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Methodist Lay Leaders to Have Special Services

Dr. Robert L. Holt, director of religious activities at ECTC, will speak at the Laymen's Day service Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in the Methodist church.

David Starling, chairman of the board of stewards at Monk Memorial, teacher of the young people's class and MYF counsellor, will address his church Sunday evening on "When a Layman Worships." The service will be at 7:30. Mr. Starling is agriculture teacher in Walstonburg school and has made a great contribution to rural life through his vocation and his church work.

Miss Mamie Davis Guest Speaker At Legion Auxiliary

Meeting Thursday afternoon with Mrs. H. W. Kemp, the American Legion auxiliary received from Mrs. J. H. Bynum a report stating that the stove and hot water heater, purchased by the auxiliary, had been installed in the Legion home on West Church st.

Serving with Mrs. Bynum on the furnishings committee were Mrs. J. P. Jones, Mrs. Kemp, Mrs. Fred Thomas and the president, Mrs. W. M. Willis.

Each member was requested to bring a piece of silver to the next meeting.

Mrs. Edward May, Mrs. O. G. Spell and Mrs. J. Frank Harper were appointed members of the committee which will select one high school girl as a delegate to Girls state. Instead of sending two representatives as heretofore, the group will have only delegate at the 1951 session.

In the chaplain's absence, Mrs. Harper conducted a devotional on "Supplies of God's Grace," concluding with the Lord's prayer.

Mrs. R. LeRoy Rollins, program chairman, presented Miss Mamie Davis, who spoke on Americanism and national defense.

During the social hour banana nut cake, ice cream, nuts and coffee were served. A corsage was presented to each member by the hostesses, Mrs. Kemp, Mrs. J. L. Creech and Mrs. J. B. Taylor. Arrangements of pink and blue hyacinths and buttercups decorated the home.

Member ACC Staff Addresses Annual Fellowship Dinner

Rev. Arthur Wenger, assistant to the president of Atlantic Christian college, addressed members of the Christian church who attended the Brotherhood supper Wednesday night in the church social hall. His topic was "The Love of God Reaching to the Various Parts of the World." Several incidents which occurred during his work with displaced persons in Germany as a chaplain were related.

About 125 attended the covered dish supper, held annually as a part of the celebration of the week of compassion. The Womens fellowship served the supper under the direction of the president, Mrs. Lloyd Smith.

Mrs. B. Leon Tyson of the Red Oak Christian church rendered selections on the accordian, led group singing and gave a humorous reading on "How Not to Visit the Sick."

Out-of-town guests included Rev. Wenger, Mr. and Mrs. Tyson and Mrs. C. B. Mashburn, Sr., of Black Mountain, who is visiting here.

At The Rotary Club

Mayor Walter Jones, addressing the Rotary club Tuesday night, chose as his subject for discussion, Assets and Liabilities. Jones, presented by Chas. Rasberry, program chairman for the evening, outlined many of the achievements attained by the Town of Farmville and also listed some of the things that remain to be done. He stated that although the town has many assets, the most outstanding is the people, the citizenship that makes Farmville an ideal town.

It was reported that Edmund Harding had been secured for the Inter-City Meeting to be held either March 20 or 27.

Two members were absent and for the month of January the percentage was 92.1.

Graham McAdams was the guest of his father, W. A. McAdams and E. F. Johnson was a visitorin from the Ayden club.

O. O. Spell received the attendance prize and Eric Joyner the fellowship prize.

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About Farmville People

Mr. and Mrs. Layne Roberts and children spent Sunday in Goldsboro and attended the wedding of Mrs. Roberts' cousin, Gene Hooks, to Miss Jean Knott, in Kinston that afternoon.

Mrs. Harold Allred of Washington, D. C., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Tyson.

Luther Thomas, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., spent the Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Thomas.

Mrs. M. M. Leggette of Washington spent a few days last week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. L. Barrett.

Misses Gayle Flanagan, Joan Atkinson and Jean Moore attended the state mid-winter Christian Youth fellowship meeting in Kinston Friday and Saturday. Rev. Z. B. T. Cox attended several of the sessions.

