

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ROUND-UP

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The end of this school term is coming to a close and all the students are very excited. All have enjoyed this school term and will probably enjoy it twice as much next year when they are in a higher grade.

The luncheon ladies have prepared some very good lunches this year, and we would like to thank them. All the boys and girls in the seventh and eighth grades want to thank Mr. Gouge and Mr. Mills for coaching them in basketball.

The eighth grade promotion program is being planned by the eighth grade teachers. The program is planned for May 25 at 10:00 a. m. The theme for the program will be "Citizenship."

Student speakers from the four eighth grade classes will be: James and Bobby Kelly from Slocomb, Ala. We welcome these children and their families to our town. Louise Hutchins and Carolyn Wheeler have, as of now, a perfect attendance record for the year. We wish again to thank our grade mothers and all the other parents for the lovely parties and all the other nice things they have done for us this year.

Miss Cauble's Fourth Grade.

Miss Cauble's fourth graders are very proud of their newly painted classroom. We are trying hard to keep it looking nice. We wish to thank our grade mothers for the lovely Easter party and for helping us to move back to our classroom from the basement. Our class is happy to have Charlotte Le Vine back in our room after attending school in Florida during the winter months. We are glad Charles Taylor is able to be back in school after having his tonsils removed. Cheryl Ann Burgess has a new brother of which we are proud.

Mrs. Woolard's Fifth Grade.

Well, here we are almost at the end of the year. We have certainly enjoyed it. We are studying how we got our Bible, drawing pictures, and writing Bible verses. In geography we are studying South America. We have finished our United States history and

now are studying the history of our state. Our entire class is surprised at some of the things we are learning about North Carolina. I'm sure we shall appreciate our state more after our study. We have all kept our eyes and ears open and think we've learned a great deal.

Red Smith and Donald Blankenship, reporters.

Mrs. Beddingfield's Sixth Grade.

We should like to thank Mrs. T. K. Brown for the refreshments she gave us for our English club. Our class surprised Mrs. Beddingfield last Friday with a birthday party during the meeting of our English club. After the meeting refreshments were served. Then we played games. We have been writing letters to our mothers telling them what we have learned and studied this year in English. They are very interesting.

We have also been writing stories and letters using our spelling words in them.

Mrs. Sorrell's Seventh Grade.

Our class has been doing many interesting things throughout this semester. In English we have been writing poems about spring and how it makes us feel. Here are the three we chose as the best ones.

Reginia Stafford, Connie Taylor, reporters.

Four little clouds are in the sky, And one is about to cry, The sky is blue, the clouds are pink, And one big cloud is about to wink.

The snow is on the mountain, And water is bubbling in the fountain. The peach trees are in blossom, And the things I know, I have forgotten.

—Carroll Robinson.

Spring has everything to see, Flowers, butterflies, birds, and bees. Daffodils, tulips, lilies, and roses, And most of all those pretty little posies.

Birds and bees by the dozen, There comes a robin and a bunch of cousins. So when Spring is here in fifty-six, Don't be in the house like a dried-up stick.

Don't forget what I said, When you hear the birds get out of bed. Get out and enjoy it while it's here, Cause you might not be around next year.

I love the flowers and the birds, And I love to hear the birds sing. But what I like most of all, Is that wonderful word, Spring.

—Frank Inman.

Spring Has Loveliness to See. I think no one could ever sing A song as lovely as the Spring. With loveliness always to sell, With loveliness for me to tell. No other season could ever bring The joy I find in the lovely Spring. With flowers blooming everywhere; Plants are sprouting everywhere. Trees with leaves all turning green. More beauty than I've ever seen. But when Winter comes around, Snow covers the ground. And after I've had a long Spring rest, I think Winter is best.

—Jimmy Nichols.



Be prepared for quick changes in Spring weather!

Mrs. Burgess' class are proud of their attendance record for this month. They have had perfect attendance for all except five days. They are planning a trip to the Coca-Cola Bottling company and the Citizen-Times newspaper office on Wednesday, May 2. They also plan to go to the Recreation Park for a picnic lunch afterwards. They would like to thank their grade mothers for the many things they have done for them during the school year.

Bobby White and Elizabeth Clark, reporters.

Miss Lindsey's Seventh Grade.

Miss Lindsey's seventh grade class made a visit to Canton to study the industry of paper making at Champion Fibre company. They learned many interesting facts about the daily consumption of wood, water, sulphur, and other materials. They also learned that the daily production of paper is an amazing figure. The pupils also attended the daily lectures by the Rev. Perry Crouch at the First Baptist church. The lessons he gave were of deep spiritual value and should help people live more useful and happier lives.

The members of this class want to express their appreciation for the excellent work done by Mrs. Cunningham and her pupils this year in editing the Round-up.

Mrs. Lofquist's Eighth Grade.

Mrs. Lofquist's eighth grade class have been busy writing speeches and learning recitations for their graduation exercises. Their speech topic is "Citizenship in North Carolina."

Their science class, which is under the direction of Mr. E. V. Gouge, has just finished a study of motors, and generators. They have built several scale motors. They are now planning a field trip

for the latter part of May. They have just completed a history scrapbook project. These books will be judged later by some teachers at Warren Wilson college.

Janelle Ledbetter, reporter.

Mrs. Kelly's Eighth Grade.

Our room celebrated Easter with a big party. We wish to thank all those taking part in it. The class elected the Who's Who in our class to be listed in our school memory folders. They are as follows: friendliest, Sarah Rickman; most dependable, Joan McCall and Lloyd Moore; best looking, Wilma Hall and Jack Lunsford; best sport, Peggy McElrath and David Williams; most likely to succeed, Mary Stockton and Tommy Sobol; most popular, Patsy Bradford and Tommy Sobol; wisest, Gwen McAfee and Charles Bartlett; most appreciative, Patsy Bradford and Sam Freeman; best personality, Rachel Rhodes and Sam Freeman; neatest, Joan McCall and David Williams.

Pere Beha, Lloyd Moore, Sherry Smith and Mary Stockton sent examples of their art work to the art exhibit. Pere Beha and Lloyd Moore received comments on their countries, and other topics.

—Sarah Rickman, reporter.

Mr. Mills' Eighth Grade.

We are all looking forward to graduation day. Here are our class leaders for this grading period: Science: Patty Byrd, Billy Daugherty, Mary Frances Hendley, Jean Messer, Wanda Vess, Alma Watson. Arithmetic: Wanda Vess, Alma Watson. Reading: Wanda Vess, Joyce Hutchins. Spelling: Patty Byrd, Mary Frances Hendley, Alma Watson, Jean

MISS CHATTERTON HAS WORSHIP SERVICE

Mrs. H. W. Sanders and Mrs. D. G. Guess were hostesses to Circle No. 1 of the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon, April 17, in the fellowship hall of the 17, in the fellowship hall of the educational building. Mrs. H. A. Kerlee, chairman, presided during the business meeting. Miss Edith Chatterton was in charge of the worship service and study. She used the 24th Psalm as the Bible reading and led the group in the study of "Living Under Tension" taken from the book "Five Spiritual Classics."

During the social hour following

the meeting the hostesses served a sweet course to Mrs. Charles Mertle, Mrs. Willa Evans, Mrs. J. T. Simpson, Mrs. J. A. Gudger, Miss Chatterton, Miss Young, and Mrs. Kerlee.

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