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16,545 Received Oral Polio Vaccine In Mitchell-Yancey

A record of 16,545 people in the two counties of Mitchell and Yancey received the Oral Sabian Vaccine, Sunday March 8 was reported by the Medical Society of Mitchell-Yancey County sponsor of the program.

A continuous flow of people passed through the ten feeding stations eating the lump of sugar containing the polio vaccine. The most beautiful Sunday of the year gave most a holiday feeling and high spirits to everyone and at notice did any person have to stand in a long line and wait.

Each station was maintained

completely by volunteer workers who had planned, organized, and understood the importance of their job so well that everything moved along in perfect order. Each station was staffed with volunteers from the medical group, including medical doctors, registered nurses, licensed practical nurses and Red Cross Aides. Handling the secretarial work were members of various woman's clubs and the volunteer personnel from the bank handled the donations.

A total of 7,911 people in Mitchell County received the oral polio vaccine Sunday and 8,634 people in Yancey County. This means that a little over 61% of the people in the two counties have taken the first of two doses necessary to protect them from polio. Many areas, especially Bakersville, Spruce Pine and Burnsville turned out in great numbers for the polio vaccine. It is hoped that the ones who were unable to take the vaccine last Sunday will do so this week in a make up dose.

In order to maintain our low Polio rate, each person, young or old, is asked to get the polio vaccine this week. The Public Health Office will give the vaccine to anyone who will come by the offices this week, during the regular clinic hours. This includes Spruce Pine on Thursday afternoon and Bakersville on Friday. The vaccine is also available at the local doctors' offices this week.

In Mitchell County the five stations operating and the number of people who received the polio vaccine are: Harris High School, 1,530; Harris Elementary, 1,998; Bowman High School, 2,545; Bula-deen School, 1,005; and Tipton Hill High School, 833; giving Mitchell County a total of 7,911 doses given Sunday.

Five feeding stations in Yancey county and the number of people that received the oral polio vaccine are: East Yancey High School, 1,203; Bee Log School, 1,006; and South Toe Elementary, 1,107, giving Yancey County a total of 8,634 doses given.

Sunday May 10th is the date for the second feeding which will, when taken, give complete protection from Polio.

The Lederle Laboratory is helping to make this program possible.

The oral polio make-up clinic was held at the Health Center here on Wednesday of this week. 175 doses of vaccine was given.



Its Official - Gene Wilson of Gastonia, North Carolina Easter Seal Child, beams as Governor Terry Sanford has just signed and presented a proclamation designating March as Easter Seal Month and is now preparing to present a check as the first contribution. Interested officials are left to right Clarence E. Whitefield of Durham, President of the North Carolina Society for Crippled Children and Adults, Duke Basketball Coach Vic Bubas, North Carolina Easter Seal Chairman, and UNC Baseball Co-captain Mike Cooke of Mount Airy, State Youth Chairman of the Easter Seal Campaign.

Blue Cross-Blue Shield "Easy Joining Days"

Durham-Hospital Care Association has opened enrollment in Blue Cross and the Blue Shield Doctors Program of the State Medical Society to everyone in North Carolina under 65 years of age, regardless of health condition of applicants.

E. M. Herndon, executive vice president of the Durham Blue Cross and Blue Shield Plans, said the "Easy-Joining Days" enrollment started on March 1 and will continue through March 22.

During this three-week period, the usual health questions for non-group enrollment will be waived and individuals and families will be enrolled on a contract which covers Blue Cross hospital benefits, and the Blue Shield Doctors Program of surgery and anesthesia care, Herndon said.

Under the Doctors Program, participating physicians agree to accept Blue Shield allowances as full payment for individuals whose total annual income does not exceed \$4,000 and families with a total annual income of \$6,000 or less. A majority of the physicians in the state participate in the program.

"This special enrollment opportunity is being offered primarily for the benefit of North Carolina residents who cannot join Blue Cross and Blue Shield through a group, or who have a physical condition which has prevented them from joining on a nongroup contract in the past," Herndon said.

The "Easy-Joining Days" enrollment is limited to persons under 65 of age. However, a special Senior Citizen certificate 65. A Student Certificate will also be available for full-time students.