Mrs. Henrietta M. Williamson had as her dinner guests Sunday her son, Milton, student at Wake Forest, and two of his classmates, Bill Hough and Charlie Williams.

Mrs. E. W. Holmes will leave Sunday for Burlington where she will teach the intermediate class in a Bible clinic there next week.

Mrs. John B. Wright, Jr., anl Mrs. R. T. Williams spent Wednesday in Rocky Mount with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnston are spending this week in Florida. While away they planned to visit Mr. Johnston's aunt, Mrs. P. P. Pierce, at St. Augustine.

Mrs. John T. Thorne and Mrs. Frank Davis, Jr., attended a luncheon given Friday in Greenville by Mrs. Julian White in honor of Mrs. Larry James, Jr., the former Mary Leah Thorne. Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Thorne and Mrs. A. C. Monk, Sr, attended a tea complimenting Mrs. James and Miss Ione Bradsher, with Mrs. Karl Pace and Mrs. Knott Proctor as hostesses in the latter's home.

John Banks Yelverton of Fremont was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lewis.

C. A. Mozingo will spend the week end in Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Modlin, Jr., and daughters of Petersburg, Va., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Modlin.

Mrs. Canary D. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Tugwell and daughter, Elizabeth Ann, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thomas in Littleton Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lloyd Smith spent last week in Greensboro with Mr. and Mrs. Julian Smith.

Miss Carol Ann Pitt of Pinetops was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Taylor.

Miss Minnie Overstreet of Whitakers is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. G. Dupree, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flake and children spent the week end in Chapel Hill with Mrs. Flake's sister, Mrs. Floyd Brockwell. They also visited his mother, Mrs. Betty Flake, and sister, Mrs. Garland Cannady, in Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Andrews and daughter, Margaret, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Andrews and son, J. D., Jr., spent the week end in Wilmington with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kemp visited their daughter, Lola Grey, student at Wake Forest college, and their son Douglas, student at State college, Sunday.

Mrs. R. A. Fields spent this week end in Kinston with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Calloway.

Miss Betty Rose Wilkerson, student at Greensboro college, will spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Wilkerson, at their home, Rosedell.

Mrs. L. E. Jones and son, Jimmy, Mrs. C. W. Morris and Mrs. Ernest L. Jones and daughter, Cynthia, were guests Wednesday of Mrs. W. E. Bailey in Kinston.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Latham spent the week end in Plymouth with relatives.

R. D. Rouse, Jr., and Sam D. Bundy attended a meeting of the High Point Junior Chamber of Commerce Monday night. Mr. Bundy was the main speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Ruffin spent the week end with relatives in Rocky Mt.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Corbett of Micro and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gardner of Washington visited Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Norville Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Davis, Mrs. S. G. Gardner, Mrs. Frank Harper, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Flanagan, Mrs. Arch Flanagan, Mrs. John Thorne and Miss Tandia DeVisconti attended the funeral of Rev. W. A. Wilson, Mrs. Haywood Smith's father, in Durham Monday.

Harold Flanagan, who has been confined to his bed for several months after undergoing an operation on his hip, is able to be out.

Paul Revell returns from Charlotte today. He has been attending the North Carolina Laundry and Cleaners association.

[illegible] Yelverton and Mrs. Roger Weathers of Durham were supper guests Saturday night of Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Davis.

Miss Charlotte Williams spent the week end at Carolina Beach with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams.

Miss Bessie Harrell of Ahoskie and E. C. Carr, Jr., student at State college, will spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Carr.

Mrs. Robert Joyner is recovering from flu and pleurisy.

Miss Connie Rollins, student nurse at Rex hospital in Raleigh, is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Rollins.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Carraway spent Sunday in Fremont with Mrs. Carraway's sister, Mrs. J. C. Hales.

Friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. J. T. Parker has returned from Woodard-Herring hospital. She underwent an appendicitis operation.

Mrs. Anna Belle Allen and Mrs. Lizzie Allen spent last Wednesday with their sister, Mrs. Ross Clark, near Greenville.

Mrs. J. A. Forbes is visiting relatives in Wilmington.

