

NEWS in THE WORLD of RELIGION BY W.W. REID

A group of New York's leading young business and professional men, roused by a desire "to translate Christian conviction into Christian action" in the face of war and present world conditions, have organized a 'Laymen's Movement for a Christian World' to promote these ends, they announce from their headquarters at 156 Fifth Avenue New York City.

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Dr. Frank Herron Smith, superintendent of the Pacific Japanese conference of the Methodist Church, the Rev. Gordon K. Chapman a former Presbyterian missionary to Japan the Rev. Dr. J. Kawamorita, president of the Japanese Church Federation of Northern California, are among the Protestant church leaders of California who are organizing religious services for the hundreds of Pacific Coast Japanese Christians and non Christians who are being resettled in the Owens Valley of that state as guests of the United States government.

For more than fifteen years "Dr. Sunshine" has travelled over every corner of New England visiting hospitals and entertaining children especially with imitations of wild birds, barnyard fowl and animals, and by whistling, singing and reciting words of cheer. Doctors attest that his entertainment of afflicted little ones has often been more effective than their medicines.

"Political and economic planning or the 'new world' that is to follow the war does not go deep enough," says Dr. William Paton, of London, England, secretary of the World Council of Churches, now lecturing in the United States. "The spirit of life must be planted in disillusioned hearts; justice must replace revenge; forgiveness must follow justice. The Christian church must help to do this, for it knows the divine secret of healing and re-creating."

HALIFAX NEWS

MRS. TILLERY ENTERTAINS CLUB The Junior Bridge Club met Friday evening in the home of Mrs. Junius Tillery. Lovely arrangements of Spring flowers were used throughout the home.

When several progressions had been concluded, Mrs. W. L. Johnson was winner of top score and Miss Effie Avent second high for club members. Mrs. C. E. Shaw, the guest prize and Mrs. R. W. Millikin traveling prize.

The hostess served a delicious supper plate to the following: Mesdames Chas. Boykin, Russell Weeks, Elizabeth White, W. R. Caudle, W. L. Johnson, F. W. M. White, C. E. Shaw, A. W. Gregory, Quinton Gregory, V. A. Parks, R. W. Millikin, P. C. Draper, Misses Clem Read and Effie Avent.

FIREMEN ENTERTAINED

The members of the Halifax Fire Department were entertained at W. R. Caudles cabin Monday night at a barbecue chicken supper.

Those present were Messrs R. H. Wright, Milton Read, H. B. House, C. E. Shaw, Link Dickens, A. L. Hux, L. H. Pearce, Jesse Shearn, Roger Gupton, W. R. Caudle. Guests of the firemen were Lovie Millikin, Buck Millikin and Sydney Griffin.

Negro 4-H Health Champions Named At Spring Rally

Kelly Hedgepeth and Helen Willis were crowned Health King and Queen at the Negro 4-H Club Spring Rally held in Halifax County Courthouse April 6. Over 300 people witnessed the occasion which was an observance of the 28th National Negro Health Week. Credo by health champions of the 12 Four-H clubs, remarks by health officials, Easter memories and the County 4-H Song Contest were featured on the program.

Dr. Robert Young, County Health Officer, gave the 22 contestants very thorough physical examination. Assisting him was Nurse E. M. Holmes who also

headed health contests in local communities where over 350 Four-H members were examined. The two Health Rulers, Kelly Hedgepeth of Bobbitt-Reid's Faithful Few Club and Helen Willis of Eastman's Wide A Wake Club scored 92 and 94 points respectively. Nurse Holmes and Rev. J. W. Wiley, Principal of Bricks Tri-County High School, conducted the Health Ceremony. Clubs participated on the program were Bobbitt-Reid, Rebecca Whitaker and Kelly Hedgepeth; Dawson, James Johnson and Minerva Clark; Eastman, Ray Thornton and Helen Willis; Eden, Rossie Wilkins and Arcelia Adams; Everett, James Daniels and Mimmie E. Hines; Felton, Cleo Richardson; Fries, Jasper Edmonds and Mary E. Brantley; Halifax County Training School, David Moore and Olivia Hawkins; John Armstrong, Chaloner School, Walden Shaw and Helen Clark; Piney Grove, John W. Hawkins; Sam's Head, Charlie Pierce and Josephine Smith; Tillery, Learn Hendricks and Helen Battle.

Some very helpful health suggestions were given by Dr. W. L. Horne of Weldon.

Felton 4-H Club won first place in the Quartette Song Contest. Bobbitt-Reid ranked second and Eden third. The County 4-H Council, under the supervision of Miss Ruth Whitworth and D. J. Knight, Negro Home and Farm Agent, offered a free trip to the State 4-H Short Course at Greensboro in August to the winning quartet. The second prize is a free trip to Chowan Beach during the summer and a third place club received a 4-H gavel. Mrs. Charlie Boykins of Halifax served as judge for the Song contest.

Rev. F. L. Bullock of Enfield closed the program with an impressive Easter message.

D. J. KNIGHT, Negro County Agent, Enfield, N. C.

Miss Bell Hicks Purvis of Salisbury has returned to N. C. C. W. after visiting her sister, Mrs. W. W. Finkler.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anthony and Mrs. George Joyner spent Tuesday in Sunbury and were accompanied home by little George Joyner who has been spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Watts.

Miss Nan Anthony visited in Wilson Sunday.

