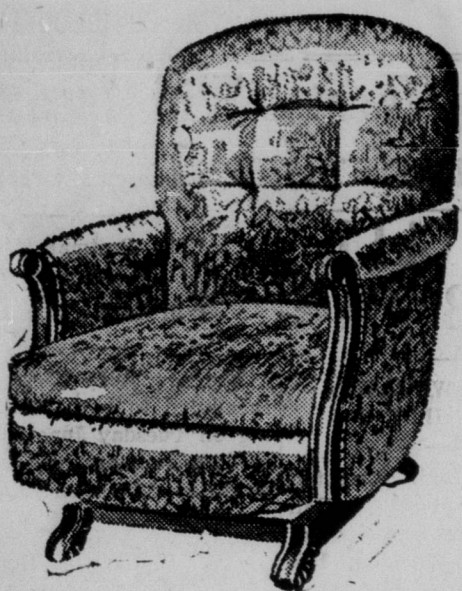


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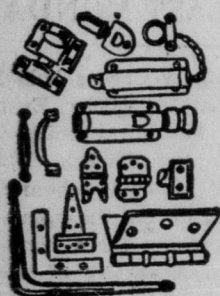
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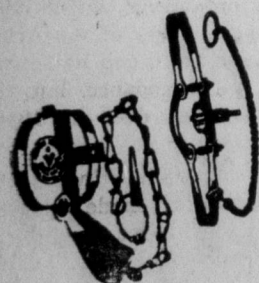
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**Opportunity Knocks At  
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A great opportunity opens up before the country church to strengthen the spiritual foundation of America. The Atom Bomb has jarred us into realizing that civilization can not endure unless the spiritual power of men and women is increased. The only power that is greater than atomic power is spiritual power.

All of us have idly watched commercial recreation sap the very foundations of our life in America. The people who offer recreation in our cities offer it in order to make money on it. Most of the purveyors of recreation are unscrupulous as to the deteriorating effects of this recreation. Honky-tonks, juke joints, questionable movies, roadhouses; all kinds of tawdry recreation is offered the young people of America for the sole purpose of making money.

The Lord's acre department, under the leadership of Dumont Clark, is planning to offer a new service to the rural churches. It will offer assistance in the field of recreation under church and Sunday school auspices.

Fortunately, commercial recreation has not yet invaded our rural districts to any large extent; and the field is open for the churches to seize this opportunity and take over this field. If a rural church could have a swimming pool, and a softball field, and a few tennis courts, it could offer recreation to the young people in the community under Christian auspices that would develop and strengthen Christian character.

It could arrange hikes, picnics, weiner roasts, softball tournaments, tennis tournaments; and in this way, recreation would aid in building strong, Christian character. There is a wonderful opportunity ahead for the country church and Sunday school.

The worst people in our cities organize to offer the lowest form of recreation to our young people in order to make money out of it. It is time for the church people to organize to offer the finest kind of recreation to the young people in our country districts.

Strong, fearless, gracious, Christian character is the one thing that will lead the world out of its troubles today. The rural church can take a long step forward in developing this type of character in the young people of the country if it will seize this opportunity to offer recreation to the young people in the countryside under the best auspices.

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**B. F. COLLINS NAMED  
HEAD OF LIONS  
AT FOREST CITY**

B. F. Collins was elected president of the Forrest City Lion's club for 1946-47 at the annual election of officers held recently.

He, along with the other officers elected, will be installed on June 18.

Other officers elected include: Dan Smith, first vice-president; Tom Vernon, second vice-president; Lawrence Self, third vice-president; Brantly P. Smith, secretary; H. G. Cornett, treasurer; Tyco Nissen, tail twister; Bob Slawson, lion tamer; Joe Dalton, assistant to the tail twister.

Directors elected were Albert Blanton, Algie C. Taylor, Dewey Carpenter, W. C. Grayson, Parris B. Price, immediate past president, will be a member of the board by virtue of his office.

District Governor Edward H. McMahan, of Brevard addressed the club on Lionism. This was his official visit to the club. He installed three new members: Lee Robbins, T. W. Calton and Joe S. Hill.

**LETTER RECEIVED  
THIS WEEK BY NEWS**

There has come to my delighted attention certain articles appearing in your paper by Mrs. Thomas S. Sharp.

These show such keen appreciation of nature's mysteries, and such admirable scholarship in the interpretation of astronomy, Botany, Folk-lore and other subjects of universal interest, that my enjoyment of these wonders in our universe has been measurably increased.

May I commend these articles of Mrs. Sharp to all those reading your excellent paper, and may I express grateful thanks that we still have learned (as well as talented) writers, who devote their lore and learning to subjects far removed from coal strikes and other near-disasters of our Post-War world.

Signed: Dr. Thomas B. Harrison, Dean Emeritus of N. C. State College of A. & E. Raleigh, N. C.

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