

# Epworth ladies hold work day

The ladies of the United Epworth Methodist Church held their regular work day at Casey's Fellowship Hall on Wednesday, Nov. 29th. Twenty-five ladies were present and two visitors, Mrs. Terry Wall and Mrs. Frances Semia of New Bern.

A delicious meal was served to the men of the church as well as the ladies. The fellowship that these ladies experience is well worth their time. For what is worth more than good Christian Fellowship in any community?

The ladies of the church were delighted with their bazaar and wish to express their appreciation to all who helped make it successful.

Mrs. Dora Dixon visited her aunt, Mrs. Nellie Woolard on Thursday, Nov. 30, who is a patient at Craven County Hospital. Mrs. Jerry Dixon and Mrs. Bobby Gasking were shoppers in New Bern Friday.

The Epworth United Methodist Women will hold their regular monthly meeting Sunday night at the Casey Fellowship Hall.

The president urges all ladies of the church to be present.

## News of our Epworth Community

by Mrs. Lola Mae Foy  
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Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Haddock and Mrs. Ethel Lancaster visited Mr. Haddock's aunt, Mrs. Zora Smith at the rest home in Greenville Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. David Adams of Greenville were visitors in the community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hill of Kinston have been with Mrs. Hill's mother most of the week. They are helping her make adjustments of the loss of Mrs. Kirkman's husband during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Velma Causey and Mrs. Lola Mae Foy visited Mrs. Mary Alice Dawson who recently returned home from Lenoir Memorial Hospital Sunday afternoon. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Price.



**A FISH STORY**— Pete White smiles as he holds the catch of the day, a 3 pound 5 oz. croaker. This fish was caught while drifting for flounder at Ocracoke. It was caught on a 20 lb. test line.

Mr. E.G. Purcell filled his regular appointment at the Riverside Christian Church Sunday, Nov. 26. Mr. Purcell is using a series of services titled "Let The Bible Be Your Guide." He used as his subject Sunday morning "The Church". The service was thoroughly enjoyed by his congregation. The attendance was very good for Sunday School, also.

The Christian Women Fellowship of Riverside Christian Church will sponsor a Flea Market Sale Sat. Dec. 9th from 9-3 on Main Street in Grifton.



Roger Forrest, new Craven County School Board member, was officially sworn in last Monday.

# Ft. Barnwell Rescue Squad meets

The Ft. Barnwell Rescue Squad has its business meeting the 2nd Monday night of each month at 7 p.m. and training the 4th Monday night of each month at 7 p.m. at the Ft. Barnwell Fire Department. Officers are Kenneth Harris, president; Charles Willis, vice-president; Ann White, secretary-treasurer; Jimmy Nobles, captain; and Dorothy Teachy, lieutenant. We have 32 members at present. We wish to encourage others to take the necessary training and join our squad. Please feel free to contact any of the above officers or any member of our squad if interested in joining, as we understand there will be an E.M.T. Course offered the first part of February in Vanceboro. Our rescue squad services Ft. Barnwell, Dover and Cove City communities. Since we are serving such a large area, we need as many E.M.T.'s (Emergency Medical Technicians) as possible. Since May 27 our

squad has answered 48 calls. Members of the squad attended a 12 hour training course on Extrication Nov. 13-16 at the Fire Department in Ft. Barnwell. Wilson Small from Greenville with the N.C. Dept. of Insurance as instructor. Mr. Small showed us different way to

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by Mrs. Iris Richardson  
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extricate people from wrecked vehicles and how to remove patients from small rooms, such as mobile homes, with as little movement to our patients as possible to prevent further injury. We were also instructed on ways to break glass, to remove windshields and to cut away portions of cars to gain access to patients for treatment and removal with least amount of danger to patient. Mr. Small also instructed us how to life patients, both with or without use of stretcher, again using ease to prevent further injuries. There were approximately 25-30 who attended the training. The Tri-County Emergency Medical Association met November 29, 1978 at 7 p.m. at Craven County Hospital with Dr. Ashford as guest speaker. Dr. Ashford's topic was on pacemakers.

On December 13 the Ft. Barnwell Rescue Squad and Ft. Barnwell Volunteer Fire Department will have a joint Christmas Party at the Fire Department for members and their spouse. The Reading teachers and their aids of the Fort Barnwell Elementary School attended the county wide Parent-Advisory Committee meeting held at Brinson Memorial School, Monday, Nov. 27. Miss Holly Ross of the Fort Barnwell School presided over the meeting. We had 5 parents at this meetin representing our school.

The Fort Barnwell Church of God will have a bazaar at the Fort Barnwell Fire Department on Saturday, December 9 from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. They will have crafts, assorted food items (hot dogs, drinks, cakes, etc.) assorted Christmas decorations and ceramics.

The woman's Auxiliary of the Mosley's Creek Church will have its annual Christmas covered dish supper at the Fellowship Hall on December 9 at 7 p.m. All members and their families are invited to attend.

# Dear Libby

*Psychologist shows how to spot disturbed child*

Dear Libby:

I was reading some very interesting and shocking material that a psychiatrist who treats teenagers and smaller children had compiled. I thought it may well be worth printing. We as parents must heed to the needs of our children. The environment we as parents make for our children has a lot to do with their behavior and the type of person he becomes as an adult.

Here are some of the ways he listed to spot a child that may be emotionally disturbed and could use treatment.

1. Getting along with family members.
2. getting along with friends.
3. How he is doing in school.
4. How he is doing after school.
5. Any anti-social, self destructive or bizare way of behaving.

Also Why Kids Commit Suicide: A lot of children as young as five have committed suicide. They did it to punish their families. They will do it by deliberately running in front of a car. Children between the ages of 10-15

will hang themselves. At 125 they will take poison or an overdose of drugs or cut their wrist. We delude ourselves if we think children have no notion of death and no capacity to choose it over life.

No one wants to talk about it and the statistics are difficult to find. But this silence about a growing problem of children committing suicides must be broken. They didn't have a forethought of knowing their is a solution other than suicide. Therefore, we must have more patiences and understanding with them when we observe they are having a problem. We must be more objective and not be so critical because their problems are just as big to them as ours are to us. They need a friend or a psychiatrist that they can open to. The problem must be discussed or it will be overwhelming to the child.

Suicides at an early age occur because the child is insecure and has been humiliated or frustrated. Concerned in Carolina.

Dear Concerned:

This is a very interesting article and I hope it will help someone, Libby.

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