Workers Will Discuss Second Polio Feeding

Dr. Hahn has asked that: All Chairman of the Township workers in the polio feeding drive be present at a meeting to be held at the Health Center in Burnsville on Monday, March 16 at 7:30 p. m. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the second polio feeding drive.

Burnsville PTA Will Meet Tuesday

The Burnsville Elementary School Parent-Teacher Association will meet in the school lunchroom on Tuesday, March 17, at 7:30 p. m.

Carroll Angel is in charge of the program. The theme of the program is Safety.

Mrs. Stone Will Speak To Friends Of Library

Mrs. Donat S. Stone, Executive Director of the North Carolina Division of the American Cancer Society, will speak on cancer research at the Yancey County Library in Burnsville on Sunday afternoon, March 15, 1964. A social hour will begin at 2:30, and the talk will be given at 3:00.

Mrs. Stone was graduated from Florida State College for Women with a B. S. degree in Education. She came to North Carolina in 1955 after serving for five years as Executive Director of the San Diego, California unit of the American Cancer Society. Mrs. Stone has served in various capacities in the American Red Cross, especially in the field of aquatic sports. An excellent swimmer and swimming coach, she was made an Honorary First Sergeant in the U. S. Marine Corps. Amphibian Tank Detachment for training the Detachment in swimming, life-saving, and welfare aquatics. In addition, she has contributed in the fields of Personnel Management and Industrial Relations, health education, and others. She is a member of several honorary societies, including "Who's Who in Colleges and Universities," "Who's Who in American Women," and "Who's Who in North Carolina Lives."

Her talk on Sunday is sponsored by the Yancey County unit of the Cancer Society. Everyone is invited to attend.

Bailey To Serve As Delegate To Conference

will serve as a delegate to the 13th Annual Conference of Policyholder Advisors to be held March 12-14 at Columbus, Ohio. He will be a guest of the Nationwide Insurance Companies, which sponsor the conference.

Bailey and 70 other policyholders from 30 states will work in committee sessions, take part in panel discussions and confer with key company executives about Nationwide's operations and policies.

Delegates to the national meeting were elected from among 12,000 policyholders who took part in 500 local meetings during the past six months. They will climax their meeting by submitting a list of recommendations to management for consideration and possible action.

Nationwide's advisory program was launched 13 years ago to give policyholders an opportunity to voice their opinions about Nationwide's products, services, and operating policies.

Local Students Take Part In Drama Workshop

Miss Hedy Bwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Layard T. Howell, Burnsville, and Miss Linda Laughrun, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Laughrun, Burnsville, were members of the make-up staff for the play "The American Dame" by Philip C. Lew produced by the Warren Wilson College Drama Workshop, Swannanoa, North Carolina, which was directed by Mr. David Templeman.

The play is a rollicking comedy with lightning punches and is in the form of a play-out, a new type of dramatic experience.

Miss Helena Hensley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hensley, R-1, served as one of the four ushers.

Misses Howe and Laughrun are graduates of East Yancey High School, class of 1963, and Miss Hensley is a graduate of Cane River High School, Class of 1960.

Warren Wilson College is owned and operated by the Board of National Missions, the United Presbyterian Church, U. S. A.

Dr. Fall To Speak At Methodist Church Sunday

Dr. Paul Fall of Burnsville will speak at the 11:00 o'clock service at the Higgins Memorial Methodist Church here Sunday.

Rev. R. F. Hilliard, pastor of Higgins Memorial Methodist Church, will be in Hendersonville where he will speak twice on Saturday and twice on Sunday. He will speak at Moore's Grove Methodist Church at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on Saturday and at 10:00 a. m. Sunday. He will speak at Balfour Methodist Church at 11:00 a. m. on Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Fall came to Burnsville in September of 1959. He was president of Hiram College in Hiram, Ohio for 17 years. After reaching retirement age at Hiram he taught chemistry in Akron University at Akron, Ohio for two years. He resigned this position due to his poor health. Mr. Fall said the reason he picked Burnsville as a place to retire was by reading an add in Travel Magazine.

