

United Fund Charter Set For State Approval

The first meeting of the Board of Directors of the United Fund, Canton-Bethel-Clyde, Inc., held Friday at the Champion YMCA in Canton clicked along efficiently through organizational problems under the guidance of Dr. H. A. Matthews, its presiding officer.

The directors read the approved Charter of Incorporation, prepared by Mr. Sam Robinson attorney, and approved same with minor changes. It was explained that only after the charter gains that approval and the United Fund, Canton-Bethel-Clyde, Inc., has legal status may the organization act officially.

Three tentative committees will begin functioning immediately.

The Admission Committee includes F. I. Newman, Fred Ferguson, Alton Phillips, J. R. Sechrist, Roy McKinnish, Hugh Terrell, and Grover C. Haynes.

Appointed to the Publicity and Public Relations Committee are J. E. Williamson, Chairman, Rev. C. J. Lime, C. C. Poindexter, Clayton Mehauff, Mrs. J. R. Westmoreland and W. S. Harvey.

The Budget Committee will function under the direction of R. E. Murphy, Chairman, G. C. Suttles, Henry Seaman, Paul Murray, Carlton Corzine, Dr. W. O. Kearse, F. E. Shull, Jack Abe, L. E. Gates, Mrs. Joe Beverage, Mrs. R. W. Scholl, Turner Cathey, Wesley Holtzclaw, C. C. Nichols, J. E. Reister, and Mrs. Noah Swafford.

It was explained that the Admission Committee will immediately accept the applications of various charitable, health, educational and recreational organizations, either local or national, whose scope of activity falls within the provisions of the Charter and By-laws of the corporation. The Budget Committee will investigate the budget submitted by approved organizations and make recommendations to the Board of Directors accordingly.

Mr. Anthony Rhodes of the Carolina United Fund, Charlotte, spoke to the Board concerning the services supplied by his organization which is a federation of United Fund Drive organizations in North and South Carolina. He also advised what the Carolina United Fund desired in return.

Dr. Matthews announced that the next meeting, to be held at the Canton Y at 7:30 p.m. Friday, August 28, would be concerned with adopting by-laws for the United Fund and in making final arrangements for putting the campaign machinery into motion.

Self-Dumping Lake

ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP) — Lake George, the unique self-dumping lake, has done it again. The annual emptying of the picturesque Chugach Mountains lake is a phenomenon of the ice.

It is sealed with a barrier of ice each winter. As summer brings the big thaw, the barrier weakens gradually under the pressure of the mounting 26 mile long, 4 mile wide reservoir.

The flows builds to riven proportions, ripping out chunks of weakened ice the size of a small house and tossing them along in the torrent down a mountain gorge.

The flows build to river properly a month ahead of last year, due to the warm summer. The runoff raised the Knik and Matanuska rivers five feet and the rush of debris and ice threatened bridges and trestles. The lake is 50 miles north of Anchorage.

Weighty Supervision

BAKERSFIELD, Calif. (AP) — Kern County supervisors boast that they carry more weight than any other five-man board in Calif.

They average 250.8 pounds. Vance Webb of Taft is the biggest supervisor, 6-4 and weighing 272. Charles Salfier of Bakersfield is the "baby" at only 205.

Incidentally, Kern County is California's leading potato producing area.

In Boat Tragedy



BONI BUEHLER, airline stewardess, is in critical condition at Lake Arrowhead, Calif., after a motor boat propeller severed her left arm. Her left leg was so badly mangled that it was later amputated. The craft is owned by Conrad Hilton, millionaire hotel man, who was not involved in the accident. Miss Buehler fell overboard and into the boat's wake while Geary Steffen, former ice skating star, was water skiing behind it.

Miss Cornwell Announces HDC Schedule

Sept. 4—Jonathan—Mrs. Hardy Nelson—REA Kitchen—2:00 p.m.

Sept. 8—Upper Crabtree—Mrs. Matt Davis—2:00 p.m.

Sept. 8—Lakeside—Mrs. Pritchard Smith (Mrs. Troy Boyd)—7:30 p.m.

Sept. 9—White Oak—Community House—2:00 p.m.

Sept. 9—Francis Cove—Mrs. Frank Christopher—7:30 p.m.

Sept. 10—Fines Creek—Mrs. Frank Ferguson—11:00 p.m.

Sept. 11—Iron Duff—Mrs. Grady Davis—2:00 p.m.

Sept. 14—Morning Star—Mrs. P. N. Higgins, Jr.—2:00 p.m.

Sept. 14—Canton Homemakers—Mrs. Edward Haynes (Mrs. E. E. Conley, Mrs. Carlton Peyton)—7:30 p.m.

Sept. 15—South Clyde—Mrs. Van Deaver—2:00 p.m.

Sept. 15—Waynesville Homemakers—Mrs. Howard Bryson—7:30 p.m.

Sept. 16—Bethel—Miss Margie Cathey—(Miss Cora Moore, Mrs. Earl Messer)—2:00 p.m.

Sept. 17—Dellwood—Mrs. T. V. Wells—11:00 a.m.

Sept. 18—Crabtree-Hyder Mt.—Mrs. Joe Smart—2:00 p.m.

Sept. 21—Rogers Cove—Mrs. Horace Crawford—2:00 p.m.

Sept. 21—Ratcliffe Cove—Mrs. Bramlette Stone (Mrs. Joe Medford)—7:30 p.m.

Sept. 22—Clyde—Mrs. Ray Cashion (Mrs. W. V. Haynes, Jr., Mrs. F. F. Roper)—10:30 a.m.

Sept. 23—Cecil—Mrs. Jim Metcalf—2:00 p.m.

Sept. 24—West Canton—Mrs. W. S. McElrath—2:00 p.m.

Sept. 25—Junaluska—Mrs. W. H. Burgin—2:00 p.m.

Sept. 28—McKimmion—Mrs. Hugh Keener—2:00 p.m.

Sept. 28—Saunook—Mrs. Howard Arrington (Miss Betty Arrington)—7:30 p.m.

Dogs For Farmers?

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — What should you do if you have coons in your corn? That's the question the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture was asked by farmers in the southeastern part of the state. The coons were stripping their fields, they complained. The department said: "A pack of good coon dogs might keep the invaders frightened away."

LAFF-A-DAY



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"What do you mean, you need a vacation? What did you do those two weeks that I was away?"

Children Saving Pennies For Library Building Fund

The children of Haywood County are perhaps more concerned than are their elders about the future of the Haywood County Public Library. A good many lollipops and ice cream cones this past summer have been passed up in favor of "buying a brick" for a new library

building. On July 2 Librarian Margaret Johnston put up one brick in a display rack built by Haywood Builders Supply. A simple sign said, "Wanted—a new library. Bricks 4 cents." Since that time Miss John-

ston has deposited \$70 in her gift fund. Some out-of-town visitors have shown their appreciation of the library's service by donations and people from all over the county have dropped in their spare change,

but it is the children who proudly march in clutching four, or eight, or twelve pennies and proclaim, "This is for another brick." Proceeds from sale of duplicate gift books and from flower prints

help to swell the fund.

At four cents a brick, the children have a long way to go to reach their desired library, but they and their parents can hope that concerted action by civic and governmental groups will put the building "over the top"—and the top over the building.

Want ads bring quick results.

REUNIONS IN MINNESOTA
BAUDETTE, Minn. (AP)—Six years ago the village of dette voted to split into two. The part on the east side of Baudette River became Spooner and the portion on the west kept the old name. Now, in the interests of municipal operation, they have voted to consolidate again and name Spooner will be dropped.



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