

Mountain Grove School

(Written by Pupils of the Sixth and Seventh Grades)

We have been studying birds and animals. We learned many interesting things about them. It was very interesting to learn how to tell different ones by their habits and songs. We enjoy drawing the pictures of these birds.

We have good times at recess playing running base and other games. Our teacher, Mr. Ramey, is very good to us. He plays with us.

Professor Billings has visited our school once this year. We all enjoy having him and hope he will come again and give us some tests. The Mountain Grove people appreciate a man like him for a county superintendent, because he has a keen interest in school children.

The people of this community have been very busy caring for crops. This caused several absences during the past month. Below are the names of those who haven't missed or been tardy: First month: Lyman Rankin, William Haskett, Willie Keener, Fannie Mae Dillard, Cora Fox, Jean Taylor, John Fox, Billie Rankin, William Adams, Frank Fox, Alice Adams, Hilda Buchanan, Ethel Dills, William Adams, Bertha Collins, Bob Taylor, Allie Mae Keener, Fannie Williams, Weaver Fox.

Second month: Lyman Rankin, Fannie Mae Dillard, Jean Taylor, Billie Rankin, Edward, Taylor, Frank Fox, Mary Keener, Fannie Mae Williams, Weaver Fox, Allie Adams, Hilda Buchanan, Ethel Dills and William Adams. We hope to make our attendance more perfect this month.

Liberty School

LITERARY SOCIETY

The Waikai Literary Society met Friday, Oct. 23 and gave the following program on the life of Sidney Lanier.

- I. Biography of Sidney Lanier, By Rebecca Dalton.
- (a) Lanier's full name.
- (b) When and where he was born.
- (c) The college from which he was graduated.
- (d) His services in the Civil

- War.
- (e) His love for poetry and music.
 - (f) His poems.
 - II. Lanier's poems, "Song of the Chattahoochee," by Cecil Gibson.
 - III. Lanier's poem, "Tampa Robins," by Marshall Mason.
 - IV. Business session. Nature Study.

STUDYING BIRDS

In our seventh grade nature study class we are studying autumn birds and wild flowers. We are making a study to determine which birds remain with us all winter and which of them migrate southward. Many names of autumn wild flowers have been learned.

HALLOWE'EN

(By Rebecca Dalton and Verna Shepard)
Hallowe'en is coming soon, With the witches all riding their brooms; Children will be climbing the posts, Trying to get away from the ghosts. Jack-o-lanterns will be shining bright, And give their light all night; There will be ghosts all dressed in white, Running around all night; And you will hear the children shout, "The Goblins will get you if you don't watch out."

HALLOWE'EN

(By Cecile Gibson)
Hallowe'en will be here most any day, For the witches are sailing right on this way, Oh, yes, they are coming but they keep out of sight, Behind pumpkins that are yellow, their size is just right; The black cats are hiding most everywhere, But they won't harm you, so don't you fear; The Goblins are dressed in their Hallowe'en gowns, And the witches are riding their broomsticks around.

JOLLY HALLOWE'EN

The time of spooks and Goblins, Of witches wierd and gay, And jolly jack-o-lanterns, In every spooky way. The time of midnight dances, In the woodland dark and drear,

Where no one dares to enter, Because the spooks are there. The jack-o-lanterns, shining, Make bright their woodland haunt, But 'ere before the daylight, They have vanished and are gone.

The golden leaves of autumn, The trees growing brown and bare— Cause saucy Jack Frost to tell us, Jolly Hallowe'en is here.

PERSONAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Shepard were business visitors in Franklin Wednesday last week. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Greene were visiting friends and relatives here the past week-end. Mrs. T. T. Hurst and little daughter Audrey, were visiting Miss Rebecca Dalton Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Dover Hurst are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Dalton Sunday afternoon. Mrs. T. T. Hurst was visiting Mrs. Lee Poindexter, of Franklin, Saturday. Rev. Harley Phillips, of Sylva, preached a very interesting sermon at Liberty Sunday. We hope he can be with us again. The local B. Y. U. rendered a very enjoyable program Sunday night. After the program Mr. W. H. Dalton made a talk on the Baptist foreign mission work.

Rainbow Spring

Mr. Jake Danielson, of Fontana, who spent a few days visiting his parents on Main street, returned to his home the latter part of last week. Mr. Hubert Danielson returned home last Saturday evening from a few days business trip to Knoxville. Mr. Ed Wilson, of Mooresfield, W. Va., is spending a few days visiting his friends. While in town, he visited his sister, Frances, who is in Angel Brothers' hospital. The many friends of Miss Frances Wilson, are glad to learn that she is reported much improved at the hospital. Mr. J. E. Danielson spent Saturday in Franklin shopping. Mr. S. M. Wolfe has returned to Asheville after spending Friday and Saturday of last week on business. Among the party who motored over to Franklin to visit Miss Frances Wilson at the hospital last

Friday evening were Carl, Edward, Forestry and Ruby Wilson. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bateman and son are spending a week of two visiting Mrs. Bateman's parents at Judson.

