

Little Dog Dies Unclaimed Despite Hunt For Owners

To the owners of a small black and white Boston terrier.
Your little dog made a trip downtown last Tuesday. He trotted past The News Journal office, visited at the library and went into the county Department of Social Services.
There he barked at the clients in the office and frightened several of them, so he was turned out to go on his way.
He was hit shortly before noon in front of the post office by a car that never stopped and was brought back to the welfare offices. Workers there tried to reach his owners. The radio station broadcast a bulletin and workers notified persons in the stores and offices on Elwood.
The little dog died an hour or so later and the owners still had not come for him. Miss Mable McDonald, director of the Department of Social Services, reluctantly called the dog warden to come for the dog's body, but she thought the owners would like to know what

happened to their pet.
He was black with a white face and had a white eye, she said. He was wearing a flea collar.

Church Wants Good Used Toys

Toys of all shapes and sizes and colors are needed by the First Baptist Church to launch "Operation - Kid's Happy Christmas."
Used toys in workable condition will be given minor repairs by the men of the church.
These will be distributed by the Department of Social Services to help bring happiness to Hoke County children who might otherwise be passed by on Christmas.
Toys may be brought to the church as late as Dec. 21.

PARADE

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will be followed by a car bearing the Hoke High Creative Dance Group, directed by Miss Betty Leak.
The Disabled American Veterans of Hoke County will be the next unit in the parade. They will be followed by the Rae-O-Hope Drill Team and the Rae-O-Hope Baton Group of Fayetteville.
The third commercial float will be sponsored by Theresa's Dress Shop and Joe Sugar's of Raeford. A Girl Scout float made and ridden by Girl Scouts of Hoke County Neighborhood No. 32 will be followed by members of the Girl Scout and Brownie troops in the county.
Upchurch students take the spotlight in the next two units, which are the Upchurch School cheerleaders and the Upchurch 7th Grade Band. Jimmy James also directs the Upchurch band.
A commercial float sponsored by Collins Department Store and Wood's Furniture Store will precede a car bearing Miss Laurinburg 1971, Sybil Brown Cashwell.
The DECA Sweetheart Yevone Baker, from Hoke High, will ride in the next car, preceding the DECA float.
Miss Millie Johnson, Homecoming Queen at Laurinburg Institute will be featured in a car preceding the Laurinburg Institute Band. Harold Morris is the director.
Two floats will be next in line. The first is a commercial float sponsored by Southern National Bank and Western Auto Associate Store and the second is sponsored by Raeford Moose Lodge.
Miss Fayetteville Technical Institute, Leona Topp of Fayetteville and Carolina Military Academy Homecoming Queen, Karen Sinclair of Maxton will then greet parade-goers from cars. Hope Mills High School band, directed by Rudolph Baclay, Jr., will follow.

CONCERT

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Davis of Raeford.
Robert R. Fejes, is a guest tenor from Ft. Bragg, where he is serving as director of the 82d Airborne Division Chorus.
Fejes, from Lake Wales, Fla., graduated from Florida State University with a degree in music education. He has served as director of music and education at First United Methodist Church in Sebring, Fla. before entering the Army.
Alan Porter, tenor from Fayetteville, sang in the spring concert at the Presbyterian Church. A native of Pennsylvania, he is now a member of the department of music at Methodist College and has organized and conducts the

ARREST

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with two counts of possession of non-taxpaid liquor and two counts of selling non-taxpaid liquor; Bertha Hollingsworth, charged with one count of possession of non-taxpaid liquor and one count of selling non-taxpaid liquor; Lou Morrison, charged with five counts of selling tax-paid liquor; Howard Miller, charged with three counts of selling tax-paid liquor; Clemmie Miller, charged with five counts of selling tax-paid liquor.
Also arrested were Nancy Smith, charged with five counts of possession of non-taxpaid liquor and five counts of selling non-taxpaid liquor; Alex Campbell, charged with four counts of possession of non-taxpaid liquor and

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There was a story the other day about a man who was sent to jail for attacking a neighbor who had come to his door to seek contributions for the "heart fund." When asked why he had committed this seemingly unprovoked attack, he explained: "I guess I lost my head. It's just that on Sunday the preacher made a plea for a special offering for missions, yesterday at work we were told how much we were expected to volunteer for the United Fund, when I came home from work today I found my wife had given away my fishing clothes to the Rescue Mission, and there was a note from her saying I'd have to make my own supper 'cause she was working at the hospital garden party - and then when my neighbor came to the door suggesting that I demonstrate my brotherly love by making a 'respectable contribution,' - well, I guess I just blew my stack!"

Few of us would go that far, probably, but many of us may feel a certain sympathy for that man. The human spirit does seem to weary under what appear to be ceaseless appeals to love. No matter to how many causes we give, it always seems as if there are so many more that are confronting us. Is it really possible for a person to be so loving, so selfless? Won't all this love for others so impoverish us that we have nothing left over for ourselves? Can a man really survive all this loving, forgiving and understanding?

