterday.
- Thursday, Nov. 13—The Schools of Today.
- Friday, Nov. 14—What the Schools Have Helped the Individual to Achieve.
- Saturday, Nov. 15—What the Schools Have Helped American to Achieve.
- Sunday, Nov. 16—The Schools of Tomorrow and the Future of America.

The bulletin also contains an introduction by State Supt. A. T. Allen setting forth the aims and purposes of American Education Week, and "A Message to North Carolina Teachers and School Patrons" from Governor O. Max Gardner.

Moore will receive \$14,000 as second installment of the State Equalizing Fund.

CARTHAGE

Clement Barrett has returned from New York for a short visit with his sister, Mrs. Henry Hill.

D. A. Blue of Southern Pines was in town Monday.

Miss Catherine Shields of Salisbury is at home due to the illness of her father. Friends are glad to know that Dr. Shields is improving after having had a slight stroke of paralysis.

Mrs. T. C. Black of Jonesboro was in town Monday visiting Mrs. Flora Black.

Miss Louise Williams spent the week-end in Dunn with her mother. Mrs. Stuart Evans and Miss Agnes Evans of Hemp were in Carthage Monday.

Union Spence, Harvey Lee Miller and Otis Baker were at home for the week-end from the University, where they are students.

Miss Margaret McLeod spent the week-end in Rockingham visiting relatives.

Mrs. M. J. McPhail of Sanford, was a Carthage visitor Monday.

Miss Masel Frye, a member of the Irwin School faculty, spent the week-end in Carthage.

Miss Rozelle Williams, who is a student at Greensboro College, and Miss Catherine Blue, who is a student at Flora McDonald, were at home for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Carter spent the week-end in Madison with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Wallace attended the Lee County Fair Thursday.

Mrs. J. L. Currie, Mrs. Ella Thom, Misses Mary Currie, Bess Lewis and Nell Robinson spent Saturday in Raleigh.

Mrs. L. P. Tyson and daughter, Ruth and Jane spent Saturday in Charlotte.

Misses Bess Lewis and Nell Robinson of Sanford were the attractive house guests of Miss Mary Currie over the week-end.

The Carthage Woman's Club will meet November 6th, at the home of Mrs. W. H. Currie.

Mrs. W. E. Bartlett returned Friday from a visit in Charlotte.

Mrs. Raleigh Mabe has returned from the Moore County hospital after an operation for tonsils.

Mrs. J. K. Rose, who has been in Moore County hospital for several weeks has returned home and is doing nicely.

J. H. Myrick and Mrs. Doyle Riddle, who have been in Moore County Hospital, have returned to their home and are both doing nicely.

J. S. Caddell of Sanford spent a few days with his brother, W. N. Caddell.

Mrs. M. J. McPhail of Sanford and Mrs. T. C. Black of Jonesboro were in Carthage Monday.

Miss Katherine Shields is at home for a few days with her father, who has been ill.

Miss Katherine Blue, who is in Flora McDonald College spent the week-end at home.

Miss Rose Bosser was the house guest of Miss Katherine Shields for the week-end.

Mrs. R. L. Phillips, Miss Judith Wainer and Miss Eliza Green spent the week-end in Raleigh with Miss Elizabeth Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Evans and Miss Agnes Evans were in Carthage Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Graves and Mrs. W. G. Brown has returned from Charlotte. Mrs. Graves is very much improved in health friends will be glad to know.

Social Items

Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Barringer, Ruth Barringer was hostess to a number of her little friends at a rook party. The Halloween motif was carried out in the tallies, decorations and refreshments. The favors were little black and yellow baskets filled with sweets.

At the home of his grandmother, Mrs. T. K. Fry, on Saturday afternoon. Little Richard Hall entertained a number of his little friends at a delightful party, celebrating his seventh birthday.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will meet at the home of Mrs. Clare Sinclair, Wednesday afternoon, November 5, at 3:30. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. John Neely delightfully entertained the members of the Round Dozen Music Club, the Book Reviewers and several Asheboro friends at a rook and bridge party, at her home in Asheboro Saturday afternoon. The Carthage guests motored over and were gloriously welcomed by Mrs. Neeley and her sisters, Mesdames Fox, Whitaker, and Neely, also of Asheboro.

