

Baptist Training Union To Hold Mass Meeting Friday

The Baptist Training Union of the Roanoke Association will hold its mass meeting Friday, March 29, at the Rosemary Baptist Church in Roanoke Rapids. The afternoon session will begin at 4:45 and will include the Junior Memory work tournament, the Intermediate Sword Drill and an inspirational chalk talk by Rev. Paul Lemons of Stantonburg. The evening session will begin at 7:15 and will include the Adult Bible Readers' contest, the Young People's Better Speaking contest, the Hymn Festival, a challenging period in charge of the associational missionaries and a play by the Rosemary Training Union, entitled "The Call of the New Baptist Century."

Those who attend will follow the plan bringing picnic supper, and the host church will supplement this with beverage. Mrs. Hattie Cullom is director of the Rosemary union and in charge of entertainment plans. Rev. Marshall White-Hurst is pastor.

Information Unit Selects Its Officers

Maj. L. P. McLendon of Greensboro was elected chairman yesterday of a North Carolina Fund-Raising Information Committee which was recently authorized by Governor Cherry's fact-finding committee.

The group will act as an independent group of North Carolina citizens and will cooperate closely with the State Board of Welfare, which has legal responsibility for issuing permits to charitable organizations conducting fund-raising campaigns in the state.

Judge Junius G. Adams of Asheville was named vice-chairman and Arthur Phillips of Raleigh was appointed secretary and treasurer.

The Governor's committee, developed out of the pending liquidation of the United War Fund on March 31, when regulations of fund-raising campaigns will return to each locality in the state. During the war all requests for funds were combined into a single campaign and the money apportioned to each agency involved.

The new group will assemble information concerning organizations, including interstate and intrastate, which may propose fund-raising in North Carolina; make the information available to the Board of Welfare; study the budgets and operations of the organizations in order to keep the amounts sought "equitably related to the needs of the organization," and act as a clearing house for information relating to fund-raising.

Committee members are: Judge Junius G. Adams, Asheville; Charles Cannon, Concord; Dr. J. E. Shepherd, Durham; John A. Holmes, Edenton; Sam B. Underwood, Jr., Greenville; C. McD. Davis, Wilmington; Clyde R. Green, Boone; George Perrin, Greensboro; J. H. McEwen, Burlington; Gurney P. Hood, Raleigh; Kemp D. Battle, Rocky Mount; H. E. Stacey, Lumberton, and Sam Marks of Roanoke Rapids.

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Josey Is Named Alumni President

The Halifax-Northampton Wake Forest College Alumni met Tuesday at 7:00 P. M. in the First Baptist Church in Roanoke Rapids with 67 present, including invited guests, who were the Roanoke Rapids High School football team of 1945.

Dr. Bohannon Weathers, Alumni president, presided at the meeting. An interesting program was presented with Dr. Black of the chemistry department of Wake Forest, giving news about Wake Forest and its faculty, and Coach Jim Weaver showing a picture of the Wake Forest-South Carolina Gaiter Bowl game.

R. C. Josey, III, was elected president of the Halifax County Alumni and Frank B. Neal was elected Secretary. E. J. Rogers was elected president of the Northampton County Alumni, and Ben F. Ricks was elected secretary. Wade H. Dickens was the retiring president and Ed Knott the retiring secretary of the Halifax County Alumni.

New Policeman Joins the Force

M. T. Rogers of Franklinton, N. C., who went into the Army with the National Guard in 1941, later being transferred to the Counter Intelligence Corps, serving both in the states and the Pacific, has been appointed to the Roanoke Rapids police force, it was announced today. Rogers is well known here, being a member of the VFW.

George Garner Is Now Back Home

George Garner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Archer Garner, is at home after serving almost a year overseas. Garner arrived in the states last week and was given his honorable discharge at Fort Bragg. His wife is the former Miss Alice Fearson.

Vepco Workers

(Continued from page 1—Sect. A) A strike is contemplated by Gov. Cherry so far as could be learned today.

A spokesman for the local union, when asked if any new developments had taken place, replied that there had been none. A meeting of the local union will be held here tonight, he said, but would not divulge its purpose. He warned, however, that residents of the city "draw" as much water as possible and prepare for the ceasing of electric current by Monday.

W. E. Hamill is president of the union here and S. E. Perdue is secretary. Neither of these officials had any comment today on the situation.

New Automobile Firm Now Open

Godwin-Wilkes Motors, Roanoke Rapids' newest automobile dealer and garage, has opened for business, announcement of which appears in today's Herald. The firm, composed of George Wilkes and Herman Godwin, will handle the Plymouth and Chrysler cars.

Gift Shop Opens At Grant's Studio

One of the most attractive gift shops in Eastern North Carolina has been opened by Grant's Studio at 234 Roanoke Ave. The shop has a large display of lovely gifts for almost any occasion.

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Richard Wilson Expected Home

Richard Wilson, SM 2/c, of 738 Roanoke Avenue, Roanoke Rapids, is returning to the states aboard the USS Kershaw a ship of the "Magic Carpet" Fleet, which left

Okinawa March 2 and is expected to arrive in San Francisco soon.

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