

Farmville Schools To Open September 18th

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Falling in line with the late recommendation of the State Board of Health in relation to the polio situation, Farmville students will tramp back to school on Monday, September 18, this year, about three weeks later than the opening date set originally.

Around 1400 girls and boys are expected to enroll for the first semester, according to Superintendent J. H. Moore, who has announced that school will open at 8:45 o'clock on opening day and for several weeks thereafter. Lunch period will be from 12:30 to 1:15 o'clock. First and second grades will get out at 2:15 and other grades at 3:15 p. m.

The enrollment figures of last year revealed around 725 white students and 700 Negro students were in school here, and the authorities are expecting the attendance for the 1944-45 session to be up to the same level.

The 1943-44 term, reported as one of the most successful in the history of the school, viewed from both angles of attendance and accomplishments,

closed on May 16, with a graduating class composed of nineteen girls and six boys.

Registration dates for high school and other pupils will be announced in these columns by Supt. Moore when decided upon.

The Farmville graded school is one of the largest consolidated schools in Pitt County and is modern throughout. It is a 12 grade school with a nine months term, and has the distinctive honor of being a member of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

Heading the school faculty is Superintendent J. H. Moore, whose interest and activities, in connection with the many problems and the constant raising of the school standards, merit commendation. Mr. Moore also finds time to join in the social, religious and civic life here.

The list of teachers and assigned grades is as follows:

George Sturgeon, Saratoga, Vocational Agriculture; Miss Irene Mizelle, Snow Hill, Vocational Home Economics; Mrs. John B. Joyner, Farmville, English; Mrs. Herbert E. Hart, Farmville, English and Spanish; Mrs. Robert T. Monk, Farmville, Business

Education; Mrs. Louise Farr, Farmville, History and Librarian; Miss Nan Worthington, Winterville, Science; Miss Pearl V. Eichelberger, Greensboro, Bible; Mrs. L. P. Thomas, Farmville, 7th grade; Mrs. J. B. Bynum, Farmville, 6th and 7th grades; Mrs. W. E. Joyner, Farmville, 6th grade; Miss Edna Robinson, Ivanhoe, 5th grade; Mrs. J. R. Shearin, Farmville, 5th grade; Miss Hazel Baker, Snow Hill, 4th grade; Mrs. Joseph Batchelor, Farmville, 4th grade; Miss Margaret Lewis, Farmville, 3rd grade; Mrs. J. H. Moore, Farmville, 3rd grade; Miss Hazel Stroud, Kinston, 2nd grade; Mrs. W. B. Carraway, Farmville, 2nd grade; Miss Annie Perkins, Farmville, 1st grade; Miss Louise Farrow, Warsaw, 1st grade, and Mrs. Haywood Smith, Farmville, piano.

Members of the Farmville School Board are; Dr. Paul E. Jones, chairman; John B. Lewis, secretary; J. I. Morgan, Jr., Arch J. Flanagan and A. C. Monk, Jr.

The colored school, under the able leadership of H.B. Sugg, principal, has experienced a period of steady growth. A majority of the staff of 17 teachers in the elementary and high schools hold A grade certificates, and the school has a rating of A-11.

Home Ec Teacher Assumes Duties Here

Miss Irene Mizelle, of Snow Hill, has arrived to begin the eleven months program of work in the local school district as Vocational Home Economics teacher. She is taking the position vacated by Mrs. Estelle Swindell.

Miss Mizelle has been teaching in the State for a number of years, having served on the Williamston and Scotland Neck faculties as instructor in Vocational Home Economics.

The Vocational program consists of teaching Home Economics in the high school during the months school is in session, supervising and directing home projects of each student, conducting adult classes, if the community is interested, and participating in other activities relating to the improvement of home living. Stress this year will be made on economy-saving for the war effort.

The three-year program includes the following units of study:

- 1—Making one's best appearance, personal grooming and health;
- 2—Food as it affects the high school girl and family;
- 3—Christmas unit;
- 4—Clothing as it affects the high school girl and family;
- 5—Securing satisfactory surroundings;
- 6—Personal and social development;
- 7—Maintenance of health and care of the sick in the home;
- 8—Living together;
- 9—Planning a vocation;
- 10—Marriage and home management;
- 11—Home planning and furnishing;
- 12—Child care and training;
- 13—Summary of food facts.