Dr. and Mrs. Gibson of Pinebluff were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. Symington Sunday. They were friends of Dr. and Mrs. Gibson while living at Pinebluff. Dr. Gibson was present at the Communion Service at the

Presbyterian church Sunday, and took part in the administration.

Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fry are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Sunday, October 26. Mrs. Fry is doing nicely.

HEMP

Elmer Betts of Fayetteville, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin West on Wednesday night for supper.

Robert Carter is spending the week at his home, Carter's Mill. "Bob" is located in Mullens, W. Va.

Rev. G. C. Currie has been here for some time visiting his mother near West End and he is also spending some of his time at Carter's Mill. Mr. Currie is pastor of the Presbyterian church of Mullens, West Virginia.

Mrs. Neil A. Harrington of Sanford spent Friday in town visiting her sister, Mrs. R. E. Byrd and Mrs. Edwin West.

Arthur M. Hollingsworth of Fayetteville was in town Saturday morning.

Lawrence Rikard and George Hart were in Sanford Saturday and Sunday.

Cecil Barbour is spending some time with Rev. and Mrs. Tilly.

Miss Mary Sherwood McDonald was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harris in Albemarle, N. C.

Mrs. Neil A. Harrington and Mrs. Edwin A. West will leave Tuesday for Matoba and Mullens, West Virginia, to visit their sisters, Mrs. L. T. Edger-ton and Mrs. G. C. Currie, respectively.

Rev. Dewey Newton and Dr. McDuffie are attending Presbytery at Old Bluff church near Fayetteville this week.

Miss Mable Cameron spent the week-end in Greensboro.

Miss Ruby Lea Roberts spent the week-end with her mother in Charlotte.

Rev. and Mrs. Murdoch McLeod and little daughter were the guests of their sisters, Misses Currie and Isabel McLeod Thursday afternoon.

Forest fires destroy about \$50,000,000 worth of timber in the United States every year. Last year the federal government spent \$3,300,000 to fight fires on National Forests, and the amount expended in helping the states, added to their appropriations, totals several times this figure.

Many Attend Cancer Clinic At Carthage

Beneficial Results Expected from Visitations During Week of Examinations

The cancer clinic is over and the hours of each day of the week appointed for the clinic were filled with examination of patients. Cancer patients and those with suspicious symptoms of cancer visited Carthage from all parts of the county and even from outside of the county for examination. Some were advised to have immediate operation, others to put themselves under treatment by their family physician and to keep strict watch over suspicious symptoms. Those who were unable to attend the clinic are coming on some future date and anyone with any suspicion of cancer at all shall not let the matter rest until given expert medical advice.

"The reason for the cancer clinic has been to create an interest in the prevention and control of cancer and we feel that as far as Moore county is concerned our aim has been accomplished," says Dr. Symington, health officer. "In addition to the examination of patients and suspects much literature has been distributed and we hope that when the clinic is over the interest in cancer and its prevention are continued. Cancer is now the second greatest cause of death of all the diseases in the United States. If cancer is caused by a parasite it has not yet been found, though some authorities maintain that all diseases are microbic. We know, however, that any part of the body or any cell of any organ of the body can set up proliferation which eventually becomes cancerous. The cause of this is usually irritation, maybe mechanical or maybe from some irritant in food or drink or anything taken into the body and hence the importance of being careful in diet. All mechanical medicinal and food irritants should be avoided both externally and internally for irritation from these often cause cancer. It is now believed that cancer is not hereditary and that it is not contagious. Early diagnosis, early treatment, and right living are the three greatest preventatives of cancer."

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CHRYSANTHEMUM SHOW HAS BEEN POSTPONED

At a meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association Wednesday, October 22nd, it was decided that the annual Chrysanthemum Show be postponed until next year. Due to the dry weather this fall, the chrysanthemums have not been as large and perfect as usual, and rather than disappoint the public, it was deemed wisest to call off the show this year.

—(MISS) LELIA MILLER, Sec. P. T. A.

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