

How You Can Curb Use of Mails For Distribution of Lewd Material



May 11—Pre-Pentecost Services with the theme Pentecost Is The Answer for all the Pentecostal Holiness Churches of the North Carolina Conference have been announced by the Rev. W. Addie Morris, superintendent of the conference, of Goldsboro, N. C.

This program has been endorsed by the official board of the North Carolina conference and the 140 churches of the conference are participating. The emphasis for this week of services is Pentecostal Power for This Age.

The campaign will begin Monday evening, May 11, and continue through Sunday, May 17. The Rev. Samuel L. Wichard and the Harkers Island Church have pledged their efforts to the objectives of the campaign.

All-day services will be held at the Pentecostal Holiness Church, May 17. Dinner will be spread on the church grounds. Everyone is invited to come and join in the fellowship. Plenty of food and ice cold beverage will be served. The church welcomes you.

Stork Shower
A stork shower was given for Mrs. Elbert Fulcher at the home of her mother Wednesday by Mrs. Jack Rogers Davis and Mrs. Paul Norris Nelson.

Mrs. Virgie Willis was in charge of the games. Door prize was won by Mrs. Peggy Ann Guthrie; point game to Mrs. Virginia Dare Jones; twins names to Mrs. June Marie Davis; guessing number of beans in the jar to Mrs. Doris Finer; stocking games to Mrs. Leonda Moore and Miss Patsy Lewis.

Refreshments of Hawaiian punch, ice cup cakes, mints, candy, and pop corn were served to forty-eight. Everyone had a nice time and Mrs. Fulcher received a large quantity of baby gifts for the expected twins.

Birthday Party
Miss Brenda Gaskill celebrated her 13th birthday May 7, at her home. Games were played by the 18 children who attended. She received many gifts from her friends. Refreshments of pineapple cake, ice cup cakes, and fruit punch were served.

Missionary Service
Mission service was held at the Pentecostal Holiness Church Thursday evening. Mr. James P. Lewis, deacon, gave a short talk on the mission work and the foundation of the church. The group had a nice time of singing, prayer, testimonies. Mr. Lewis read the Bible. Forty-one members were present.

The meeting is held the first Thursday night of each month. Special singing was by Myrtle Yeomans, Perry Guthrie, and Mrs. Mary Louise Gaskill. They sang Christ Is Not A Disappointment and I'll Never Turn Back.

Revival services will begin at the Pentecostal Holiness Church May 15-17. The speaker, the Rev. Billy Register, Goldsboro, welcomes you to these services each evening at 7:30.

Tax Recovery
Peterburg, Va. (AP)—On the way to the bank, John Spain, city tax collector, dropped a deposit bag containing \$26,000 of the taxpayers' money. A number of persons stepped over it before Raymond Valentine, an attorney, picked it up and returned it.

(Editor's Note: This is the second of two articles on the growing threat of obscene mail and what can be done about it. This article explains how the American public can drive the dealers in obscenity out of business.)

The American public, if it wants to, can destroy the half billion dollar a year mail-order business in obscenity which is having such disastrous effects on teen-age youngsters. Postmaster Harold Webb, Morehead City, stated today.

The judgment as to what is obscene is actually in the hands of the citizens of Morehead City, Beaufort, Newport and other communities throughout the nation.

"We can clean up the mails if enough citizens become aware of the seriousness of this problem and use their influence to do so," Postmaster Webb said. "We must do so to protect our homes, curb juvenile delinquency, and prevent the poisoning of the minds of our children."

All the average citizen need do if his home is invaded by unorderly and unwanted mail, soliciting the sale of filthy, lewd and lascivious films, slides, pictures or other obscene and pornographic material, is to complain to the postoffice department. This is done by mailing the objectionable material itself, and the envelope it came in, with a signed note of protest to the local postmaster.

An investigation is then made by the postoffice department's inspection service. If their findings justify action to ban the material from the mails, the department's general counsel then issues such an order. If the sender of the obscene literature protests the department's ruling, the matter may then be taken to the nearest United States District Court for decision.