Snow Hill

Mrs. J. D. Howell and Mrs. E. R. Jones, of Asheville, visited their aunt, Mrs. W. J. Jenkins, last Thursday. Mr. John Mallonee, of Almond, was here Thursday. Several of the depositors and stockholders from this section attended a meeting of the Bank of Franklin Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. C. N. West visited their sister, Mrs. Vance Brown, last Sunday. Mr. W. Scott Allen is on the sick list. We hope he will be out soon. Mrs. Jenkins visited her brother, W. S. Allen, Saturday night. Miss Vonnice West was in town on business Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Sheffield and little daughter, also Mrs. E. B. Rickman, of Canton, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. C. Sheffield, Sunday. B. J. Hurst visited J. B. Elmore Sunday. Mrs. John Allen visited her mother, Mrs. Z. M. Leatherman, Saturday. Several of the boys have been going chestnut humping back in these Cowee mountains. Rev. Mr. Freeman filled his regular appointment at Snow Hill Sunday. Rev. Mr. Holden also filled his regular appointment at Cowee church. The Ladies' Auxiliary met at Snow Hill Methodist church Tuesday. A large crowd was present. All reported a good time. Some good talks were made, after which refreshments were served. Mrs. Will Morrison visited Mrs. Jud Hurst last Friday. Mrs. John Ray visited Mrs. Ella Allen Thursday. Mr. T. M. Rickman has been on the sick list. We are glad to see Mrs. Albert Rickman out again. Prof. Billings was in our section last week and was right well pleased with the progress of the school. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rickman visited home folks in Sylva Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. N. West visited Mrs. Ada Hyatt Sunday.

Called to Rest

MRS. VIOLA BARNES

Mrs. Viola Barnes, 23, of Boone Barnes, died at her home at Gneiss Saturday evening at 9 o'clock, after an illness of several weeks. The body was taken to Tellico, her former home, for burial Monday. The deceased was formerly Miss Viola Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barnes, of Stiles. She is survived by her husband, parents and several brothers and sisters. Mr. Lescie Carter visited Mr. George Hurst Saturday night. Mr. Roy Candler is visiting Mr. D. L. Clark. Mr. Lyle McClain was the guest of C. N. West Thursday.

North Skeenah

The farmers of this section have been gathering corn and sowing grain. The Pleasant Hill Sunday school has organized a prayer meeting on every Wednesday night. Everybody is urged to come and take an interest in these prayer meetings. The Forestry service gave an interesting motion picture show at Maple Springs school the past Friday night. There has been a three weeks revival meeting at Pleasant Hill and a baptizing last Sunday of 12 new converts. Mr. E. B. DeHart and Carl Talant were in this section Wednesday. Mr. Walter Blaine passed through this section Thursday. Mrs. Robert Carpenter was visiting Mrs. Arthur Blaine Friday. Mrs. E. L. DeHart of North Skeenah was visiting Mrs. L. C. Knight on Setser Branch Wednesday. Mr. Zeb Carpenter spent Thursday night with his uncle, Mr. Robert Carpenter. Lespedeza has proved its value as a dry weather forage plant in Stanly county this season. Meadow hay and corn tops are refused by the livestock when this hay is available.

'Stop Thief' Should Be Cry on Road to Success In Modern Day Business

All that has been said about procrastination being the thief of time is true—and half the story has not been told. We have on our lists large numbers of boys and girls. Some, of course, have awakened to their opportunities and obligations and are now in school, but we are waiting of those who are still waiting and who ought to be in our school climbing the ladder and reaching the top.

In a very few years every position of importance in business life will be filled by a new man or woman. The successful candidates for business honors will, of course, work their way from the bottom. You will have your chance—that is all you will have. A thousand other men and women will be reaching toward the position that you covet. If you finally achieve your goal it will be because of your industry, your good judgment, your initiative—and perhaps, most important of all, your training.

Business expects young people to take advantage of whatever opportunities the schools offer for business education before applying for employment. The modern business man has neither the patience, the time, nor the inclination to teach. If you can fill a useful place in his office he will give you unlimited opportunities for expansion—if you are helpless he will not take the time to help you.

Look forward twenty years, will you, and see the presidencies of railroads, insurance companies, manufacturing enterprises and thousands of other institutions that will introduce new names and new faces to the North. Consider, also, that while many of these places are highly attractive, even now the rapid expansion of business will create more positions, and these positions will afford greater opportunities than the business field has ever known.

Forty club boys of Caldwell county will plant 25 seedling black walnut trees each this fall. The county agent has ordered 1000 trees from funds donated by the Lenoir Chamber of Commerce.

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Seven head of pure bred milking strain of Shorthorns have been placed in Alleghany county this summer and 11 head of Hampshire ewes.

Avery county orchardists report excellent weather for harvesting their apples. The crop is moving slowly, however, because of the low prices.

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