The many friends here of Mr. T. D. Lawrence of Enfield will regret to learn he is ill in Duke Hospital, Durham.

LITTLETON

Rev. Lawrence Stell of Roanoke Rapids will deliver the sermon.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. James Walter Harvey announce the engagement of their daughter, Bettie Lucille to Albert Schlichter Fishel of Norfolk, Va., the wedding to take place in the spring.

Easter Egg Hunt

The Primary Class of Littleton Baptist church were guests at an Easter Egg Hunt which was held at the home of Miss Hazel Insko, their teacher on Saturday at 4 o'clock. The following children were present, Claudia Alston, Eve Ragland, James Odell Carson, Ellis Perry, Charles Topping, Frances Collier, Mary Virginia Hale, Ruth Joyner, Bobby Kirkland, Charles Abernathy and Bobby Partin.

Dance Recital

Miss Elizabeth Holmes will present her Dance Festival April 17 at 8 P. M. in the Littleton High School auditorium. This Festival

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is sponsored by the Littleton Parent Teachers Association. The three act Festival will consist of Banet, rock and Tap Dances. The fragrant of Banet will be procured with, Vaise Brilliant and in Old Vienna as some of the numbers.

A few of our Tap routines are Anapolo, Lady Be Good, Eimer's Tune and Military Taps.

Littleton P. T. A. has been active this year in sponsoring the school lunch room. In addition to installing entire new equipment they have served about 20 free lunches a day to indigent children. The dance Festival will be the last drive of the P. T. A. for this season and the whole hearted support of the public is solicited.

LITTLETON HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

All parents who have children to enter the first grade next fall are urged to attend the Beginners Day program at the local school on Tuesday, April 14, beginning at 10 A. M. Features of the program will be visitation of the prospective pupil's room, free lunch and physical examination, including free vaccination for small pox and diphtheria. The staff of both the Halifax and Warren counties Health department will assist with the program, augmented by local physicians, Dr. Robert Young, Halifax County Health Officer will speak to the Parent-Teacher Association which meets at 4 p. m.

The local School Committee of which W. G. Alston is chairman, has announced the reelection of F. H. Eason as principal of the Littleton Schools for the next school session. Mr. Eason came here last year after serving as director of physical education at Fuquay Springs High School. During the school year the gymnasium and community building were completed, the Home Economics department renovated a new lunchroom project started, and approximately 500 books added to the elementary library.

The Seventh Grade pupils, with their teacher Miss Mattie McGinnes, visited Raleigh on their annual trip to the State Capitol Thursday, April 2. Thirty-three persons, including chaperones made the trip. The grade raised the money for this project by selling Christmas cards.

The first Salvage for Victory drive Wednesday, April 1, netted approximately three tons of paper 1 ton of rubber and 5 tons of metal. The funds from the sale of this waste will be used by the local Civilian Defense Council. The chairman of the Salvage Committee has announced that the town truck will collect waste each Wednesday of the week. Citizens are urged to place their contribution in front of the house each Wednesday morning early. Any persons having large quantities for sale, will please notify F. H. Eason or Marvin Newsome.

The United Christian Social Service Has Meeting

The U. C. S. S. met at the home of their chairman, Miss Lucy Leach in Littleton on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

After reading the minutes of the last meeting some of the cases aided since then were discussed.

The T. B. patient in whom this organization was interested has been admitted to the Sanatorium. An invalid negro man whom we had aided has joined the Shut in Society—money paid for his admission was contributed by negro Relief Organization. Some time ago we procured a rolling chair for this man and with aid of this chair he can get around the house and yard and do many things he was unable to do to help himself and others before getting the chair. One of our members joined the Shut in Society as an associate member and our organization joined also. Our organization became responsible for a boy threatened with rabies.

A contribution of old clothes or most anything was asked for a negro family who had been burned out.

The W. P. S. school garden sponsored by the U. C. S. S. was at first a success but later everything was destroyed by chickens.

We are planning to send another contribution to the American Bureau of Medical Aid to China.

We have had two calls for families wanting practical nurses. Our Red Cross representatives said they would soon have twenty five sweaters and eight dresses to send in. Financial Report for last Month For 6 trips to Warrenton For Commodities \$20.40 Serum for rabies \$15.25 Food for needy family \$2.00 Food for needy family \$4.01 Milk \$2.50 Clothes \$1.75 Transportation \$4.00 Grand Total \$50.91

A. L. A. News

Home nursing training is being urged by the American Legion Auxiliary as one of the most valuable things a woman can possess today, according to Mrs. L. H. Justis, civilian defense chairman of the local Auxiliary Unit. Auxiliary members and other women who have the time are being asked to enroll in the Home Nursing Course of the Red Cross.

"With thousands of trained nurses enrolling in the armed forces, there will be a shortage of nurses

on the home front," Mrs. Justis said. "War brings danger of epidemics as well as danger of bombing. We must be prepared to protect our homes and the woman who is trained in home nursing is of great value to her family, her community and the nation."

First aid training and training as canteen workers were also urged by Mrs. Justis for women who wish to prepare themselves for service to the country. Courses in both are offered by the Red Cross. Auxiliary members in communi-

ties near government have been asked to service with the Red Cross as hospital workers. A special training course for these women and day accredited hospital Army and Navy Full strength of with its 525,000 members offered to the Red Cross work. Auxiliary members part in Red Cross all kinds throughout and through this work important contribution's war effort.



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