Where the material in question is clearly pornographic, criminal action is usually taken by the local prosecuting authorities with the cooperation of the postoffice department. Convictions in such cases provide for both jail and dollar fines for the dealers in obscenity.

72 Attend Clinic Last Saturday

Seventy-two attended the Crippled Childrens Clinic of Morehead City, sponsored by the Rotary Club and held Saturday in the Morehead City Hospital annex.

Dr. L. D. Baker, Duke Hospital orthopedist who has been in charge of the clinic since it began July 1953, returned to the clinic after two months' absence due to illness.

Assisting Dr. Baker were Dr. Frank Clippinger of Duke and Dr. J. R. Dineen of Camp Lejeune.

Bert Titus from Duke Brace Shop assisted patients who needed braces, or adjustments in braces they were wearing.

Mrs. Rita Minoque, physical therapist, Miss Lillie Pentress, nursing consultant, and H. A. Hendrix, rehabilitation officer from the State Board of Health also assisted.

The Junior Woman's Club of Morehead City was represented by Mrs. Louise Merrill, Mrs. Skinner Chalk and Mrs. W. M. Brady who helped with the records and registered the patients.

Mrs. Leonard Lewis and Mrs. G. T. Spivey of the Carteret County Health Department also served. The next clinic will be Saturday morning, June 13. Registration is between 8:30 and 10.

Testimony given recently in Washington by Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield indicates that no longer do dealers in smut and dirty pictures serve only a few adults. Instead, they are soliciting youngsters, sending their unwanted and unorderly material indiscriminately and without conscience, into the homes of the nation.

Postmaster Webb emphasized that the postoffice department is intensifying its efforts to clean up the mails. Its chief opposition in doing so comes from those who reap huge profits from unrestricted mailings, and from some misguided individuals who confuse liberty with license, and in so doing, unwittingly give aid to these dealers in obscenity.

Congressman Kathryn E. Granaham, chairman of the House postoffice and civil service subcommittee on obscene literature, aptly summed up this apparent confusion in the minds of some by stating "There are those who express concern about their constitutional right of free speech and free press. I would like to point out in this connection that there are many situations where a certain freedom might apply to adults but will not apply to children."

"For example, the selling of alcoholic beverages to minors is prohibited; children under a certain age are not permitted to drive an automobile; and they are not admitted to see certain movies if they are minors. However, experience clearly demonstrates that the wholesale circularization and uncontrolled dissemination of obscene material always brings a good deal of it into the hands of children and teen-age youth."

Postmaster General Summerfield, in discussing the scope of this social menace, has publicly stated "It is my deep conviction—frequently expressed to individual members of this Congressional Committee, religious and educational leaders, newspaper editors, and citizens that one of the most serious moral and social problems in the United States is the multimillion dollar mail order traffic in obscenity."

"In spite of the frustrations and the legal complications, and even the court decisions, I feel a responsibility to the public to attempt to prevent the use of the mails for indecent material, and to seek indictments and prosecutions for such offenses."

East Drive-In Theatre Beaufort, N. C.

Opens 6:30, Starts 7:00
Last Times Today
Rock-a-Bye Baby
With Jerry Lewis
In Color

Saturday Only
Badlanders
Starring
Alan Ladd & Ernest Borgnine

Sunday -- Monday
Cat On A Hot Tin Roof
Starring: Elizabeth Taylor
Burl Ives & Paul Newman
In Color



May 13—Mrs. Lloyd Smith is visiting her son, Alton and family in Tucson, Ariz.

Mrs. Mildred Thomas is a patient in Morehead City hospital. Mrs. Marjorie Gooding with several more club women and our home agent attended a meeting in Nash County last Tuesday night. It was in honor of Mrs. Inesco, the former Ann Mason. She was agent for Carteret for several years.

Mrs. Mildred Beasbam is a patient in James Walker Memorial Hospital in Wilmington. The official board met last Thursday night. As it is nearing the end of the church year, there was considerable business to be discussed.

