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HOT SPRINGS, N. C.

TODAY'S meditation

The Upper Room

THE WORLD'S MOST WIDELY USED DEVOTIONAL GUIDE

Read II Corinthians 3:12-18

We all, with open face beholding as in a glass the glory of the Lord, are changed into the same image from glory to glory, even as by the Spirit of the Lord.

—(II Corinthians 3:18)

The Christian journey is one of progressive stages of growth — just as with an ear of corn there is "first the blade, then the ear, after that the full corn in the ear." Perhaps we could paraphrase Jesus' illustration as a description of the Christian's growth — first the convert to Christ, then the new babe in Christ, and lastly the mature soldier of Christ.

Once we have made the initial acceptance of the Savior, we begin our walk with Him. We are gradually changed to His very likeness. As a plant either grows or dies, so it is in the realm of the spirit. There is no static condition for a Christian.

It is vitally important for the Christian to receive maple spiritual food in the form of Bible reading, prayer, and fellowship. Each of us needs to make frequent and honest evaluation of his progress concerning his growth in Christ-likeness.

Prayer: Dear Lord, help us to look unto Jesus, who is the author

and finisher of our faith. This day grant us growth in likeness to Him that our hearts may be like His and our spirits in harmony with Thy will. We pray in His name. Amen.

Though for the day: If we are failing to grow in Christlikeness, we are sinning against both God and ourselves.

—Jeanne Roberts (Calif.)

O, MAMA, I WILL NOT TAKE THE HOME PAPER DOWN TO THE POST OFFICE AND BUY A WRAPPER AND MAIL IT TO OUR SON, JIMMY—BUT I'M GOING TO DROP IN TO THE NEWSPAPER OFFICE AND SUBSCRIBE FOR JIMMY AND THEN HE WILL GET THE HOME PAPER EVERY WEEK

WOOL INCENTIVE PROGRAM NOTES

Wool production in the United States in 1962 dropped below production in 1961. According to Emory Robinson, Chairman Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation County Committee, ASCS in Madison County and throughout the Nation, operates a program designed at increasing domestic production of wool.

Wool is an essential and strategic commodity which is not produced in sufficient quantity in the United States. "For this reason," he said, "Congress passed the Wool Act of 1954 which directed the Secretary of Agriculture to provide an incentive program which would encourage an annual production of 300 million pounds of shorn wool."

For the last few years the incentive price under the wool program has been set at 62 cents per pound for shorn wool. The program provides that farmers market their wool through the normal channels obtaining the best possible price for their production. At the end of the marketing year, the Department of Agriculture determines the average National price obtained by all wool growers for their wool. The percentage required to bring this National price up to the 62-cent incentive level is determined and all farmers who market wool receive this percentage increase in their income from wool sold.

According to Robinson, with the exception of 1962, every year this program has been in effect it has served its purpose by increasing the National production of wool. Should the National average price received by wool producers throughout the Nation during 1963 reach the 62-cent level then payments will no longer be necessary.

The Chairman also issued a reminder to producers, who marketed shorn wool or shorn lambs during the 1962 marketing year which ends on March 31, 1963, that to receive cash benefits under the wool incentive program the producer must file his sales documents with the local ASCS office not later than April 30, 1963.

CARMEN

PATSY BANKS, Correspondent

Our Sunday School is steadily growing since we have moved into our new church. We have had an average of 122 in attendance.

Great interest is also shown in the church services. The attendance in prayer meeting on Wednesday nights averages about 50.

A number of singers took part in the singing Sunday night. Everyone enjoyed it. Plan now to attend church somewhere this weekend. You have an invitation at Carmen. Rev. Leonard Norris, pastor.

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Little Pine HD Club Met Tuesday With Mrs. Howard Payne

A most successful workshop meeting was held by Little Pine HD. Club Tuesday, March 19, in the home of Mrs. Howard Payne. The feature demonstration was done by Mrs. Clyde Hazelwood of Newport, Tenn. Mrs. Hazelwood demonstrated the covering of a patent leather shoe with a piece of cotton print in order to match the shoe with a dress. Other activities of the day included the blocking of hat forms, using smocked hat patterns, and the swapping of straw braid, other hat materials and ideas in general. The noon luncheon was composed of covered dishes which each member brought.

Workshop visitors were Mrs. Hazelwood, Mrs. Beulah Fisher, and both Home Agents, Mrs. Ethel Wallin and Mrs. Ruby Corpening.

There were thirteen present. After lunch, the regular monthly club meeting was held. The topic discussion on gardening was given by the president, Mrs. M. J. Ball. The club elected Mrs. Hattie McElroy to represent them in the coming Mother of the Year Contest, sponsored by the federation. The business session also included further plans for the district meeting to be held in Mars Hill in April. The club is aiding in the making up of the covers for the programs.

