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What Is Man?

Christian Evangelist

After twenty years spent in construction of the 200-inch-telescope and its housing on Mount Palomar near Pasadena, Calif., this new window to the stars was dedicated the first week in June in the presence of a thousand distinguished scientists and leaders in fields of research. This giant eye will double the distance man can look into the farther universe and add vast dimensions to knowledge.

"What," asked a trustee of the Rockefeller Foundation which contributed \$6,500,000 to the project, "are we going to do with our new knowledge? Aren't we acquiring more knowledge than we can assimilate?"

Never have thoughtful men been more disturbed over the unpredictable consequences of knowledge than they are now in the age of atomic energy and the 200-inch telescope.

During the very period when men were seeking the "know how" to harness and use nuclear energy, and to create an instrument to penetrate to the outposts of time and space, they have engaged in two of the most destructive wars of all time and witnessed a savagery of inhumanity unparalleled in the experience of the race. In two generations when man has added most to his knowledge of his environment and power in it, he

has used both his knowledge and power more for evil than for good. And today with atomic energy and the Palomar telescope at his command he is haunted by the frightful fear of self-annihilation.

Raymond Fosdick, president of the Rockefeller Foundation, in an address dedicating the new telescope declared, "The search for truth is as it always has been, the noblest expression of the human spirit. . . . And yet we know, deep in our hearts, that knowledge is not enough. This telescope is not enough. The vast enterprise of men that is pushing out the boundaries of knowledge in glorious advenue on a score of frontiers is not enough. Unless we can anchor our knowledge to moral foundations, the ultimate result will be dust and ashes—dust and ashes that will bury the hopes and monuments of men beyond recovery. The towering enemy of man is not his science but his moral inadequacy."

If the statesmen and scholars and teachers and publicists and generals of the world could see the universe from Mt. Palomar they might come to a better understanding and conviction of the message of the Sermon on the Mount. They might get a clearer perspective of what Jesus meant by first things.

Crusade For Children

An international crusade for children while nearing completion in several countries and in most of the States is just being launched in Martin County.

The crusade, planned to make every penny count for the welfare of war orphans still in camps, has the endorsement of the world's greatest leaders. A dollar advanced in the name of suffering little humanity will go directly for that purpose without encountering barriers or deductions.

The need is great and since it is certain that every penny will go toward helping those little ones who cannot help themselves, the people of Martin County can well afford to pitch in and help raise the \$2,500 county quota.

Finland, the little country burdened by war reparations and war wreckage itself, has already raised its quota and quite a number of children are living today who, otherwise, would have starved to death had it not been for those advance gifts. Most of the counties in this state have already over-subscribed their quotas. It is sincerely hoped Martin County citizens will meet the challenge.

Truth and love are two of the most powerful things in the world; and when they both go together they cannot easily be withstood.—Cudworth.

CHURCH NEWS

HAMILTON BAPTIST E. R. Stewart, Pastor. 10 a. m., Bible School. 11 a. m., Worship service. 6:30 p. m., Baptist Training Union. 7:30 p. m., Evening worship. 8 p. m., mid-week prayer service.

EVERETTS BAPTIST E. R. Stewart, Pastor. 10 a. m., Bible school. 6:45 p. m., Baptist Training Union. 7:15, Revival meeting services Monday through Sunday. Rev. Waldo D. Early will assist and do the preaching. The public is invited to attend.

WEST END BAPTIST J. Thad Ashley, Pastor. 9:45 a. m., Sunday school. Exum L. Ward, Sr., superintendent. 11:00, Morning worship service. 6:30, Baptist Training Union. The time for Sunday evening worship service and for the mid-week prayer service has been changed from 8:00 p. m. to 7:30 p. m.

Friday evening, October 1, the Sunday school will have a wiener roast on the church grounds. All members are urged to be present. The regular mid-week prayer service will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal will be held immediately afterward.

Church Of The Advent (Episcopal) John W. Hardy, Rector. 19th Sunday after Trinity. Friday night, October 1, 8:00-8:30, Episcopal Radio Hour over the Mutual Broadcasting system. Sunday: 8:00 a. m., Celebration of the Holy Communion. 9:45, Church school. Reg. Simpson, Supt. 10:00, Bible Class. W. Iverson Skinner, Teacher. 11:00, Morning prayer and sermon. The service will be broadcast over WRRF in Washington. 8:00 p. m., Vestry meeting at the rectory. This is an important meeting and all members are asked to attend.

Monday 4:00 p. m., Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary afternoon group at the Parish House. 8:00 p. m., Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary night group at the Parish House. Wednesday 10:30 a. m., Mid-week celebration of the Holy Communion. 8:00 p. m., Choir rehearsal.

BAPTIST Stewart B. Simms, Pastor. Margaret W. Baldree, Educational Director. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11:00.

Our Sunday evening service is being dismissed in order to enable our people to attend the revival services at the Methodist church. Tuesday: The regular W. M. S. general meeting has been postponed from Monday night to Tuesday night at 8 p. m. at the church. Wednesday: Mid-week service at the church at 7:30.