The Rev. James Smith filled his regular appointment at our church the first Sunday. Communion service was conducted on that day and also several young folks joined the church. There was a large attendance for all the services.

The quarterly conference for the Beaufort circuit met last Monday night at the North River Church with a large crowd in attendance. The North River Home Demonstration Club met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. John Avery. The meeting was called to order by the vice-president in the absence of the president, Mrs. Billy Smith. The devotional was given by Mrs. Nellie Avery. Mrs. Marjorie Gooding gave the demonstration on milk in the diet. She discussed the different kinds of milk and its importance in our daily diet.

During the social hour the hostess served soft drinks, cookies and nuts. The WSCS met at the church last Tuesday night. Mrs. Lillian Thomas, assisted by Mrs. Neva Dail, had charge of the program. The World to Christ We Bring was our lesson for May. The business was conducted by president, Mrs. Gertrude Williamson.

A very impressive pledge service was put on by the members as our pledge cards have to be filled out in May. We discussed our revival which was to start the 10th with the Rev. Sam Moore as guest minister.

Beaufort THEATRE

Last Times Today
"THUNDER IN THE SUN"
Starring
Susan Hayward & Jeff Chandler

Saturday -- Double Feature
Wells Fargo
Starring
Joel McCrea & Frances Dee

— AND —
Horror of Dracula
Starring: Peter Cushing

Sun. -- Mon. -- Tues. -- Wed.
Auntie Mame
Rosalind Russell & Forrest Tucker

Imitation of Life, Newly Filmed, to Open Friday

Easily will a motion picture so deeply penetrate the heart, the soul and the sensitivities of an audience as *Imitation of Life*, which will have its opening Friday at the Morehead theatre.

The brilliant new adaptation of Fannie Hurst's great novel is destined to carve its presence into the annals of modern film history as a classic of the silver screen.

Lana Turner, who heads a cast that is superb at all times, will never have to look back through her success-studded career to discover her finest effort. This is it! As a woman whose unflinching determination to become a great actress fogs her responsibilities as a mother, Miss Turner etches a magnificent portrayal.

No less dynamic is the portrait of Lana's sensitive lover, as played by John Gavin, a newcomer to stardom whose virile good looks and skillful performance exceed the promise of his fine film effort in *A Time to Love and a Time to Die*.

Yet, for all the intrinsic skill of this pair, they cannot stand alone in the shower of praise for this deep-searching drama. They must share the acclaim with the equally magnificent artistry of 16-year-old Sandra Dee, a dream and a delight as Lana's daughter; Dan O'Herlihy, as the playwright who woos and almost wins his glamorous star; Susan Kohner, brilliant in her portrayal of the controversial figure of a young girl who revolts against the barriers of her race; Robert Alda in a welcome return to the screen as the breezy, fast-thinking theatrical agent; Mahalia Jackson, in a memorable musical offering of a beautiful spiritual; and last but far—oh, so far from least, Negro actress Juanita Moore, in an Academy Award-tempting performance as Annie Johnson, the full-hearted woman whose philo-

sophical wisdom could bring peace to everyone but her own rebellious child. As an aside to the distaff viewers, the combined wardrobes of Lana Turner and Sandra Dee, approaching more than 40 separate outfits, and representing the designing efforts of Jean Louis (for Miss Turner) and Bill Thomas, are a fashion show in themselves.

Veteran filmgoers will recall that this is not the first triumph for *Imitation of Life* as a motion picture. It was one of 1934's biggest hits, with Claudette Colbert, Louise Beavers, Fredi Washington and Warren Williams. In its modernized form it retains the same powerful dramatic challenges, and emerges as another exceptional triumph of adaptation for producer Ross Hunter and director Douglas Sirk.

This is the same team that created a box office sensation with their version of *Magnificent Obsession*, a film which outdid its predecessor in popularity. *Imitation of Life*, penned for the screen by Eleanor Griffin, most certainly bids to surpass its 1934 predecessor, and should be a major contender for every honor that Hollywood bestows on its finest 1959 films.

