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BIBLE THOUGHT

Let every soul be subject unto the higher powers. For there is no power but of God: the powers that be are ordained of God. Romans 13:1.

JUDGE DAN K. MOORE

The Herald extends congratulations and best wishes to our fellow townsman, Dan K. Moore, who has been elevated to the position of Superior Court Judge in North Carolina and resident Judge of this, the 20th Judicial District. To become a Superior Court Judge in North Carolina one must be qualified for the position or else he would never have a chance to warm the bench. That is just how the people from the Governor down, feel about this responsible post.

Mr. Moore, coming from a family in which being Judge has become a habit, is amply qualified to make a judge who will do honor to his county, state and to himself and we know that he will do just that.

A STEP FORWARD

After much study and careful consideration the Jackson County Commissioners have taken a step forward in changing the old type county home system to a private boarding home system for the care of the aged and infirmed of the county.

It was announced this week by J. A. Bryson, chairman of the board, and G. C. Henson, superintendent of public welfare, that the new system is now operating smoothly and that the inmates are much happier under the new arrangements.

Under this new plan the county is relieved of the operation and expense of the home, except for a small fraction which is handled through the welfare department. The funds for providing for these people come from the Federal and State welfare money—three-fifths of the total cost from Federal funds and one-fifth from the State. The county provides the other fifth.

County officials estimate a saving to the taxpayers of several hundred dollars per month.

Each inmate receives a monthly check sufficient to pay board and a small extra sum for spending money.

Before the change could be made the home and the parties operating it had to be approved by the state and county welfare and health departments.

PLAIN TALK ON OIL

The American Petroleum Institute has published a booklet which explains some of the facts of life as they apply to oil.

Our thirst for oil has attained almost incredible dimensions. America alone consumes more of it than was required by the entire world only ten years ago. The peak reached in wartime was below the present level. And the United States is consuming 28 times as much oil per person as the rest of the world.

The industry, recognizing its obligations, is engaged in a \$4,000,000,000 expansion program which is going forward as rapidly as the necessary materials can be obtained. It has managed to build up oil reserves to a new high level—a remarkable achievement in the light of consumption figures. And, finally, it is developing foreign oil resources which will ultimately relieve much of the pressure on our domestic facilities.

There hasn't been a severe oil shortage—which is a testimonial to prior planning by the companies in the "tight" areas. Reasonable conservation by the using public will prevent a shortage in the future. The public is asked, for ex-

INSIDE WASHINGTON

Washington—Here is the story behind President Truman's refusal to reappoint James M. Landis as chairman of the Civil Aeronautics Board:

Washington aviation experts say that a clique of bankers and airline executives, who labeled Landis as too much of a "New Dealer," convinced Mr. Truman that Landis should go.

Intimates of the retired CAB chief said he knew the "ax would fall" a considerable time before the president announced he was not reappointing Landis.

The bankers and airline executives, say friends of Landis, figured him as "too liberal" and opposed his appointment for a long term. He was filling the unexpired term of L. Welch Pogue, and had he been reappointed would have served a full six years.

Landis is known to be bitter about the chief executive's decision to drop him.

When the White House made it known that he was not to be retained, the Airline Pilots' association began a strong campaign of protest, but it had no effect.

However, Landis has accepted a business connection with Joseph Kennedy, wealthy former ambassador to Great Britain, and is consoled by the fact that he should have no immediate financial worries.

FEDERAL INSECURITY — Workers on the federal payrolls are pointing their fingers at recent resignations among government bigwigs and saying, "I told you so!" The workers have long maintained that the high cost of living has not been compensated for in federal salaries.

The result, they declare, is the employes with long service—some as much as 30 years—are leaving their government jobs to take better-paying positions in private industry.

Most recent examples of the exodus to more lucrative private jobs were the resignations of two key members of the Federal Communications commission.

Charles R. Denny announced last Oct. 31 that he was leaving Uncle Sam's payroll to become vice president and general counsel of the National Broadcasting company.

On Dec. 26, FCC member Ewell K. Jett went to the White House and personally submitted his resignation to President Truman. His reason for resigning, like Denny's, was primarily financial.

Jett joins the Baltimore Sun as vice president and director of radio. He left his federal post after 37 years with the government, 19 of them with the FCC.

VETS EYE CONGRESS—The veterans and their intelligence forces — the editors of the service papers and magazines—are proving themselves to be more politically wise than in the past.

They are keeping a sharp eye on Congress and on the various state legislatures. And the veterans' publications are quick to interpret events and situations and quickly go into print with a diagnosis for their ex-GI readers.

The latest illustration is publication by the Army Times of its pick of the 10 top GI news stories of 1947. The No. 1 story, of course, was the redemption of nearly \$1,500,000,000 in leave bonds and interest.

However, here is the story that the Times editors chose for the No. 2 veterans story of the year:

"The admitted 'conspiracy of inaction' among Republican leaders in the 80th Congress by which they successfully stalled off a final decision on all new vet benefits and modification of existing benefits until next year—an election year—for frankly political reasons."

Neatest trick of the year is that of the politician who tosses his hat into the ring and talks through it at the same time.

What, asks a reader, does a backseat driver do when not motoring? That's easy—she spends that spare time telling friends how to cure their colds.

In Nebraska a cow climbed up onto the roof of a barn. Probably just wanted to get a close-up view of the latest price for beef and milk.

ample, to keep room temperatures in homes using oil heat to 68 degrees, and to resist the urge to speed in automobiles.