Miss Nancy Kittrell, student nurse at Rex hospital in Raleigh, and Jane Kittrell of Washington, D. C., are spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kittrell. Miss Nancy Kittrell spent the week end in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Modlin visited Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Modlin in Washington Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. H. W. Kemp and Mrs. Manly Liles spent Monday and Tuesday in Fayetteville with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Liles.

Mrs. D. B. Murphrey, Mrs. E. F. Gaynor and Mrs. L. E. Jones attended the funeral of John Taylor in Snow Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. U. P. Jones, J. P., Jr., and Frances Page spent Saturday night in White Plains, Va., with Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Hawkins. They spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones, at LaCrosse, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Cooke, Mrs. George W. Tull and Mrs. Ruby Terrell of Franklinton were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. James Hockaday.

With Servicemen

Pvt. Nelson Brooks Oakley is stationed with the 101st Airborne division at Camp Breckenridge, Ky. His address is US 53009950, Co. M, 506 A. B. N. Inf. Reg., 101st Airborne Division, Camp Breckenridge, Ky.

Sgt. Edward Owens, who had been in Korea since September with the Third division, spent a five-day leave early this month with his wife, Mrs. Ross Russell Owens, and two sons in Tokyo. Mrs. Owens and the children have been in Japan a year. She is working near her home in the personnel division as a file clerk.

Charles Joyner, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Joyner, and Frank Gerald Dupree, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Dupree, Jr., joined the Air Force last Wednesday and left Saturday for Lackland Air Force Base in Texas. Both were students at the University of North Carolina, Charles a sophomore and Frank a freshman.

The address of McDonald Bowling, S. R., who is stationed at San Diego, is Co. M, 1384070359, USNTC, San Diego 33.

David Turnage of Greenville spent the week end with his nephew, Pvt. Jack Turnage, who is stationed at Keesler Field, Miss., and reported that Jack and several Greenville boys, including Clarence Bennett Tugwell, are getting along fine.

Greene County Reaches March of Dimes Goal

Supt. B. L. Davis of Snow Hill, head of the March of Dimes in Greene county, announces that the county has exceeded its quota by $377.13. The county was assigned a quota of $4000, and the final report shows that $4377 was raised, the greatest amount ever raised in the county by the March of Dimes.

The directors of the school districts and the amounts raised in each follow: Snow Hill, R. L. Warren, $1,268.17; Walstonburg, J. R. Pollard, $808.88; Maury, Junior Lewis, $600.00; Hookerton, Lill Hart, $450.07; Shine, D. W. Meadows, $267.60; colored schools, L. H. Smith, $1,182.32; Capitol theater, W. A. Darden, $110.46; miscellaneous $38.08.

The Seven Pines home demonstration club realized $40 above expenses from the supper sponsored by the club Saturday, Feb. 3, for the March of Dimes. A large number attended in spite of the inclement weather.

Jaycees Making Plans for Fixing Athletic Park

At their regular meeting on Wednesday night of last week, Farmville Jaycees brought to a successful conclusion several projects, made plans for launching others and voted to investigate the feasibility of starting even more projects.

With proceeds from the recent Coastal Gold Medal basketball tournament, which they sponsored, the Jaycees will finish paying for the equipment purchased last fall for the midget football team. The Jaycees will also give an athletic banquet this spring for high school athletes.

Delegates were appointed to attend the quarterly state meeting in Winston-Salem during the week end.

Horton Rountree was named chairman of a committee to repair the fence at the athletic park and to sell advertising space. Herbert Moore was appointed head of a committee which will be in charge of the concession stand at the Coastal Conference basketball tournament in the local gymnasium next week.

Bill Creekmur, Bill Candler and the president, Bobby Rouse, will investigate the possibilities of sponsoring a beauty contest, the winner of which would compete for the title of Miss North Carolina.

Another Cage Tournament to Be Held Here

Farmville, which has shown in recent seasons that it knows how to handle basketball tournaments, will be host next week to the Coastal conference tourney.

Boys and girls teams from five high schools — Farmville, Ayden, South Edgecombe, Robersonville and Vanceboro—will compete in the four-day event which starts Monday night and will continue through Friday, with all teams having Thursday as a day off.