Next month's meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Hattie McElroy.

SPRING CREEK VIRGINIA MEADOWS

Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Justice, Polly and Linda, and Mr. and Mrs. Foye Ledford, Peggy and Eddie spent Sunday with Mrs. Justice's sister, Ruby, of Brevard.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Meadows, Ricky and Rex spent Saturday and Sunday with J. D. Meadows of Asheville; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carver were also there.

Mrs. H. W. Coward, Mrs. Cline Fowler and Margaret Coward visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Justice Sunday.

Mr. Glenn Kirkpatrick was at home over the weekend from Vir-

Mars Hill Boys Hike From MHC To Citizen Friday

Older men and the U. S. Attorney General notwithstanding, three Mars Hill College boys have turned in their trek in the 1963 walking derby.

Rolly Reel, Frank Simmons, and Robert Brewington settled for the distance from the college to the Asheville Citizen office Friday night, an indeterminate distance ranging from 25 to 20 miles, depending on whom they asked.

They sported weary ankles, muddy shoes, and the memory of one dive into a ditch to escape an inconsiderate driver on U. S. 23. "Some of them weren't very polite," remarked Reel, "and that ditch was awfully muddy."

They also got rained on, but found solace in the fact that the terrain leveled off after Weaverville. The hills wore them down.

The trio returned to the campus by other means, convinced that 50 miles is a long way. "How about those old men out at Franklin," asked Reel, admiring the oldesters who galloped from Clayton, Ga., to Franklin several days ago.

Miss Laura K. Greer Becomes Bride Of Edward A. Smith

Miss Laura Katherine Greer became the bride of Edward Alvin Smith, Friday, March 15, 1963, in the Marshall Baptist Church, with the Rev. Coleman C. Caldwell officiating. They were attended by T. H. Johnson and Mrs. Annette Smith, both close friends of the contracting parties.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bartley Greer of Surgoinsville, Tenn. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Smith of Rogersville.

The couple will reside at Rogersville, Virginia where he is employed.

Local fishermen are looking forward to April 6 — trout season.

Polly Justice spent Friday night with Mrs. Foye Ledford and Sunday with Miss Arlene Reece of Waynesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Haney visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Justice; Darlene, Linda and Dwight Meadows Saturday night. So did Tommy Clark and Margie Meadows.

Teague Named As County Chairman For Referendum

Ernest Teague of the Teague Milling Company, Marshall, has been named county chairman for a state-wide referendum to be held among egg producers on April 9. Announcement of the appointment was made by James T. Watson of Fairview, area chairman, in cooperation with the County Extension Office.

Poultry farmers will vote in the referendum to decide on continuation of a promotional program to boost the sale and consumption of North Carolina produced eggs. This program known as the Henry-Penny program, is financed by a penny per hen assessment on hens sold to processing plants. It was started three years ago and has focused national attention on North Carolina as the "Good Egg State."

Committee members for the referendum and polling places will be announced shortly. A referendum among cattle producers on financing the state's beef promotional program will also be held on April 9.

PREMEASURING WORK STARTED

Burley Producers within Madison County who have filed for official premeasurement services by ASCS Personnel, may expect a representative to visit their farms soon. Ralph Ramsey, ASCS Office Manager, stated that seven men with past experience in this type work completed their classroom training, field training, and examinations this past week and have started working the farms which had filed for this special service. He further pointed out that the work will be performed by areas or communities rather than in order of filing so as to eliminate travel and to save time but that if weather conditions improve the premeasurement work should be completed on all farms prior to planting time. Farmers can be of tremendous help with this work by determining in advance the field which are to be premeasured and have someone available on the farm to assist with the work when the reporter visits the farm.

Ramsey pointed out that interest in premeasuring allotted acre-

Engagement Announced



MISS BRENDA JOYCE HUNTER is the daughter of Mrs. Boyce Kenneth Hunter of Mars Hill and the late Mr. Hunter. Her mother announced her engagement to Ned Shook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Shook of Mars Hill. The wedding is planned for July 20.

BLOODSHED BOX SCORE ON N. C. HIGHWAYS

Table: The Motor Vehicles Department's summary of traffic deaths through 10 a. m. Monday March 18, 1963:

Killed to date 204
Killed to date last year 208

LOSES COW, FINDS RING

Amelia, Va. — Ronnie Miller lost his wedding ring in a hay manager two months after he was married. A search failed to find the ring.

One of Miller's cows became ill and was taken to a veterinarian for examination. The cow died. X-ray showed the ring in the cow's stomach. Miller is wearing his wedding ring again after eighteen months.

Age of tobacco had not been as great this year as the past two years in that there was no change in the 1963 allotted acreage. As of Monday, March 18, some 670 farmers had made application and deposit for this service in Madison as compared to 800 for 1962.

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