Have you ever noticed the level of appeal of many of Christ's teachings? They often seem an ill-disguised appeal to a man's own selfishness or desire for self preservation. For example: "Judge not, and you

will not be judged ... give and it will be given to you ... For the measure you give will be the measure you get back." It used to disturb me to think that God would appeal to us on such a base level: do good and you will receive good.

One day it occurred to me, however, that God is simply doing what we often accuse of him not doing: he is being utterly practical. He knows that man will only on rare occasions be motivated by the truly altruistic and loving feeling toward his neighbor. Self-sacrifice does not seem to come naturally to man. Thus, God "tells it like it is" in showing us that love, much more than something you feel, is basically something you do.

Yet there is another aspect of God's ingenuity, for he is the master of the art of serendipity. Serendipity is the ancient name for that land in the Indian Sea which we know today as Ceylon. Columbus set sail upon the unknown Atlantic to find a new route to Serendip and the other "spice islands." In looking for Serendip, however, he stumbled upon the continent of America. Thus, today we use the word "serendipity" to describe "the faculty for making desirable but unthoughtfor discoveries by accident."

This is what God does with his world. He has so fashioned it so that man will often in seeking one thing stumble across something even better. And so it is with his appeals to love. In seeking to please God by helping our neighbor, we may just also discover our brother. In striving to get closer to God, we may find that we have moved closer to our fellow man.

Distaff DEEDS

By JANICE R. CHRISTENSEN

(New items this week from Granville, Yadkin, Cumberland and Wake counties.)

SAVES CHILD'S LIFE
A child's life may have been saved because a Granville County homemaker, Mrs. Hattie Rogers, cared enough to share safety information with others.
Mrs. Rogers asked for extra copies of booklets on "first aid" to give to some friends who could not attend the Extension Homemakers meeting on accident prevention.
Not too long afterwards, a neighbor child swallowed poison. The mother followed the instructions in the first aid book given her by Mrs. Rogers; then rushed the child to the family physician.
"The child was not hospitalized and is doing fine," Mrs. Mary Parham, home economics Extension agent, says.

PLENTY OF STORAGE
Having too much furniture and other items and not enough storage is a problem to many persons. But not to the Harvey Southard family of Yadkinville.
The Southard's moved into their new house, designed by an Extension house plan, in early November.
The house, which has 1,040 square feet, features eight closets, a bathroom cabinet, kitchen cabinets, and an enclosed laundry area with storage shelves.
"To get the best use of space, Mrs. Southard thinks everyone should request the assistance of the Extension Service when planning a house," Mrs. Christine Greene, home economics Extension agent, says.

YOU CAN ALWAYS LEARN
Regardless of your age, physical condition or past interests, there's always room for more learning.

REFUSED TO MOVE
One homemaker in the Expanded Nutrition Program feels so strongly that her family is benefiting from the visits of the aide that she refused to move out of her aide's district.
The father had found a new home for the family, but when his wife learned that her Extension Program Aide could not visit across county lines, she insisted that a home be found near by.
This was done and the family is doing well in their new home. Mrs. Carroll Beckham, assistant home economics Extension agent, Wake County, reports.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE: Hallet - Davis piano. Needs tuning and re-felting. \$85; con. trombone. \$70. Call 875-2520 after 5 o'clock. 1fc

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WANTED: Someone to finish payment on Zig-Zag touch - a - matic sewing machine. Nice cabinet. 1969 model. Can make 5 payments of \$11 each or pay cash. Can be seen in your home without obligation. For details call collect 692-3348 Southern Pines. 1fc

FOR SALE 2-story brick home, spacious garage and storage rooms, located on 100 x 200 lot with trees; 4 BR, DR, LR, Kit and large cypress paneled den. 2 baths, central heat and air condition. Total price \$27,500. \$26,000 VA loan available with payments of \$199.94 mo. Located at 216 Dickson St. Contact Harry Harrison, Raleigh. Phone 829-7326 or 876-4158 after 6 p.m. 1fc

FOR SALE: Singer sewing machine. Interested party to finish payments of four payments at \$9.50 each. Zig-Zag, makes button holes, patches and darts. For details call collect, 692-3348 in Southern Pines. 1fc

WANTED: Soybeans. Fast bulk unloading, trucks hoist. Phone 483-6216, Cole Milling Co., Fayetteville. 28-31C

W.E. Miller Buried Here

Funeral services for William Edward Miller were held Monday at Crumpler Funeral Home chapel by the Revs. Harvey White and John T. Wilson. Burial was in Raeford Cemetery.
Miller, 52, died Saturday. He was a policeman in Pinehurst.
He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Grace Miller; three daughters, Mrs. Martin Scarborough, Jr. of Raeford, Mrs. Onzie Creech of Red Springs and Mrs. Joseph Hinds of Jacksonville, Fla.; two sons, William R. Miller of Richmond, Va. and James O. Miller of Raeford; two brothers, Henry Miller of Raeford and Harrison Miller of Shannon; four sisters, Mrs. Charlie Randleman of Shannon, Mrs. Curt Brown of Newport, Mrs. Sadie Miller and Mrs. Wade Paul, both of Lilesville; 16 grandchildren.

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