Two games will be played each night, starting at 7:45, and the admission will be 25 and 50 cents.

Since the teams do not complete their conference schedules until tonight, the pairings cannot be made and the first-round opponents cannot be selected before tomorrow.

By virtue of their fine records this season, however, the Ayden teams will probably get the two top-seeded spots and will be heavily favored to cop the honors. The strongest competition in the girls division will probably come from Farmville, whose girls have defeated Ayden once this season and who will have the advantage during the tourney of playing on their home court.

Principal Sam Bundy of the local school calls attention to the fact that season tickets will not be honored during the conference tournament.

Several New Homes Under Construction

New homes are sprouting up all over town.

Foundations have been poured for Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moye's new home on Horne avenue. George C. Moye, currently of Forest Hills, L. I., is erecting a home adjacent to his home of his brother, W. Jesse Moye, on the eastern outskirts of town.

Work is well underway on the home Dr. and Mrs. Charles Fitzgerald are building on East Wilson street.

On the western side of town, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Roebuck are building on West Wilson street.

Out on the Fountain highway, Mr. and Mrs. Lath Morris are building on the lot between the homes of T. S. Ryan and Walter Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Leyl Walston will be moving into their new home on East Wilson street within the next few weeks.

OPEN HOUSE TONIGHT AT NEW BAPTIST PASTORIUM

Members and friends of the Farmville Baptist church are invited to attend Open House tonight (Friday) from 9 to 10 o'clock at the new pastorium on Green street.

Recently completed, the home has three bedrooms, two tiled bathrooms, living room, hall, dining room and kitchen. The kitchen is equipped with electric refrigerator, range, hot water heater, and the floor is rubber tiled. There are four finished closets, four storage closets and two linen closets. All windows are equipped with classic Venetian blinds. The home is heated with a Lennox hot air furnace.

Weekly Legislative Summary

(This is the sixth of a series of weekly summaries of the work of the 1951 General Assembly. Prepared by the Institute of Government, it is confined to discussions of matters of general interest and major importance.)

Despite a marked increase in activity in each house, the progress of the General Assembly could not be measured in concrete terms. Less than 20% of all bills introduced have received final decision, and scarcely one could be termed significant legislation. While legislative hostility toward the governor's program has been assumed by most observers, only Senate action on state aid for city streets could be termed revealing. Whether the governor's radio appeal to the people will strengthen legislative support for his program remains to be determined.

STATE AID FOR CITY STREETS

Governor Scott's radio address on Friday night left no doubt that he favors state aid for city streets if financed by new revenues as recommended by the State-Municipal Roads Commission, but he is opposed to diversion of existing highway revenues for this purpose. The Senate has passed Senate Bill 120 which, as amended, would give the cities ½c of the present gas tax and place streets forming links in the state primary and secondary road systems under the Highway Commission. This action, the governor charges, is false economy, will weaken the primary highway system, might undermine the rating of North Carolina securities, and will not provide a permanent solution of the street problem. While the governor does not advocate submitting a tax increase to the people, with the 1949 secondary road bond issue as a precedent, he has said he is not afraid to carry it to the people.

With SB 120 on its way to the House, the strength of the governor's position is due for a positive test. The House finance committee has already voted to report unfavorably House Bill 262 which would place exclusive responsibility for all city streets in the Highway Commission if a 1c gas tax increase were approved by the voters. It now has before it HB 331 which would allocate the proceeds from 1c of highway taxes to cities, would increase the gas tax by 7 mills, and would give the Highway Commission responsibility for all streets forming links in the primary and secondary road systems, all contin- There are reports that the smaller towns do not feel that SB 120 will meet their needs, and it was charged in the Senate that the distribution formula based on population and street mileage in both bills will be difficult to administer because "streets" have not been sufficiently defined. HB 331 may provide the basis for a compromise if one proves necessary.