Adult choir practice at 8:30 p. m. The Rocky Mount W. M. U. Divisional meeting will be at Kingston, Oct. 6th at 10:30 a. m. Thursday: Sunbeam meeting at 4:00 p. m.

CHRISTIAN John L. Goff, Pastor. Rally Day will be observed at 9:45 with the goal of 325. Mrs. G. G. Woolard, teacher of Philathea Bible Class; Mr. E. S. Peel, teacher of Men's Bible Class. William H. Sessoms, superintendent, extends a most cordial welcome to any not attending Bible school. Classes for all ages. Morning worship and Lord's Supper at 11. Subject: "Remember Me." C. Y. F. and Chi Rho groups meet at 6:30. In cooperating with the meeting in progress at the Methodist Church our people are urged to attend this service.

Woman's Council meets Monday at 4:00 in the church. Tuesday, 7:30, Choir rehearsal at the church. Mid-week prayer and study service will be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Manning on Marshall Avenue. The 17th chapter of The Acts will be studied.

Our church reluctantly regrets to announce that the series of meetings that were to have begun on Wednesday night with Rev. Newton J. Robison will have to be postponed. Mr. Robison was urged to teach a course in Religion at State College which he could not well refuse to do. A later statement will be made concerning the meeting.

REVIVALIST



Rev. Waldo Early, pastor of the Roseboro Baptist Church, will conduct a series of revival services in the Everetts Baptist Church, beginning next Monday night at 8:00 o'clock.

Will Speak On Baptist Hour

"The Christian Message for the World Crisis" will be the subject of the Baptist Hour for October 3, with Dr. Arnold T. Ohrn, executive secretary of the Baptist World Alliance, as the speaker.

Formerly president of the Baptist Theological Seminary, Oslo, Norway, and past president of the Baptist Union of Norway, Dr. Ohrn has recently come to Washington, D. C., to assume his new duties in the Baptist World Alliance.

Heard in this area over Station WPTF at 8:30 a. m., the Baptist Hour series is presenting during September and October messages on the general theme "Christ Is Lord."

HOLINESS N. J. Ward, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:45. B. D. Wynn, supt. Morning worship at 11:00. Youth service at 6:00. Evangelistic service at 7:30. Mid-week prayer service, Wednesday night at 7:30.

Revival Meeting In Everetts Baptist Church

The Fall Revival will begin at Everetts Baptist Church next Monday night. Services each night at 8 o'clock. Services for children at 7:15 p. m., October 4 to 10. Rev. Waldo D. Early of Roseboro will assist and do the preaching. A man with a message. On October 10 a home coming service will be held with dinner served on the grounds. The public is invited to all services.

JAMESVILLE BAPTIST W. B. Harrington, Pastor. Regular services will be held at Jamesville Baptist church Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present and the public is invited.

CEDAR BRANCH BAPTIST W. B. Harrington, Pastor. Regular services will be held at

Cedar Branch Baptist Church on Sunday at 11 o'clock. All members are urged to be present and the public is invited.

METHODIST

E. R. Shuller, Minister. 9:45, Church school. Fletcher Thomas, superintendent. 11:00, Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor. 6:00, Youth fellowship. 7:30, Evening worship. Sermon by Rev. J. O. Long. This will be the closing service of our revival meeting.

8:00, Tuesday, Circle No. 1 will meet with Mrs. T. B. Brandon and circle No. 2 will meet with Mrs. J. B. Glenn with Mrs. Robert P. Monteith as joint hostess.

7:30, Wednesday, Bible Study, using Psalms 30, 24, 132 and 101. 8:15, Wednesday, Choir rehearsal.

Called Home By Sudden Death of Her Mother

Miss Anne Wollett, efficient and popular court stenographer who was reporting the current term of the superior court here, was called to her home in Littleton early last night by the sudden death of her mother there. Few details of Miss Wollett's mother's death could be learned here immediately, information reaching here stating that she died suddenly and unexpectedly.

HOLLY SPRINGS METHODIST Sunday school at 11:00 o'clock each Sunday morning. Mr. C. L. Daniel, superintendent. Regular church service at 3:00 each first and third Sunday afternoon.

Almost half of all Navy officers on active duty have risen from enlisted service, statistics show.

Advertisement for B. S. Courtney And Son featuring a quote "Mean to" and "intend" make a mighty poor harvest" and "Do Not Put Off Buying Your HEATING STOVE ANY LONGER".

Large advertisement for the LION'S CLUB HARVEST FESTIVAL in Williamston, N. C., starting Thursday, Sept. 30 and ending Saturday, October 9th.

Advertisement for the BAPTIST and CHRISTIAN churches, listing services and contact information.

Large advertisement for Chas. H. Jenkins & Co. Oldsmobile Dealer, featuring a table of car models and prices, and a 5-point pledge to the public.