Music Workshop At Methodist Church

A Music Workshop will be held at Higgins Memorial Methodist Church. The Workshop is being sponsored by the Home Demonstration Clubs of Yancey and Madison Counties.

Dr. Melvin L. Good will give the instruction. Everyone interested in music is invited to attend the Workshop.

A covered Dish lunch will be served.

Gallon Club Members Announced In Program

Persons who give a gallon of blood through the American Red Cross Blood Program automatically become members of the Gallon Club and are issued a pin and membership card which entitles them and the members of their family to receive blood, without obligation to replace it, for the duration of the blood program.

According to available records there are 73 Yancey County members who have given as much as the gallon. Nineteen have reached the two gallon level, three have given three gallons, and Charles Harold Anglin has given four gallons and one pint, which is the record thus far for Yancey County.

Listed below are the persons who are members of the Gallon Club. All of Yancey County should be very grateful to these faithful souls who have given so much of themselves to make others well:

Mrs. Bob Rhinehart, Assistant Chairman of the Yancey County Blood Program, is quick to add that she is certain that there are discrepancies in the records, and she will welcome the opportunity to straighten out anyone's blood record if they will only contact her at 682-2123 or come by her home on Glen Raven Circle.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS	
RALEIGH—The Motor Vehicles Department's summary of traffic deaths through 10:00 a. m., Monday, March 9:	
KILLED TO DATE	247
Killed To Date Last Year	200

Those who have given as much as a gallon and are not listed today will be added next week if they will contact Mrs. Rhinehart and give her their records.

Any member of the Gallon Club who does not have, or has never been issued a pin card, or who needs a fresh one, will be given same if they will contact Mrs. Rhinehart within the next TWO WEEKS.

The next Bloodmobile visit to Yancey County will be in May, according to Carlie Rice, Yancey County Blood Chairman.

GALLON CLUB MEMBERS

Ralph B. Adair	1 gal. 6 pts.
Elizabeth Anglin	1 gal.
Mrs. C. G. Anglin	1 gal. 1 pt.
Martha Anglin	1 gal. 6 pts.
Billie Kay Bailey	1 gal. 5 pts.
Luther Banks	1 gal. 5 pts.
Mrs. Luther Banks	1 gal. 3 pts.
Colonel B. Bennett	1 gal. 2 pts.
Jay M. Blankenship	1 gal. 3 pts.
Virginia Boone	1 gal.
Clarence H. Burton	1 gal. 1 pt.
Hubert J. Cooper	1 gal. 4 pts.
Bill Evans	1 gal.
Mrs. Howard Garland	1 gal. 1 pt.
Mrs. W. R. Hall	1 gal. 1 pt.
Kenneth Hensley	1 gal.
Mrs. K. J. Hensley	1 gal.
Yancey Hensley	1 gal. 2 pts.
Jay C. Hilliard	1 gal.
Mrs. Herschel Holcombe	1 gal. 5 pts.
Charles Hopson	1 gal.
Lawrence Hopson	1 gal. 2 pts.
Nat Lee Howell	1 gal. 5 pts.
Claude C. Hughes	1 gal. 1 pt.
William Hullett	1 gal.
Mrs. Avon Jamerson	1 gal. 1 pt.
Howard W. Johnson	1 gal. 2 pts.
Lawrence King	1 gal. 6 pts.
Roy King	1 gal.
Claude S. Ledford	1 gal. 3 pts.
Lola Mace	1 gal. 5 pts.
Bonnie Lee McIntosh	1 gal. 1 pt.
Bruce C. McIntosh	1 gal. 4 pts.
Ruby McIntosh	1 gal.
Dr. Cameron F. McRae	1 gal. 2 pts.
Joseph J. Nowicki	1 gal. 2 pts.
Carmon Ogle	1 gal. 4 pts.
Mrs. E. R. Ohle	1 gal. 3 pts.
Mrs. Roy Pate	1 gal. 5 pts.
Claude Peterson	1 gal. 6 pts.
John H. Peterson	1 gal. 1 pt.
Ted Phillips	1 gal. 1 pt.
L. V. Pollard	1 gal. 2 pts.
James W. Proffitt	1 gal. 4 pts.
Jennie L. Proffitt	1 gal. 2 pts.
Ashburn Ramsey	1 gal. 4 pts.
June Ramsey	1 gal. 3 pts.
Robert W. Ramsey	1 gal.
James Willard Ray Jr.	1 gal. 7 pts.
Mack Ray	1 gal. 4 pts.
R. L. Rector	1 gal. 1 pt.
Burnis Earl Rice	1 gal.
Frank Riddle	1 gal.
William O. Riddle	1 gal. 2 pts.
Byrl Robinson	1 gal. 3 pts.
Herman Robinson	1 gal.
James C. Robinson	1 gal. 1 pt.
James L. Robinson	1 gal. 5 pts.
William J. Robinson	1 gal. 1 pt.
Charles L. Sacra	1 gal. 3 pts.
Peter Schwintzer	1 gal. 4 pts.
Mrs. J. G. Sparks	1 gal.
Charles W. Steelman	1 gal. 2 pts.
D. Z. Thomas	1 gal. 1 pt.
Mrs. W. Thomas	1 gal.
Ernest Whitson	1 gal.
Robert I. Wicker	1 gal. 2 pts.
Robert P. Wilson	1 gal. 5 pts.
Howard Wright	1 gal. 6 pts.
Earl Young	1 gal.