Prior to the opening of school on September 18, Miss Mizelle will devote her time to home visiting, supervising home projects, renovating and improving the department and other community activities.

Miss Mizelle may be reached at the Home Economics cottage when not engaged in field service.

LARGE NUMBER CHILDREN VISIT RECREATION CENTER

Sunday Schools and family reunion groups have availed themselves as usual this summer, of the opportunity to participate in Farmville's recreational center at the municipal park and swimming pool.

Playground equipment, the tennis courts and the pool have furnished entertainment and wholesome outdoor sport for the youngsters, and the screened dining room, to which an addition, doubling the size of the original building, was made some months ago, has proved convenient facilities for picnic suppers.

As a precautionary measure, recommended by the County Board of Health, town authorities closed the pool upon the report of a polio case in Pitt County three weeks ago and parents have been urged to keep their children at home.

The U. S. sweet potato crop is 9 per cent smaller than last year. Prospective crillan supplies per capita are estimated to be the smallest in two decades.

Tobacco in the United States goes back to the time of John Rolfe, the husband of Pocahontas, and Sir Walter Raleigh.

Serve An Extra Roasting Chicken

Many poultrymen have been unable to move flocks at a reasonable price and a surplus of excellent roasting chickens, weighing around 4 to 5 pounds, has developed in North Carolina. Housewives have been asked to serve an extra roaster a week and help clear up this surplus.

In discussing the best methods of roasting chicken, Miss Mary E. Thomas, Extension nutritionist at State College, said that when getting the dressed bird ready for the oven, rub the cavity with salt. Place enough well-seasoned dressing in the neck and to fill it out nicely and fasten the neck skin with a skewer.


Then stuff the body cavity with dressing but do not pack it. Close the opening by placing small skewers across the opening and then lacing twine around them. When the chicken is done, the skewers are pulled out and the twine lifted off.

To prevent the thinner portions from getting done before the thicker portions are thoroughly cooked, the legs and wings should be pushed close to the body and held there with twine. Then, brush the bird with melted, un-salted fat.

Place the chicken in a shallow pan on a rack, breast down. Cover with a cloth dipped in melted fat. Roast in a moderate oven of 325 to 350 degrees, allowing 30 to 40 minutes to the pound. When about half done, turn the chicken breast up, with cloth replaced over breast, and continue cooking until the drumstick meat is very soft, when pressed between the fingers.

Slow cooking develops every bit of flavor, makes the meat delicately tender, and keeps the juices in. Roasting in the modern manner means to add no water to the pan, cook uncovered except for the fat-moistened cloth, and cook in a moderate oven.

Alfalfa in North Carolina averages 1.9 tons per acre, or more than twice the yield of other tame hay. Some growers will double the average yield of alfalfa this year.




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Salad Dressing 32-oz Jar 26c

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TOMATOES New Pack No. 2 Can 11c

VINEGAR White House Gallon Bottle 53c

KARO Syrup BLUE 5-lb Jar 39c

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D. P. Golden BLEND BLEND
1-lb Bag 24c 2 1-lb Bags 41c

DRIED BEANS
Great Northern 1-lb Pkg 11c
Baby Limas 1-lb Pkg 13c
Baby Limas 2-lb Pkg 24c
Pinto 1-lb Pkg 11c 2-lb Pkg 20c

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Fruit Jars
Pints doz 63c Quarts doz 75c
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Jar Rubbers doz 5c
Sealing Wax Pkg 14c

GRANULATED
SUGAR 2 31c

CABBAGE Green, 2 pounds..... 8c	ROUND STEAK Per pound..... 45c
POTATOES New Red Bliss, 5 lbs. 28c	PORTERHOUSE Steak, per lb..... 50c
LETTUCE Large head, each..... 13c	SIR LOIN STEAK Per pound..... 45c
CELERY Large stalk, each..... 13c	SAUSAGE Kingan's, per lb..... 35c
ORANGES California, 5 lbs..... 57c	BACON Choice, per lb..... 40c
GRAPF FRUIT Arizona, each..... 8c	FRANKS Best, per pound..... 37c
CARROTS Select, 2 bunches..... 17c	STEW BEEF Boneless, per lb..... 28c
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