

Life Is Like That

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color phobia, which added to his unhappiness.
This constant strain had its effect not only upon the young man's spirit but his body. He contracted tuberculosis. A physique which was both the envy and admiration of many men was ridden with the disease. A quick death followed.

The father and mother continued a separate existence under the same roof. They found him dead one morning on a floor in that home. His body was locked in ice evidently the result of water which had flowed from an open spicket or broken pipe I forget which.

At any rate, the second son told me a few years back that they actually had to cut his father's body out of the ice.

The last time I saw this man, he and his wife (I think there is a child) were living in the same house with his mother.

He was very bitter about his father's death—the circumstances under which he died. He referred to his mother as "that woman." I have never seen such a fierce hatred of one's mother. He didn't try to hide it.

It is too late now to counteract the tragic influence of bitter hatred between husband and wife which created an intolerable domestic situation that exacted such a heavy toll from three children, two dead and one living. It is too late to help a dead husband who has gone on to report before the judgment bar of God. His day of opportunity has passed forever.

It is too late to help an aged mother, who cannot help but see the shadow of death that cannot be too far away, to retrieve losses that did not have to be and correct a moral blunder that brought such a devastating tragedy upon her home. It is impossible to reverse the sequence of time and erase from the slate of reality the facts written upon it. Even divinity cannot cause what has happened not to have happened. Memories of what has happened must abide.

But it is not too late for that aged woman to find forgiveness and the peace of reconciliation that goes therewith for the part she contributed to wrecking her home by being a party to a marital strife that laid such a crippling hand upon her children.

It is not too late for a mother

and an only son to bury the hatred or an unholy enmity and a spiritually crippling hatred in the sands of a mutual understanding and reconciliation, and to enter a beautiful fellowship of love and friendship befitting a mother and son.

That this may come to pass is my prayer for them. And I pray, too, that those who read this story, the parents of today and tomorrow, will resolve that such a tragedy shall never fall upon them and their children.

From Where I Sit

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tives which can be won by war alone. There are others for which wars must be fought, to be sure, but which require still more for their attainment. World peace is in the latter category. It must be built—built in many ways having nothing to do with guns. Our mistake, then, was not getting into war, but getting out of the peace.

It is said that war never settles anything. Yes, it does. It always does. It determines who, in given times, areas, and situations shall shape the policies and institutions of the immedi-

Homecoming Set For Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, Sunday, Nov. 14; Reverend E. T. Browne Speaker

BAHAMA
The Annual Homecoming Celebration of the Mount Calvary Baptist Church will be held Sunday, November 14 at eleven o'clock a.m.

The Reverend E. T. Browne, D.D., pastor of the Mt. Vernon Baptist Church of Durham, will deliver the Annual Sermon. Dr. Brown was born in Virginia, but received his public school training in Pittsburgh, Pa. He is a graduate of Virginia Theological Seminary and College with the degrees of A.B., B.T.H., and D.D. Dr. Browne has done extra studying at Virginia Union, and Union Theological Seminary. He has pastored churches in Virginia, West Va., as well as in North Carolina.

Since 1948 he has been serving as minister of the Mt. Ver-

non Baptist Church of the city of Durham. He holds the 32nd degree York Rite Mason. He is member of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, and a member of the Advisory Recreation Committee of the city of Durham.



THE REV. E. T. BROWNE

Others appearing on the program will be, Mrs. Edna Swann representing the Little River High School, and Miss Costella Parker of Bahama. Music will be furnished by the choir of the church with Mrs. T. C. Graham, accompanist.

American Legion To Sponsor Veterans Day

Attorney M. Hugh Thompson, past local commander and state vice-commander will be the main speaker at the annual Veterans day celebration to be held at the W.D. Hill Center Thursday, November 11th at 8 P.M. The results of the membership drive will be announced at this time.

All veterans, members of the auxiliary, widows of veterans are especially invited.

The annual ORATORICAL CONTEST will be held Sunday Nov. 14, at 3 P.M., at the W. D. Hill Recreation Center.

Caswell County Teachers Attend Resource Meet

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The thirty-four teachers of the Caswell County Training School, along with other teachers of the County, attended a Resource-Use Education Conference in Roxboro, N. C., on October 28.

Dr. Alphonso Elder, president of North Carolina College delivered the main address. Dr. Elder's address was centered around 'The Negro as a valuable resource in America'.
Three counties, namely Caswell, Person, and Granville, presented playlets which demonstrated the importance and use of human and natural resources in the classroom. Caswell County was represented by a playlet given by the Fitch School. It was entitled 'The Wonders Of The Forest'. The next meeting will be held in Caswell County.



ERNE INGRAM one of the country's outstanding Tennis Stars and a promising Singer, joins the staff of WSEC Radio, Durham's newest and most popular Radio Station. Young Ingram was scheduled to appear on the Arthur Geoffrey Talent Scouts Program in November, but chose instead to come back home and accept this new job. He was formerly employed at Station WUST in Washington, D. C. as Assistant Disc Jockey. Ernie, who will be known as "The Count" will have two shows daily, 10:30 you will hear him on "Red, Hot and Blue" and at 1:30 you will be able to hear him on "Bull City Variety," and all day Sunday. He will play all requests sent in by cards and letters to Radio Station WSEC, Durham, N. C.

Moore Speaks To Hillside P. T. A.

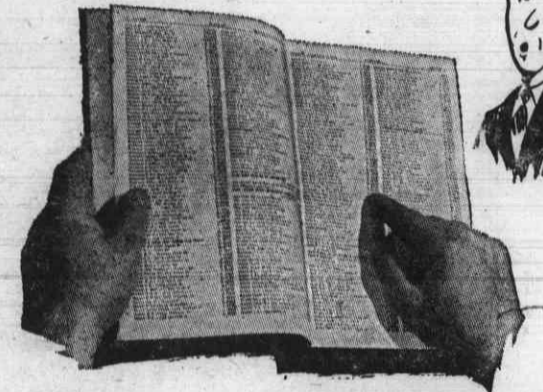
At the November 8th meeting of the Hillside High School Parent-Teacher Association, Dean Eric Moore of the School of Library Science in North Carolina College at Durham discussed the "North Carolina School Segregation Laws."

A graduate of Johnson C. Smith University and holder of advanced degrees in Library Science from Columbia and Chicago Universities, Dean Moore has taken as an area of intensive study the state and federal statutes and judicial decisions governing educational institutions, including schools, colleges, and public libraries. Having had three years' experience as librarian in the North Carolina College School of Law he has investigated southern laws which provide for separate but equal educational systems.

Dean Moore's presentation set forth the facts as to the State's public policy as evidenced in legislative enactments and judicial decisions which control the organization and operation of racially segregated public schools in North Carolina.

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