STATE TAXATION

Last week the finance committees received one concrete proposal designed to increase state revenues, and this week they received the promise of another. Both plans suggest reinstatement of taxes once imposed by the state and later removed. Rep. Umstead offered a Revenue Act amendment to tax theatres at the rate of 3% on their gross receipts, a tax Governor Scott has estimated would yield $537,074 a year. Rep. Uzzell has announced he will offer an amendment to require insurance companies to pay corporate income taxes, a change he estimates would add about $250,000 a year to state revenues. A gross premiums tax and other taxes paid by insurance companies already net the state about $5 million a year.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

The perennial controversy over a statewide liquor referendum is now before the General Assembly. Of the two proposals before the committees, the first would have the people determine the single question of whether ABC stores shall be established in all counties for the sale of liquor, or whether all such stores shall be closed; the second would have the voters determine whether liquor, beer, and wine shall be sold only by ABC stores in all counties or whether absolute prohibition shall prevail.

APPROPRIATIONS

Since January 30 when the joint appropriations committee began hearing appeals from state agencies for additional funds, over $70 million has been requested in excess of the Advisory Budget Commission's recommendations. About ½ of this amount represents Tuesdays request by the State Board of Education for between $30 and $35 million to establish the teachers' salary scale at $2,200-$3,100 and to provide for expanded services in the next biennium. Other increases sought last week included $12 million requested by the Hospitals Board of Control for mental institutions and completion of its building program and almost $3 million for agricultural services.

Activities Of Local Church Organizations

BAPTIST CIRCLES

Mrs. J. D. Andrews was hostess to the George W. Truett circle Monday afternoon. Mrs. C. M. Taylor opened the meeting, and Mrs. W. A. McAdams discussed "Fishers of Men," showing how Jesus chose, instructed and commissioned his disciples. Mrs. E. C. Holmes closed the devotional with prayer.

Mrs. George W. Davis completed the study of the new yearbook, concluding with prayer.

Individual pecan pies, topped with whipped cream, cheese straws and iced coca colas were served to 11 members and two visitors.

Eva Taylor circle met with Mrs. W. J. Rasberry Monday afternoon, with 15 pesent, including Mrs. Citz Hillard, a new member.

The singing of "Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life" opened the devotional, which Mrs. W. C. Hathaway conducted on "Follow Me." She showed Zimmerman's painting of "Christ and the Fisherman" as she read the verses regarding the selection of the brothers.

Mrs. E. W. Holmes reviewed the last half of the yearbook.

During the social hour the hostess served gingerbread, topped with whipped cream and cherries, and coffee.

The Mary Lee Ernest circle met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. P. Jones with Mrs. G. D. Hathaway as co-hostess. Pink azaleas and dish gardens were decorations.

Mrs. Hathaway called the meeting to order and Mrs. Don Ryan led the devotional.

Mrs. H. D. Johnson finished the study of the WMU yearbook for 1951.

After the adjournment prayer was given by Mrs. Rom Webber, the hostesses served pineapple cake, ice cream and coffee.

EPISCOPAL

Beginning the Lenten study of "Chapters in Church History" by Dawley, Mrs. R. C. Copenhaver gave a comprehensive review of the first section at the meeting held Monday at the home of the president, Mrs. G. A. Rouse.

With the topic, "The Church and the Roman World," Mrs. Copenhaver traced the expansion of the church and its heroic struggle with the Roman Empire during the first century; the pagan persecution, agnosticism and the ultimate choice of either Christ or Caesar by the people in the building of a new and Christian civilization. The speaker told of the Apostolic writings; the necessity for the adoption of the Apostles' and later the Nicine Creeds; gave the origin of the three-fold ministry of Apostles (later Bishops), Priests and Deacons and outlined their manifold duties.

Mrs. Rouse led the devotional exercises and presided over a brief business session prior to the program.

Streets Improved

The state's highway improvement program is responsible for the widening and resurfacing of highways from Farmville to Wilson, Snow Hill and Fountain.

The section of Belcher street between North Main and Barrett was resurfaced by the town.

VERNON TYSON ON FOUNTAIN PRESBYTERIAN PROGRAM

Vernon Tyson, minister of youth for the Walstonburg group of Methodist churches, was guest speaker Sunday night at the Fountain Presbyterian Youth fellowship.

