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THE BLOODWORTH STREET YMCA.

Through sports and club programs develops simultaneously body, mind and religious tendencies. This service for Negro boys was organized recently and was taken into the Chest. The Chest will give \$4,600.00 for its support next year. Mr. E. L. Raiford is the Executive Secretary.

THE BOY SCOUTS

Building character and citizenship in your young boys through their recreational program. In 1947 an increased Chest allocation will permit the extension of these services to many more Negro boys. A Negro executive will be employed this year to work in Durham, permitting your field executive, G. F. Newell, to devote twice as much time to Wake County. The Scouts' plan for Negroes calls for an increase in the number of Scouts. The Chest allocation for Negro Scouting will be increased approximately \$1,200.00 this year.

NURSING SERVICE

Last year your nurses made 6,268 visits to Negro homes where there was sickness and treated 1,644 individuals, while 584 more patients were treated at the clinics. 50% of this agency's budget goes to work with Negroes. Miss Lula M. Harris and Mrs. Bertha McCrimmon Wilcox are the two Negro nurses provided by the Chest. This year's allocation to the Nursing Service will be \$240.00 more than last year.

THE TRAVELERS AID

Provides an information desk at the bus terminal for Negro travelers. In 1945, 1,742 individuals were given directions, while 64 more received special aid. \$120.76 was spent on relief and other services to the travelers. (This is a branch of the Family Service Society.)

THE Y.W.C.A

Offers educational and recreational programs to young Negro girls. Last year these programs had a total attendance of 19,789. Mrs. Ruby Stroud, Branch Director, tells us that 403 girls are regular "Y" members, but many more are reached through the various programs. Both the programs and membership will be expanded in the coming year. The 1947 Chest allocation to this agency will be increased by approximately \$1,600 over last year's allocation.

A Word From Your Colonels

EVERYBODY BENEFITS is not just a slogan when it's used by your Community Chest. It is a fact. Everybody in this community DOES benefit directly or indirectly from the health, character building and welfare services of Your Community Chest.

BUT DO YOU KNOW that many of these services are designed especially for YOU, Raleigh's Negro citizens? Do you know that during 1945, 5,813 Negroes were served DIRECTLY by the Chest... and that this year, two more agencies have been added to the Chest, especially for you, while others are expanding and improving their programs for Negroes?

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS will state briefly facts about the Red Feather Service designed for you. Whenever possible, some and figures are given. We were amazed at the amount of time, effort and money the Chest expends on us. We think you will be too.

THE NORTH CAROLINA COMMISSION ON INTERRACIAL COOPERATION

Works through personal contacts, organized groups and public relations to see that all persons, regardless of race or creed receive the full rights and benefits of citizenship. This agency, from which we should all benefit, was also recently taken into the Chest. It's allocation for 1946 is \$200.00 of a state budget of approximately \$7,000.00.

FREE SCHOOL LUNCHES

Are being given to 119 Negro children this year at a cost of \$1,344. This too, is a part of the work of the Family Service Society.

THE TUTTLE COMMUNITY CENTER.

Is another agency especially for you. Here there is a day nursery where your youngest children are cared for while parents work. Supervised play, instruction in handiwork, sewing and home making are provided for school-age children. Recreational programs are offered to restless teenagers and organized sports to older boys. Parents are not forgotten either. Classes in homemaking, dressmaking and the like are offered at night to mothers. There is even a good library that anybody can use! Last year 1,201 Negro children and adults were served by the Center. It's 1947 allocation from the Chest is \$4,385.09, an increase of \$230.00 over last year's allocation.

THE COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Coordinates all your community services and studies further needs.

THE GIRLS SCOUTS

Provide character building and recreational programs for 186 of your girls last year. Mrs. Catherine Clappery is field director for Negro girls. Under her leadership the program should be greatly expanded in 1947. The Chest allocation to this agency will be increased.

THE USO

Will continue until the end of 1947 to provide recreation for our young men in training our armies of occupation and our disabled who lie in hospitals. A large portion of their funds will be expended on Negro troops. Here in Raleigh the USO has donated \$200.00 a month to the Negro YMCA for soldier recreation.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE FUNCTIONS

For your social agencies are performed by the Chest and Council staffs. Your portion of the expense of these services amounts to about \$2,000.00 a year.

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