Tri-County Students in Vocational Training

43 students from Avery, Mitchell, and Yancey Counties are now in vocational training under Operation Second Chance in Spruce Pine, Burnsville, Asheville, and elsewhere. Courses now in progress are carpentry and bricklayer classes at Spruce Pine and Burnsville, woodworking in Asheville. In addition to the courses in electrical work, auto mechanics, machine operators in Goldsboro, Wilson, Sanford, and Lexington.

Instructors for Spruce Pine classes now in progress are Hunter Hudson and Claude Parker. Burnsville instructors are Vance Hensley and John Woody.

Applications for seven additional courses for the Tri-County area have been sent to Washington for approval. These include two courses in welding, two in upholstery, two nurse-aid classes, and one auto service station mechanics course.

Scott Wiseman, coordinator for Operation Second Chance in the Tri-County area, expects approval of these courses in time for training to start during March. Trainees in class taught locally will receive \$23.00 a week. Those who attend classes outside the Tri-County area are provided an allowance of \$35.00 a week.

Labor surveys conducted by the Employment Securities Commission have indicated that jobs for trainees who complete these courses satisfactorily are available locally or elsewhere within the state.

GIRL SCOUT WEEK



Girl Scout Week
March 8-14, 1964

We salute the Girl Scouts of our community and urge your support of their program. Girl Scout Week celebrated March 8th through 14.

TWO GALLON DONORS
John R. Allen, 2 gals. 2 pts.
Carroll Wesley Angel, 2 gals.
Leonard Ayers, 2 gals.
Mrs. Artheia Brooks, 2 gals. 1 pt.
Mrs. Clarence Burton, 2 gals.
E. L. Dillingham, 2 gals.
Harold Harris, 2 gals. 2 pts.
Mrs. Sol Harris, 2 gals. 7 pts.
Arnold E. Higgins, 2 gals.
Arthur Hughes, 2 gals. 1 pt.
George Muddock, 2 gals. 2 pts.
Dr. E. R. Ohle, 2 gals. 7 pts.
Mrs. J. Max Penland, 2 gals. 2 pts.
Max R. Proffitt, 2 gals. 3 pts.
Ralph T. Proffitt, 2 gals. 1 pt.
Mrs. Roy Ray, 2 gals. 1 pt.
Clyde W. Riddle, 2 gals. 1 pt.
James Paul Robinson, 2 gals. 4 pts.
Mrs. Clyde Whittington, 2 gals. 5 pts.

THREE GALLON DONORS
Oscar W. Deyton, 3 gals. 3 pts.
Laurance R. Higgins, 3 gals. 1 pt.
Roy William Ray, 3 gals.

FOUR GALLON DONOR
Charles Harold Anglin, 4 gals. 1 pt.