FOUNTAIN PASTOR ATTENDS LECTURES IN RICHMOND

Rev. Philip M. Cory, pastor of the Fountain Presbyterian church, leaves Monday for Richmond where he will attend the series of Spring lectures at Union Theological seminary.

Rev. Cory will return to his home next Thursday.

HOUR OF PRAYER

To remind members of the Hour of Prayer for Peace, the chimes of the Methodist church are played each Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The community is urged to join in prayer at that time.

CHRISTIAN SERMON TOPIC

Rev. Z. B. T. Cox, pastor of the Christian church, will preach on "The New Testament Church," Sunday at 11 o'clock. An evening service will be conducted at 7:30.

Farmville Over Top With $1500 In March of Dimes

As was to be expected, Farmville's quota in the March of Dimes has been reached.

A last-minute spurt on the part of school children and townspeople this week sent this community over the $1500-mark, Farmville's share of the $12,000 assigned to Pitt county.

Chairman Sam Bundy reported on Wednesday at noon that $1517.15 had been raised. He added that he is still accepting contributions and that the doors have not yet been closed to late-givers.

The amount raised in the campaign speaks well for those who directed the drive; but more than that, it speaks well of the community.

Special Service Sunday Night At Walstonburg Methodist Youth Center

An Evangelistic Youth Fellowship meeting will be held Sunday night at 7:30 in the Walstonburg Youth Center.

The theme for the meeting will be "The Kingdom of God Is at Hand." There will be a gospel sing, a dramatized worship service and a period of special music rendered by a youth quartet.

Speaker of the evening will be Rev. Dewey Tyson, a young minister from Rocky Mount.

The first Evangelistic Youth Fellowship was held on December 31 and was attended by more than 100 young people. It is hoped that an equally-large number will attend the meeting Sunday night.

These meetings are non-denominational, inter-community enterprises to help meet the spiritual needs of youth.

All young people in this area are cordially invited to attend and share in the hour of Christen Fellowship.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN ELECT NEW OFFICERS

At the regular meeting of the Women of the Presbyterian church, in the home of Mrs. P. G. Dupree, Jr, Monday night, the following officers were elected for the new term of office beginning April 1:

President, Mrs. C. F. Bancom; historian, Mrs. John Lewis; chairman of spiritual growth, Mrs. E. S. Coates; chairman world missions, Mrs. J. C. Corbett; chairman religious education, Mrs. Will Moore, Jr.; chairman assembly special causes, Mrs. J. M. Mewborn; chairman Circle 1, Mrs. G. P. Bergeron; chairman Circle 2, Mrs. M. E. Pollard; chairman Circle 3, Mrs. A. R. Drake.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. J. T. Nolen, vice president, presided. Mrs. Bancom offered the opening prayer and gave the devotional. After roll call and approval of minutes, reports were heard from the executive board meeting, treasurer and circles.

The program was a brief sugest given by each chairman on her duties and accomplishments for the year now coming to an end.

The meeting adjourned with prayer offered by Mrs. Easley.

BAPTIST SERMON TOPICS

"The Tragedy of the Empty Few" is the sermon topic to be used by the Rev. E. W. Holmes Sunday morning at the Baptist church.

"God's Part in Man's Salvation" will be the topic of the sermon Sunday evening.

Special music will be rendered by the worship choir at the morning hour and at the evening hour by the youth choir.

At The Kiwanis Club

Seth Barrow, in charge of the Kiwanis club program Monday night, dealt with rural electrification, a subject dear to his heart. Seth is secretary of the Pitt and Greene Electric membership corporation and is one of the orginal directors of the co-op that now serves 2600 families in this section of the state.

His guests were Gilbert Whitley, manager of the cooperative, and Jim Bonny of Arlington, Va., an REA official. Both of these gave some interesting facts about the operations and history of the REA.

W. C. Murray was the guest of Charles Edwards.

Hubert Joyner will have charge of the program Monday night. His guest will be T. W. Williams, of Griffins, chairman of the county board.

A group from the Greenville club will present some video films, the schedule there this club is to give next week.