

CHAPEL PROGRAM SEMESTER SERIES STARTED AT JCTS

The first of our regular chapel programs was given last Friday, Armistice Day, at the activity period.

This very informative program was impressive because it was a good combination of the meaning of spiritual and historical facts of North Carolina. This wealth of knowledge was uniquely displayed by the students from the four sections of the eighth grade with Messrs. B. H. Brant, L. R. McQueeney and Messrs. R. M. Smith and O. J. Turner giving their help.

The program and names of students who took part follows: America; Audience — Standing; Relius Smith; Lord's Prayer; Response; "Sweet Hours of Prayer"; "Old North State" Audience; Pledge Allegiance to the Flag; Jerome Bradley and Willie Sanders; History of Education; Alcaz; Futrell; History of North Carolina; Kate Dodd; History of Armistice Day; "In Flanders Field"; Jacques; Bell; Geography of North Carolina; Cleora Arrington.

Devotions of North Carolina — 1. The Coastal Plains, Mary L. Lyons; 2. The Piedmont Plateau, Helen Wasn; 3. The Mountain Region, Margaret Anderson; State Nick-

name, Grace Atkinson; "God Bless America" Audience — Standing. Regular eighth grade and high school chapel is held every second and fourth Friday and elementary chapel is held every first and third Friday.

HAWKS PREP FOR GREATEST SEASON

Stirred by the fearless and untiring leadership of Reginald "Hawk" Fairs, the Training School boys' basketball team is destined to make this season one of great victory.

The first game will be played on Thursday evening, December 15th. The game is between Armstrong Tech of Washington, D. C. and our JCTS Hawks.

Armstrong Technical High School's team has been the champion of the Tri-State Invitational tournament for the last two consecutive years.

A full schedule of games to be played this season will be released within the next few weeks.

The following athletes comprise this year's Hawks: John W. Watkins, captain; David Williams and Paul Woodard co-captains. Fellow teammates are Elbert and Wilbert Bunch, Tyice Blackmon, Reginald Frazier, Harvey Hearty, Albed Judkins, Joseph Nichols, Kermit Nixon, Melvin Powell and Horace Wyan.

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THE CHRISTIAN ACT

BY W. R. COLLINS

SMITHFIELD — It was about a year when I was called by my father to speak with the superintendent, who informed me that the police man had brought a small boy to his office who claimed that he had not previously attended school. I immediately went for the boy and brought him to school after talking with his mother.

It was discovered that the boy had been made the victim of unfortunate circumstances resulting from the effect of a broken home. Where the father has been away for the last two years. This boy is one of four children in the family ranging from 19 months to 12 years. When asked what he was doing in the street before being picked up by the officer he said that he was out to get a piece of gum with one cent.

"Did you buy the gum?" He said "No" and showed me the penny. "Have you had breakfast?" Again the reply was no and he was given lunch money.

At present the 13 year old girl is out of school working for \$10.00 a week which is the only support of the family since the mother is out of a job.

The next day the chairman of JCTS Grade Mothers Council came to report \$1000 on their "Needy Children's Fund". I received the case to her and suggested that since the jacket the boy had been wearing in school is torn at the elbow and he exhibits the need for other garments, that she take the boy with her to the store and buy the things most needed from the ten dollars.

The following articles were purchased, jacket, overalls and shirt at a cost of \$7.10. Two pairs of socks were donated by the store manager who deducted 10 per cent from the total purchase. The boy showed only sign of elation over his new experience and his mother seems grateful for the assistance.

If you would like to assist the Grade Mothers Council with their project to help the needy, send

clothing or cash to: Mrs. Lillie M. Morgan, 512 East Bridge Street, Smithfield, N. C.

POET'S CORNER

THE FOURTH GRADE HAPPINESS CLUB

BY MRS. E. W. COFIELD
Friday afternoon, there was the weather.

As the Fourth Grade Happiness Club came together, "The More We Get Together" was sung.

And say! How those voices rung. The program committee then took its place.

And the program they gave was full of grace. The Bible girls with their ribbons and bows

Looked nice and dainty as they performed in rows.

The poems and songs were really great. And for the movie report we could hardly wait.

The report made was on the Rancho Kid. We enjoyed it much. Oh yes we did.

To top the programs we realized— The most enjoyable story was One Eye, Two Eyes.

The program closed with more stories on time. So until next week this ends our rhyme.

ALA. CHIEF FINED AND SENTENCED FOR BEATING NEGROES

MONTGOMERY Ala. (AP) — Thomas L. Gantt, former police chief of Florida, Ala., was sentenced to two years of imprisonment and fined \$300 in District Judge C. B. Kennamer's court here last week for beating up five Negroes. Gantt had pleaded guilty to the charges that he beat the men to make them confess to a crime. He was released under \$2,000 bond and instructed to report back November 29 to begin sentence.

Also 4200 Japanese have been convicted of war crimes since the Japanese surrender.

Pat Wright Says:



"My notion is that the reason Joe Stalin doesn't want the Germans to have a patent system again is because he knows that patent rights would be a big incentive to create new jobs and would take a long step in building up their economy, just as before."

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