All the indications are that the demand for oil will continue to rise. And the industry is expanding daily to carry the load.

February's "Big Three"



The Everyday Counsellor

By REV. HERBERT SPAUGH, D. D.

Too many people mistake Christianity for Christianity, religious teaching and ritual for lovable Christian living. A letter is before me now from a correspondent, a husband who is greatly plagued at home by a nagging wife. He says she is active in the work of her church, nags at him to attend, nags at him about everything else. He says she leaves her Christian profession at the church, and never practices it at home. He writes, "I know that I need help, but she nags at me instead of trying to help me. I have been praying for guidance as to whether I should stay on with her for the children's sake or leave her and try to establish a home for myself and the children elsewhere. This may sound like I'm crazy, but I'm not; I just want some peace and happiness in my home and in my heart."



Such cases are pitiful, and there are many of them. Sometimes it is the husband and sometimes it is the wife. The tragedy in such cases is that some times these naggers and railers are active church members; active in the forms and work of the church. They have forgotten, if they ever knew, that the best definition of the God, whom they profess to worship and serve, is love. No man or woman can be a real Christian without love in his heart for God and his fellow men.

Unselfish love is the most powerful force in the world. It is stronger than any other force, than hate, bitterness, railing, nagging. The wife in this case is evidently suffering from some mental or emotional illness. She may need competent, psychiatric, or medical treatment. She may be fighting in her own way for something which she does not possess. She may need spiritual conversion. Saint Paul wrote, "Be not overcome of evil, but overcome evil with good." Let that method be tried here. He also wrote that an unbelieving wife could be sanctified by her believing husband. Here is a home which desperately needs

God. Bitterness and anger need to be prayed out. Let the husband commit himself and his home to his Lord for salvation and guidance. If all of his efforts fail, after seeking competent guidance from his minister and doctor, there is nothing in the Bible which compels him to rear his children in a home which is a constant battlefield. Let him separate himself and his children and establish a home where there can be peace.

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Miss Sara-Jean Sutton Finalist In Contest

Miss Sara Jean Sutton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Sutton, of Cullowhee, who will graduate from Western Carolina Teachers' College training school this spring, has been named one of five finalists from this region for women in the Angier Duke scholarship competition.

The selections were made Wednesday February 4, in Concord after a full day of interviews. The five girls were selected from 33 candidates in that district on the basis of their high school records, test results, and interviews. Special consideration was given to the candidates' breadth of interests, native ability, qualities of leadership, and personality.

Like a man's arm, the soil is built up through proper use, not abuse or disuse. When land is either abused through bad cropping systems or left to lie idle and erode, it deteriorates rapidly.

CASHIERS SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

The following students are placed on the honor roll for the month of January, in recognition of effort and conduct:

Grade I—Birdell Bradley, Dale Deal, Lila Ruth Fugate, Peggy McCall, Betty Mae Rogers, Malina Smith, Lois Estes, Eugene Moffitt, G. F. Rice, Charles Lee Robinson, Odell Rogers, Jimmie McCall, Jimmy White, Darrell Nicholson.

Grade II—Gloria Faye Bumgarner, Anne Bryson, Donna Bryson, Marilyn Dillard, Connie Hyatt, Lynda Jones, Carolyn Watson, Doyle Baumgarner, Joel Fisher, Ivan McCall, Earl Rice, Oliver Rice, Jimmie Rogers, Bill Smith, Arlon White, Charles Wiggins.

Grade III — Johnnie Chappell, Raye Fowler, Carol Fisher, Gerald Figate, Dean Madden, Barbara Allen, Margaret Alexander, Patsy Alexander, Marvin Fowler, Blaine Hawkins, J. C. McCall, Arnold Passmore, Barbara Passmore, Carl Passmore, Edna White.

Grade VII—Faye Allen, Jimmie Alexander, Eddie Baumgarner, Carry Jo Bryson, Audrey Deal, Emma Sue Dillard, Aileen Long, Evelyn Madden, Buck McCall, Eloise Pennington, Helen Rice, Anna Belle Rochester, Barbara Watson, Eldon McCall, Carol Lee Bradley, June Ellen Baumgarner, Shelley Ann Passmore, Gladys Rice, Cecelia Rogers, Shirley Wiggins, June McCall, Faye Fowler, Audrianna Hawkins.

Grade IV — Agnes Chappell, James Zachary, Dottie Deal, Polly Allen, Dorothy Mae Rochester, Josephine Bradley, Mae Beth Fugate, Loretta Passmore, George Hunter, Anna McCall, Shirley Baumgarner.

Grade V—Buddy Rochester, Jimmy Madden, Willine Fugate, Marie McCall, Ella Mae Rice, Ruby Dillard, Jean Passmore, Martha

Youth Fellowship To Have Annual Banquet At Cullowhee Church

The Jackson County Sub-District Methodist Youth Fellowship will hold its annual banquet at Cullowhee Methodist church Monday evening, February 16, at 7:00 o'clock. The program is in charge of the Cullowhee Youth Fellowship with Rev. Jack Kirby, pastor of Central Methodist church in Canton, as principal speaker.

The Wesley Foundation is in charge of the banquet and they state that they are expecting about fifty people for the banquet.

A gallon of skim milk or buttermilk daily for pigs in dry lot or about 3 quarts for pigs that have access to good pasture is enough to satisfy the protein requirements of pigs that are given all of the corn they will eat.

Baumgarner, Lucille Early, Lovene Chappell, Nancy Hyatt.

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