College Trustee Presents Collection of Paintings

Beloit, Wis. (AP)—Twenty-six paintings from one of the Midwest's largest private art collections have been presented to Beloit College by Charles H. Morse of Lake Forest, Ill.

Morse, a life trustee of the school, and his wife collected the items over a period of 25 years—much of that time while living in a castle near Munich, Germany.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Centred
- Seat in church
- Banner
- Affirm
- Son of Jether
- Mellow
- Paper measure
- Related
- Naval officer
- Pleasant
- Unsophisticated
- Shaves
- Foundations for tracks
- Except
- Weight
- Muse of poetry

DOWN

- Dumped in Boston harbor
- Complete
- Cuts of beef
- Sole
- Worst of lameness
- Women
- Exactly equal
- Islands literary work
- Execute a command
- Eigen
- Perceived
- Turns hay
- School of whales
- Receptacle for liquids

Solution to Tuesday's Puzzle

- Put on guard
- Brav
- Men of letters
- Mimic
- Pike
- Wide opening
- Fragile
- Not easily excelled
- Oceans
- Worry
- Single
- Held in affection
- Wandered
- Falmyna leaf
- Expands
- Most advanced in years
- Salt
- Hit with the open hand
- Mental image
- Paradise
- Descended
- Kitchen utensil
- Mr. Lincoln
- Personality

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SCORCHY SMITH

SCORCHY SMITH: AH, GURON SCORES WITH ONE SHOT!

SCORCHY SMITH: HMM—I DON'T SEE WHERE I MEET HIM—SO TO MAKE SURE.

Watch The Birdie

MAN: AT THAT MOMENT SCORCHY'S LEFT HAND DASHES INTO A TIGHT GRIP.

WOMAN: WHEN I'LL HAVE TO WORK ON MY LEFT HOOK—IT'S WEAK!

OAKY DOAKS

OAKY DOAKS: SIR OAKY! I'M GLAD YOU'RE SAFE!

OAKY DOAKS: MUST'VE BIN A EARTHQUAKE!

OAKY DOAKS: THANKS PER PUTTY! ME RIGHT SIDE UP AGAIN, MISS MADON!

OAKY DOAKS: DON'T MENTION IT, ANDREW! HAVE FUN TAKING CARE OF THESE BUNS.

OAKY DOAKS: LET'S GET GOING!

OAKY DOAKS: WHERE'S SHE GOIN', SIR OAKY?

OAKY DOAKS: TO THE ROYAL CASTLE.

OAKY DOAKS: NOT WITH US, I HOPE! THERE AMT ROOM FOR THREE ON YER BESS?

OAKY DOAKS: DON'T WORRY, MISTER LOPPER—

OAKY DOAKS: —SHE'S GOING TO RIDE ON A BROOM!

Expert Checkup

EXPERT CHECKUP: SIR OAKY—HE'S PERFECTLY INTEREST, MUM! I'M TH' ROYAL EXECUTIONER!

EXPERT CHECKUP: I KNEW SHE WAS A WITCH, MISTER SIR OAKY!

EXPERT CHECKUP: SHE'S MORE THAN A WITCH, MISTER LOPPER!

EXPERT CHECKUP: —SHE'S A WIZARD, TOO, AND KING COBAY IS WITHOUT A WIZARD.

EXPERT CHECKUP: BUT HIS MAJESTY WON'T WANT A WIZARD!

EXPERT CHECKUP: —SHE COULD TURN TH' WIZARD KINGDOM UPSIDE DOWN!

SCORCHY SMITH

SCORCHY SMITH: THESE WILL SHOW JOZAK AND HIS SHEEP HOW UNMERCIFUL GURON CAN BE!

SCORCHY SMITH: NOW?

SCORCHY SMITH: NOW THAT GURON NO LONGER PACKS HIS GUN, HE'D BETTER BE A REAL BASTARD!

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